

Primary Immunodeficiencies Association – Kenya (**PIDs Kenya**)

A presentation made at the ASID-IPOPI African
PID Patients Meeting in Dakar, Senegal by:

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Our Story



Our Journey

- Introduced to IPOPI by Kenyan pathologist - Dr. Edwin Walong in June 2018.
- In the same month – kick off call held between IPOPI, Dr. Edwin Walong, Dr. Angela Migowa and Cynthia Olotch on the setting up of a PID patient group in Kenya .
- Registration of PIDs Kenya initiated in July 2018 marking the start of Kenya's first PID patient organisation.



IPOPI NMO Status



- PIDs Kenya applied to be the Kenyan NMO for IPOPI in August 2018.
- Granted Associate NMO status by IPOPI in the same month.



Our mission is to **raise**
awareness and promote early
diagnosis of primary
immunodeficiency in Kenya.



We will achieve this through...



- Information
- Awareness
- Support
- Membership database
- Lobbying

Activities to date....



IPOPI's 25th
Global Patients
Meeting (Lisbon,
October 2018)

Activities to date....



Participated in a Continuous Medical Education (CME) session on rare diseases in Kenya (February, 2019)



Activities to date....



1st Kenya A-Project

White Sands Hotel,
Mombasa City
9th April 2019

Speakers :

- Monika Esser
- James Chipeta

Local Organizer :

- Angela Migowa

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Annual Scientific Conference 2019
Beyond Child Survival - A Holistic Approach to Child Health
9th-12th April, 2019 Sarova Whitesands, Mombasa

KENYA PAEDIATRIC ASSOCIATION

Pre-Congress	Per Day	KES 3,500	Non-KPA Delegates	KES 25,000
Early Registration	---	KES 17,000	EAPA Delegates	KES 22,000
Late Registration	---	KES 22,000	International Delegates	USD 300
			Nurses & Allied Workers	KES 13,500
			Students	KES 13,500

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Participated in the 1st A Project workshop on PIDs (Kenya, April 2019)

PIDs Kenya website

With support from IPOPI, our website (www.pidskenya.co.ke) is now up and running.



