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DIALOGUE TITLE	Nutritional dialogue with religious leaders of the Luebo territory
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LANGUAGE OF THE EVENT	French and Tshiluba
HOST PLACE	Luebo, Democratic Republic of the Congo
GEOGRAPHICAL SCOPE	Luebo, Kasai province
EVENT PAGE OF DIALOGUE	https://nutritiondialogues.org/fr/dialogue/59405/



SECTION ONE: PARTICIPATION

TOTAL NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS	36
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PARTICIPATION BY AGE GROUP

0 0-11	0 12-18	0 19-29
15 30-49	19 50-74	2 75+

PARTICIPATION BY SEX

10 Female	26 Male	0 Other/Prefer not to say
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NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS FROM EACH STAKEHOLDER GROUP

0 Children, youth groups and students	0 Civil society organizations (including consumer groups and organizations environmental)
0 Educators and Teachers	36 Religious Leaders/Religious Communities
0 Financial institutions and technical partners	0 Food producers (including farmers)
0 Health professionals	0 Indigenous peoples
0 Information and Technology Providers	0 Large food companies and retailers
0 Marketing and Advertising Experts	0 Government officials and representatives national/federal
0 News and Media (e.g. journalists)	0 Parents and Caregivers
0 Science and Universities	0 Small/Medium Businesses
0 Government officials and representatives local/sous-national	0 United Nations
0 Women's Groups	1 Other (please specify)

OTHER STAKEHOLDER GROUPS

Nothing to report

ADDITIONAL DETAILS ON PARTICIPANT DIVERSITY

The activity was attended by various religious leaders from different religious denominations.

SECTION TWO: FRAMING AND DISCUSSION

MANAGEMENT

As part of this activity, they had the opportunity to discuss hunger, nutrition and food insecurity. Above all, presentations were made on these different concepts to be covered to enable a good understanding of certain concepts before the group work that the participants had to do on certain questions given by the presenters. According to the participatory approach, the exchanges were conducted in an interactive manner, with questions and answers and share experiences

DISCUSSION

In this meeting which brought together the leaders of religious denominations of the territory of Luebo on the issue of malnutrition in the said site. The meeting began with a presentation by the community leader who made a summary on malnutrition (definition debate contributing factors eets ...). This presentation was followed by a where participants both asked clarifying questions and others gave contributions on the local realities of the nutritional issue. After these interactions there was work at the intersection followed by an update in common.

SECTION THREE: DIALOGUE RESULTS

CHALLENGES

- Some of the dice during the discussions were listed:
- Lack of support in the agricultural sector for the community
 - Lack of good seeds (seeds certified by the state service: SENASEM)
 - Insufficient agricultural production
 - Poverty of the local community
 - Lack of awareness
 - Lack of good nutritional practices (preparation, combination of foods to establish balance)
 - Low community engagement in agriculture
 - Lack of popularization of agricultural techniques

URGENT ACTIONS

- To the authorities:
- Raise awareness in the community as the growing season begins to move towards agriculture, the student,
 - Capacity building of certain members of the community on cultural practices,
 - Technical monitoring of farmers by territorial inspectors responsible for agriculture and phytosanitary products,
 - Awareness raising on the fight against malnutrition;
 - Improve agricultural service roads
- To the partners:
- Market studies and connecting countries to agricultural input markets;
 - Invest in human development through training in agriculture, crop treatments, training of agri-multipliers;
- Support the improvement of agricultural service roads
- To the communities:
- Promote agriculture, fishing and livestock farming,
 - The implementation of good eating habits and food hygiene,
 - Create groups of educational mothers
 - Organize community fields and gardens

AREAS OF DIVERGENCE

In the discussions . no differences were noted between groups

GENERAL SUMMARY

The nutritional situation in the LUEBO territory remains worrying, due to a vicious circle of poverty, unemployment, low agricultural production, poor nutritional practices and the lack of basic services. However, local solutions and the efforts of each individual will help to fight food insecurity by promoting community fields and gardens, as well as raising awareness of the importance of agriculture in human life.

A call is made to all stakeholders: government, humanitarian partners and communities to act together to ensure healthy and sufficient food for all, especially for children and women.

SECTION FOUR: PRINCIPLES OF ENGAGEMENT AND METHOD

PRINCIPLES OF COMMITMENT

Religious leaders have committed to meeting with local authorities to discuss the issues raised.

METHOD AND FRAMEWORK

Presentation, brainstorming and group work

TIPS FOR OTHER CONVENERS

Do not neglect a religious denomination because religious leaders who are in contact with several people have the reality of the community and know all the challenges there are.

RETURN FORM: INFORMATION ADDITIONAL

THANKS

Our thanks to Mr David NGOY for his technical support for the successful completion of this activity.

ATTACHMENTS

- Attendance List
https://nutritiondialogues.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/08/Liste-de-presence-Dialogue-LUEBO_removed.pdf
- Consent form
<https://nutritiondialogues.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/08/Fiche-de-consentement-2.pdf>