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CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S MESSAGE



Dr. Kelly Oluoch
Chief Executive Officer

I am delighted to share some remarkable updates and achievements from Kenya Medical Training College that demonstrate our commitment to excellence and continual improvement.

First and foremost, I am excited to announce the opening of a National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN) testing center right here in Kenya. This development is a significant relief for KMTTC graduates aspiring to work in the United States, eliminating the need to travel abroad for their licensure exams.

Furthermore, I am proud to report that H.E. President Dr. William Ruto has pledged increased resources for the completion of various KMTTC Campuses. His support underlines the government's commitment to expanding access to quality healthcare education across the country.

Our efforts have not gone unnoticed, as evidenced by our high customer satisfaction levels. According to a re-

cent survey, KMTTC's overall customer satisfaction rate has risen to an impressive 83.3%, marking one of the highest scores in our history. This achievement is a testament to our solid dedication to providing exceptional service to our students and stakeholders.

In collaboration with the Novo Nordisk Foundation, the Ministry of Health, and other partners, we have launched the Partnership for Health Professionals initiative to address CardioMetabolic Diseases in the country. This partnership reflects our commitment to tackling pressing healthcare challenges through collaborative efforts.

I am also happy to share that KMTTC has been recognized as the premier tertiary institution in Kenya according to the latest Webometrics Ranking of World Universities 2024. We achieved an impressive third position overall and ranked 43rd when compared to universities, surpassing renowned institutions in the process.

Away from academics, we have continued to give back to the community through Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) initiatives, impacting the lives of vulnerable Kenyans.

Lastly, I am pleased to announce that KMTTC has received a prestigious award for our outstanding performance in public sector through digital transformation. This recognition highlights our commitment to embracing innovative solutions to enhance efficiency in service delivery.

As we celebrate these achievements, I acknowledge the successful conclusion of our recent virtual Mentorship programme, aimed at supporting newly employed lecturers. This initiative underlines our commitment to nurturing talent and promoting professional development within our institution.

In conclusion, I extend my sincere gratitude to all members of the KMTTC community for their dedication and hard work. Together, we will continue to strive for excellence and make meaningful contributions to healthcare education and service delivery in Kenya and beyond.

We value your feedback, so please email us through info@kmtc.ac.ke.

PRESIDENT RUTO OPENS KANGEMA CAMPUS



H.E. President Dr. William Ruto inaugurates Kangema Campus.

In an official ceremony on February 14, 2024, H.E President Dr. William Ruto inaugurated KMTc Kangema in Murang'a County.

Accompanying him were his Deputy H.E Rigathi Gachagua, Health CS Nakhumicha S. Wafula, Murang'a County Governor Hon. Irungu Kang'ata, National Government Constituency Development Fund Board Chairperson Hon. Olago Aluoch, Kangema MP Hon. Peter Irungu Kihungi, and Nominated MP Sabina Chege.

President Ruto announced a government allocation of Kshs. 65 million to equip the Campus for the anticipated student intake in September 2024, emphasizing the need for a conducive learning environment. He underscored that expanding the College aimed to produce more healthcare workers to achieve Universal Health Coverage.

Additionally, Dr. Ruto pledged Kshs. 100 million for the expansion of Kangema sub-county hospital, emphasizing its role in providing practical training sites for students

along with improving healthcare accessibility for locals.

The event was attended by Principal Secretary Mary Muthoni, KMTc Board Chairperson Joseah K. Cheruiyot, CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch, and various leaders.

PRESIDENT PLEDGES SUPPORT FOR KMTC IKOLOMANI

H.E. President Dr. William Ruto pledged to allocate more resources for the completion of Ikolomani Campus.



H.E President Dr. William Ruto during a visit to Ikolomani Campus.

During his development tour to the Western Region on February 3, 2024, the President inspected the ongoing construction at the Campus, where he committed to allocate Kshs. 27 million from the National Treasury to expedite the completion of its infrastructure. The aim is to have the Campus ready for the admission of students in the upcoming September 2024 intake. President Ruto underscored the government's dedication to ensuring the provision of top-notch training for healthcare professionals.

