

Special Report on ERDO's Canadian Foodgrains Bank Projects

Thanks to your support in 2022, the following CFGB matched projects took place!

Emergency Food

Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) — Food Assistance for Internally Displaced PeopleConflict has forced 5.6 million Congolese people to flee their homes and take shelter in IDP camps (camps for Internally Displaced Persons) around the DRC. Working with a local partner, ERDO responded with a food assistance program which helped 5,900 of the most vulnerable people.

Matched 4:1 (December 2021 - April 2022)

Kenya, Athi River — Cash Transfers

Responding to food insecurity due to COVID-19 job loss, this project increased access to food through cash transfers. These transfers provided immediate funds for purchasing food to help 2,629 people and bring back income to the area.

Matched 1:1 (October 2021 - January 2022)

Yemen — Food Assistance Phase 3

This CFGB emergency food project helped families during famine conditions in the Taiz Governorate in Southern Yemen. 7,800 people were givensix monthly food basket distributions. Families were also provided thermal solar cookers and related training.

Matched 4:1 (September 2021 - April 2022)

Nutrition

Zimbabwe, Tsholotsho — Supplementary Feeding for Vulnerable Children

This project provided 12,900 vulnerable children with a fortified high-protein cereal, called CSB+, for a daily meal. 11,250 children were aged 24 - 59 months & 1,650 children were aged 13-17 year olds, living with disabilities. Due to COVID-19, these meals were being prepared at home.

Matched 1:1 (June 2021 - July 2022)



Agriculture and Livelihoods

Kenya — Livelihoods

This project empowered 720 single mothers and their families, 3,600 people, in Marsabit County, Kenya. The project provided hands-on training in Family Health and Nutrition, Conservation Agriculture, Kitchen Gardens, Post-Harvest Handling, Pasture Management, Livestock Marketing, Water Management, Income generation, Youth Group Enterprise and Village-Savings and Loans to families to increase income and bring more food to the area.

Matched 3:1 (September 2018 - March 2022)

Thank you for helping these projects take place through your generosity!

2022



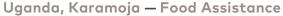
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Food Assistance Projects:

Yemen — Food Assistance Phase 4

We are continuing to distribute food baskets in Yemen. The baskets will contain wheat flour, canned beans, vegetable oil, sugar and salt, and will reach 6,825 people with nutrition.

Matched 4:1 (September 2022 - June 2023)



Partnering with the Pentecostal Assemblies of God (PAG) Uganda, ERDO is bringing monthly food baskets to 6,600 people. The baskets contain items like maize flour, beans, cooking oil and salt. In addition, a fortified cereal will be provided to 1,320 acutely malnourished people.

Matched 3:1 (December 2022 - April 2023)



Kenya — Cash Transfers

Working alongside a local church-based organization, ERDO is assisting the most vulnerable families in six areas of Marsabit County, Kenya. ERDO is providing approximately 9,600 individuals with 7 cash transfers. This helps families purchase life-saving food and other emergency supplies.

Matched 20:1 (November 2022 - May 2023)

Somalia — Cash Transfers

Working with a local partner the Jubaland region of Somalia, ERDO is responding to hunger by providing cash transfers for food to benefit approximately 6,000 people.

Matched 20:1 (November 2022 - April 2023)



Democratic Republic of Congo — Food Assistance for Internally Displaced People

To address growing hunger among internally displaced people (IDPs), five months of food distributions will be given to families. Approximately 7,150 individuals will receive five monthly food packages, including maize flour, beans, vegetable oil and salt.

Matched 4:1 (March 2023 - August 2023)



Nutrition

Malawi — COBT Nutrition Assistance for Children with Disabilities

Partnering with Children of Blessing Trust (COBT) in Malawi, ERDO is providing supplemental food, and treating approximately 600 children with disabilities who are malnourished. Together, we will provide for approximately 90 mothers of children with disabilities who are pregnant and/or breastfeeding and suffer from malnutrition.

Matched 1:1 (February 2022 – January 2023)

2023



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Nutrition

Zimbabwe, Tsholotsho — Supplementary Feeding for Vulnerable Children

This year, we are continuing to provide vulnerable children in Tsholotsho with a fortified high-protein cereal as a daily meal. We'll be assisting another 11,300 children between 24 - 59 months and 1,720 children aged 13 - 17 years old with disabilities.

Matched 1:1 (September 2022 - June 2023)

Agriculture and Livelihoods

Uganda, Kasese — Livelihoods



ERDO is partnering with the Pentecostal Assemblies of God (PAG) Uganda for the next three years. Working with 3,712 people in 4 villages in Kasese, Uganda, we are starting a three-year agriculture and livelihoods project. Families in this area face many challenges that prevent them from producing enough food to feed their families and make an income. These include land degradation, irregular rainfall, soil infertility, limited land sizes to grow crops and gender inequalities that prevent women from participating in agricultural work. This project will increase food production, reduce risks from flooding, agriculture, enhance livelihoods and transform gender relations.

Matched 1:1 (December 2022 - November 2025)

Yemen — Sustainable Agriculture and Livelihoods

After years of civil war, more than 17.4 million people face malnutrition. 5.6 million are facing death from starvation. Working with a local partner, this project provides 8,125 people, with agricultural and livestock kits and training. The kits will include seeds, feed for animals and anti-parasitic medicine for livestock. Training focuses on developing skills in agricultural and livestock management, kitchen gardening and sewing training.

Matched 1:1 (March 2023 - February 2026)





Thank you again for supporting ERDO's projects through your donations to the Foodgrains Bank.