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GERMANY BASED NGO, EQUALCUPS PROVIDES FIRST AID TRAINING IN GHANA.

First Aid Training has not been very well incorporated into the Ghanaian way of life and educational system and for a country which is prone to a lot of road accidents, among other minor accidents, this is a cause for alarm.

The good news is, Equalcups, a Non-Governmental Organization based in Burgdorf, Germany has taken it upon themselves to make sure the message of first-aid and the basic training is given to students, teachers, market women and men, bus drivers and other corporate organizations at all levels to equip them in the best way as possible to administer first aid treatments when there need be.

Our first phase of first aid training for 2022 began on 17th May, 2022 and ended on 22nd May, 2022 in Gomoa. Trainings were held at various districts in Gomoa, which is part of the Central Region. With the collaboration with Gomoa Sports For Change, we were able to held practical courses with the help and assistance of Ghana Education Service in Gomoa. Our organization recruits volunteers who have a passion and heart for what we do. Our second phase for 2022 which would be held in August and the third phase target for November and December, will see about 14 volunteers recruited and trained to train other people on first aid.

The first aid training which is in line with the SDG Goal number 3 (Good health and well-being) is one of the projects at Equalcups. Other projects are in line with SDG Goals 4 (Quality Education), 8 (Decent Work and Economic Growth) and 5 (Gender Equality).

Our organization and projects are self-funded by our board of trustees and volunteers who believe in our vision. Efforts to receive support from corporate bodies, funding organizations and government are underway.

We are therefore calling on interested individuals and organizations who would want to be a part of this great initiative, either as a sponsor, volunteer or partner. It takes all of us to change our country and our attitude towards first aid administration.