He emphasized the global demand

for Kenyan healthcare workers, stating that resources are being directed towards completing the Ikolomani Campus projects to train skilled personnel for both the local and international markets.

Highlighting the government's strategic collaborations, President Ruto noted that memoranda of understanding have been signed with several countries, including Canada, the U.S., the United Kingdom, and Australia, facilitating the export of Kenyan healthcare workers.

Accompanying the President during the visit were National Assembly Speaker Hon. Moses

Wetangula, Health Cabinet Secretary Nakhumicha S. Wafula, Principal Secretary for Public Health and Professional Standards Mary Muthoni, Kakamega County Governor Hon. Fernandes Baraza, KMTC Board Chairperson Mr. Joseph K. Cheruiyot, CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch, among other dignitaries.

In a separate engagement, the Board Chairperson Mr. Cheruiyot, and CEO Dr. Oluoch addressed KMTC students in the region, expressing the institution's steadfast commitment to providing a high-quality and conducive learning environment across the College.

HIGH HOPES AS PRESIDENT RUTO COMMISSIONS SKILLS LABORATORY AT MAUA CAMPUS

President Dr. William Ruto inaugurated the skills laboratory at the Maua Campus on January 26, 2024, during his development tour of Meru County.



H.E. President Dr. William Ruto and Deputy President H.E. Hon. Rigathi Gachagua (2nd left) during the inauguration of a Skills Laboratory at Maua Campus.

Expressing satisfaction with the progress at KMTc Maua, President Ruto commended the College's dedication to producing more healthcare professionals for the nation. Pledging further support, Dr. Ruto committed to constructing hostels for students and providing a bus to facilitate their transportation to clinical practical sites.

He emphasized the importance of Universal Health Coverage and the role KMTc plays in training front-line health workers to make critical health services readily available.

President Ruto assured an increase in staffing levels at the Campus, with PS Mary Muthoni tasked with overseeing the implementation of this initiative. His Deputy, H.E. Rigathi Gachagua, and other government dignitaries accompanied him during the commissioning.

KMTc Board Chairperson Mr. Joseph K. Cheruiyot and CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch received President Ruto.

Earlier in the day Dr. Oluoch addressed students, reaffirming the College's commitment to their academic success.

"We are committed to ensuring a conducive learning environment, and nothing should stop you from pursuing your dreams," Dr. Oluoch assured.

Also present during the launch were KMTc Campus Principals Samuel Njagi (Meru), Patrick Njagi (Chuka), Evelyn Njeru (Embu), and Thomas Muange (Imenti).

A BIG SIGH OF RELIEF FOR KMTC GRADUATES

KMTC graduates aspiring to work in the United States can now breathe a sigh of relief as the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN) testing center opens in Kenya.



Prime Cabinet Secretary and CS for Foreign and Diaspora Affairs Hon. Musalia Mudavadi (center) during the launch of NCLEX – RN Center in Nairobi.

The NCLEX is a standardized test that nurses must pass to obtain licensure for practicing nursing in the United States, Canada, and Australia.

During the launch of the Pearson VUE Test Centre on January 16, 2024 in Nairobi, Prime Cabinet Secretary and Cabinet Secretary for Foreign and Diaspora Affairs, Hon. Musalia Mudavadi, expressed that establishing the center is a significant milestone for the government.

He emphasized the government's commitment to boosting the economy by expanding diaspora remittances through the exportation of workers. "The establishment of the center will serve as a catalyst for economic growth. By creating diaspora jobs for Kenyan healthcare professionals, we anticipate a significant increase in remittances, contributing directly to our economic prosperity," he added.

The NCLEX will be administered by Pearson VUE, a global test administration company that pro-

vides testing services for various professional licensure exams.

Hon. Mudavadi highlighted that Kenyan healthcare professionals working abroad through this initiative will gain invaluable experiences, which will later be repatriated to enhance Kenya's healthcare sector. He also pledged to work closely with Pearson VUE to ensure seamless operations in the country.

