



The Victoria African-Aid (VACSI) is the international agency dedicated to global health and safety especially on the African Continent. The Organization connects nations, partners and communities to promote health and serve the vulnerable.

VACSI works worldwide to promote health, keep the world safe, and serve the vulnerable. Our goal is to ensure that African people have universal health coverage, to protect them from health emergencies, and provide them with better health and well-being.

## **VACSI: African Health Organisation**

VACSI directs and coordinates health systems in Africa non-governmentally. It is responsible for providing leadership on global health matters, shaping the health research agenda, setting norms and standards, articulating evidence-based policy options, providing technical support to African countries and monitoring and assessing health trends.

To date , health is a shared responsibility, involving equitable access to essential care and collective defense against transnational threats.

VACSI operates in an increasingly complex and rapidly changing landscape. The boundaries of public health action have become blurred, extending into other sectors that influence health opportunities and outcomes. VACSI responds to these challenges using a six-point agenda. The six points address two health objectives, two strategic needs, and two operational approaches. The overall performance of VACSI will be measured by the impact of its work on women's health and health in Africa through;

- providing leadership on matters critical to health and engaging in partnerships where joint action is needed;
- shaping the research agenda and stimulating the generation, translation and dissemination of valuable knowledge;
- setting norms and standards and promoting and monitoring their implementation;
- articulating ethical and evidence-based policy options;
- providing technical support, catalyzing change, and building sustainable institutional capacity; and
- monitoring the health situation and assessing health trends.