Health Cabinet Secretary Wafula S. Nakhumicha thanked KMTC for ensuring the establishment of



Prime Cabinet Secretary and CS for Foreign and Diaspora Affairs Hon. Musalia Mudavadi (right), with Board Chairperson Mr. Joseah K. Cheruiyot (left) during the launch of N-CLEX center in Nairobi.

NCLEX-RN in the country, noting that the initiative will help absorb thousands of nurses graduating from College every year. She emphasized that establishing the center in Nairobi will ease the burden of traveling abroad to undertake the test.

Kenyan nurses seeking employment in the U.S. have been compelled to undertake the examinations in either South Africa or India. After South Africa, Kenya is poised to become the second African country to host the NCLEX-RN.

Hon. Mohamud Noor, a House of Representatives of Minnesota member, thanked the government for welcoming the project and revealed that the U.S. has numerous job opportunities for Kenyan healthcare workers. He disclosed ongoing discussions with the U.S. government to remove other barriers, including

English language proficiency tests like the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) and the International English Language Testing System (IELTS).

“The dream of hosting the center will come to fruition next month when operations officially commence. I thank Virtual Universal Enterprises (VUE) for accepting to host the programme,” he said.

The Principal Secretary of the State Department for Public Health and Professional Standards Mary Muthoni, welcomed the initiative as timely, noting the crucial role played by healthcare workers in bridging the human resource for health gaps.

Board Chairperson Mr. Joseah K. Cheruiyot highlighted that establishing the NCLEX-RN center will positively impact nursing recruitment in Kenya and across the

region, strengthening Kenya’s relations with neighboring countries and other nursing schools.

Acknowledging the crucial role played by healthcare workers in disease management, CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch affirmed the College’s commitment to producing front-line healthcare workers to reduce the disease burden in the country and beyond.

In preparation for the launch, KMTC hosted a delegation of health employers from the United States on January 15, 2024.

The establishment of the NCLEX-RN center in Nairobi marks a new era for KMTC graduates, providing them with greater access to international opportunities and contributing to Kenya’s economic and healthcare development.

KMTC OPENS STATE-OF-THE-ART MARSABIT CAMPUS

The College on March 12, 2024 received a state-of-the-art Marsabit Campus to mount medical courses. The fully-furnished and equipped, two-storey building is an initiative of the County Government of Marsabit.



Marsabit County Governor Hon. Mohamed Ali (right) with Board Chairperson Mr. Joseah K. Cheruiyot (center) and CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch, during the Official handover of the facility to KMTC.

Governor Mohammed Ali highlighted the significance of devolution, expressing gratitude for the Constitutional shift that enabled the development. The two-storey facility boasts 10 lecture halls, 21 offices, a computer laboratory, library, boardroom, and skills laboratory, ensuring a conducive learning environment.

Governor Ali emphasized the Campus's role in nurturing well-trained health professionals for the county and the nation. Located at the base of a hill, adjacent to a national park, the location offers a serene learning atmosphere for students. The facility brings KMTC's world-class

training, research and knowledge to the heart of Marsabit to help tackle many of the most difficult health challenges facing the region.

KMTC Board Chairperson Mr. Joseah K. Cheruiyot acknowledged Governor Ali's efforts in constructing the Campus, underlining its positive impact on healthcare accessibility for Marsabit residents and Kenyans at large. With a projection of more than 1,000 students, staff and guardians trickling in the region, it brings new life to the county.

CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch disclosed that the Campus had already issued admission letters to 153 students

from the region. "We are starting with courses in Community Health Assistant and Health Records and Information Technology," he said. "We will progressively introduce additional courses such as Clinical Medicine and Nursing," he added. Dr. Oluoch urged locals to utilize the facility for education and encouraged them to construct hostels for the students.

The event was attended by County officials including Members of the County Assembly, Chief Officers, KMTC Board Directors Mr. Paul Cheboi and Ms. Hardlyne Lusui, along with the College staff and students.

NEW KSHS. 200 MILLION MANDERA CAMPUS GEARS UP FOR OPENING

KMTC Mandera is preparing to unveil its multimillion-shilling Campus.



Board of Directors and Senior Management during a tour of the newly constructed Mandera Campus.

The construction of the Kshs. 200 million project began in 2018, funded by the County Government of Mandera and the Equalization Fund. During the Board's visit led by Chairperson Mr. Joseah K. Cheruiyot on March 14, 2024, major construction works were already completed. At the site, a water-drilling machine was in operation as contractors finalized steps to provide alternative water supply.

Upon entering the town, the impressive Campus will be hard to miss. Its mega gate will immediately catch your eye, followed by a magnificent administration block, classrooms, laboratories, a 1,000-capacity multipurpose hall and student hostels. The Campus

is situated on a well-fenced, 19-acre plot of land adjacent to the Mandera Teachers Training College.

“What a remarkable facility,” said Board Chairperson Mr. Cheruiyot. “It is truly impressive,” he continued. During a courtesy call on Governor Mohamed Adan Khalif, Mr. Cheruiyot expressed gratitude for the establishment of the Campus, highlighting its potential to attract students from neighboring countries; Ethiopia and Somalia.

CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch commented, “I understand that Mandera as a marginalized county, faces numerous development challenges, but the construction of this facility demonstrates the Governor's dedication to healthcare.” He disclosed that the College has contacted reg-

ulatory bodies to evaluate the suitability of the facility for offering various medical courses.

Addressing the challenges with healthcare human resources, the Governor explained, “We have had health workers assigned here, but unfortunately, many do not stay, leaving our facilities understaffed.” “We initiated the construction of this facility for this reason. We aim to produce healthcare professionals to serve our community,” he added. The Governor revealed that the County has allocated funds to cover over 50 percent of learning expenses for local students.

Also present were Board Directors Ms. Eunice Karanja and Eng. Joseph Atonga, among others.

CAMPUS STARTS CONSTRUCTION OF KSHS. 50 MILLION TUITION BLOCK

Shianda Campus commenced the construction of a Kshs. 50 million tuition block on March 8, 2024. The project, financed by the National Government Constituency Development Fund (NG-CDF) for Mumias East, is expected to enhance infrastructure to accommodate more students.



Mumias East MP Hon. Peter Salasya lays a foundation stone for a Tuition block at Shianda Campus.

The area MP, Hon. Peter Salasya pledged additional support, including the rehabilitation of the Campus's sewerage system, water supply and street lighting. "Next week we will convene discussions with my NG-CDF Committee for resource provision," he said.

The Board Chairperson, Mr. Joseph K. Cheruiyot highlighted that beside healthcare, the expanded Campus will positively impact

the local community, especially in economic aspects like accommodation. He emphasized KMTTC's role in steering Kenya towards Universal Health Coverage.

The CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch, expressed gratitude to the MP for initiating the project, noting that increase in the student population will promote growth in region. He urged the local community to seize the March 2024 intake opportunity and enroll their students. He

also encouraged students to focus on studies while assuring continued support from the College.

"Make sure each and every day counts. Behave well and avoid harmful practices like indulging in drugs, and substance abuse," he emphasized. The project is anticipated to expand the region's development.

BUILDING BRIDGES: KMTc ALUMNI AND HEALTH PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS JOIN FORCES

The College convened a significant meeting with leadership from various health professional associations on February 23, 2024 in Nairobi. The purpose of the meeting was to foster collaboration and engagement between KMTc and its alumni affiliated with different health professional associations.



CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch (center) with leaders of the various Health Professional Associations during a meeting in Nairobi.

KMTC, with its rich history dating back to 1927, boasts a large alumni network spread across various health sectors. The College is keen on strengthening ties with its alumni and has outlined strategic objectives in its 2023-2028 Strategic Plan, including alumni registration and database development.

In attendance were top officials from KMTc, including the CEO, Dr. Kelly Oluoch, and the Director, Finance Planning and Administration Ms. Lucy Chebungei. The meeting was marked by fruitful discussions and presentations aimed at enhancing collaboration between KMTc and health professional associations.

Dr. Oluoch emphasized the evolving role of KMTc as a global institution in training healthcare workers. He underscored the need for quality enhancement, technological integration, and research-driven solutions to address emerging healthcare challenges.

On her part, Ms. Chebungei expressed gratitude for the insightful contributions from association leaders and highlighted the importance of collaborations, particularly in supporting students facing financial challenges and ensuring their academic continuity.

Several areas of collaboration were identified during the meeting, including student mentorship, alumni registration, curriculum development and joint research initiatives.

Additionally, plans were made to sensitize students about the benefits of professional associations and to facilitate student placement and mentorship opportunities.

The event was also attended by representatives from the Association of Medical Records Officers Kenya, the Nutrition Association of Kenya, the Kenya Pharmaceutical Association, the Society of Radiographers Kenya, the Association of Public Health Officers Kenya, and the Kenya Medical Social Work Association.

The meeting concluded on a positive note, with commitments from both KMTc and Professional Associations to work together towards common goals.

KMTC EARNS TOP HONORS

The College achieved a significant milestone by clinching a prestigious award for its outstanding performance in public sector through digital transformation.



The Award won by KMTC for outstanding performance in public sector digital transformation.

The recognition was bestowed upon KMTC during the inaugural Ministry of Information, Communications, and Digital Economy (MoICDE) Digital Transformation Public Sector Forum and Awards 2024 in Mombasa, on February 23, 2024.

Securing the top position in the Digital Innovation category within the education sector, KMTC beat formidable contenders, Kenyatta University and the Teachers Service Commission.

The event, organized under the auspices of the MoICDE in Kenya and Greydale Africa, serves as a platform to acknowledge and celebrate public sector organizations that

consistently harness technology to enhance effectiveness, efficiency, transparency, and service delivery to Kenyan citizens. KMTC's success was attributed to its pioneering initiatives, notably the implementation of cutting-edge simulation and e-learning facilities, coupled with a comprehensive digitalization of its service delivery and customer satisfaction.

Expressing his gratitude upon receiving the good news, The CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch emphasized that the award reaffirms KMTC's standing as a leading government entity in digital transformation. He further stated, "Our commitment to the digitalization of services is solid, as we strive to provide the

best services to our clients."

While singling out the important role played by ICT in the College's digital transformation agenda, Dr. Oluoch extended his appreciation to the Board of Directors, Management team, staff, and students for their steadfast support. The award ceremony was graced by the MoICDE Cabinet Secretary, Mr. Eliud Owalo.

Other categories awarded include Digital Innovation in healthcare, agriculture, energy, and financial services sectors, as well as Digital Citizen Engagement 2024, Digital Upskilling 2024, and Data Security and Privacy Innovation, among others.

COLLEGE SECURES TOP SPOT IN LATEST WEBOMETRICS RANKINGS

The College has been recognized as the premier tertiary institution in Kenya according to the latest Webometrics Ranking of World Universities 2024.

Claiming the third position overall, KMTC stands alongside Kenya Forestry Research Institute and Kenya School of Government in the first and second positions, respectively. When ranked alongside universities, KMTC has achieved an impressive 43rd position, defeating famous institutions such as Africa Nazarene University, Multimedia University of Kenya, and KCA University, among others. The University of Nairobi leads the list, followed by Jomo Kenyatta University of Agriculture and Technology in the second position and Kenyatta University in the third position.

Upon receiving the results, The CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch expressed his appreciation for the ranking, highlighting its reflection of the College's dedication to excellence in medical education and training. "Securing the third position overall underlines the commitment of our staff and students. This recognition solidifies KMTC's standing as a



The Health CS madam Nakhumicha S. Wafula and a graduate during a previous graduation ceremony.

leading middle level medical training institution in the country," he said

"This milestone not only underscores our dedication to academic excellence but also highlights the global impact and influence of KMTC," he added. Dr. Oluoch reiterated the College's commitment to shaping the future of healthcare professionals and contributing to the advancement of medical education in Kenya and beyond.

The Webometrics Ranking of World Universities, also known as Ranking Web of Universities, evaluates universities globally based on a composite indicator considering web content volume and visibility.

Published by the Cybermetrics Lab, a research group of the Spanish National Research Council (CSIC) in Madrid, the ranking aims to enhance the online presence of academic and research institutions and promote open-access publication of scientific results.

Commencing in 2004, the ranking is regularly updated in January and July. As of 2021, it offers web indicators for over 31,000 universities worldwide.

KSHS. 100 MILLION PROJECT LAUNCHED TO TACKLE LIFE-THREATENING DISEASES

The College in conjunction with the Novo Nordisk Foundation, the Ministry of Health, and other partners on January 31, 2024, launched the Partnership for Health Professionals (PEP) in a move to address Cardiometabolic Diseases (CMD) in the country.



Health CS. Nakhumicha S. Wafula (center), PS Mary Muriuki (4th left), CS Public Service, Performance, and Delivery Management Hon. Moses Kuria (4th right), CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch (3rd left), and NOVO Nordisk Foundation Chairperson Lars Rabien Sorensen during the launch of the Partnership for Health professionals.

In recent years, Kenya has experienced a surge in Non-Communicable Diseases (NCDs), including Cardiovascular Diseases (CVDs), accounting for 50% of hospital admissions and 55% of hospital deaths.

During the launch at KMTC Gatundu, Health Cabinet Secretary Nakhumicha S. Wafula welcomed the project, highlighting its potential to address pressing health challenges and acknowledging the College's key role in its implementation. She emphasized the importance of fit for purpose health professionals, networking, exchange programmes, and knowledge-sharing initiatives to efficiently scale

up best practices and innovative approaches.

The event was attended by Cabinet Secretary for Public Service, Performance, and Delivery Management Hon. Moses Kuria, who reflected on the day Gatundu campus was constructed under his leadership as the then MP for Gatundu South. He acknowledged the strong relationship with the College and encouraged further partnerships for improved healthcare solutions.

The Principal Secretary for Public Health and Professional Standards Mary Muthoni said the launch aligns with the Government's key priority of addressing the burden of life-threatening diseases, and re-

duction of expenditure on health. "In light of the escalating global health threat posed by CMDs, Kenya faces an urgent need to address these challenges"

Area MP Hon. Gabriel Kigombe emphasized the importance of early interventions on cardiometabolic diseases, which account for 10% of deaths annually, in Kenya alone.

KMTC Board Chairperson Mr. Joseah K. Cheruiyot who was represented by Director Hardlyne Lusui, said the Board will provide the necessary support required for the success of the programme. "Our responsibility as a training arm of the government for middle-level medical professionals is paramount and

we must equip our health workers with the necessary skills and knowledge to face the challenges presented by CardioMetabolic Diseases,” he added.

The CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch expressed gratitude to the partners, affirming the College’s commitment to providing quality training. He underscored the significance of partnerships in shaping the training curriculum and preparing

health professionals for the evolving healthcare landscape.

On the sidelines of the launch, the CS toured the Gatundu Level 5 Hospital to assess healthcare service delivery in line with the Universal Health Coverage agenda.

The event also saw the presence of notable figures, including the Danish Ambassador to Kenya Stephan Schønemann, Chairperson of the Board of Novo Nordisk Founda-

tion Lars Rebien Sorensen, CEO of Non-Communicable Disease Alliance Kenya Dr. Catherine Karekezi, Amref International University Vice Chancellor Prof. Joachim Osur, General Secretary of the Christian Health Association of Kenya Dr. Samuel Mwenda, General Secretary of Kenya Conference of Catholic Bishops Rev. Fr. Jude Waweru, and Executive Director of Africa Population Health Research Center Dr. Catherine Kyobutungi.

COLLEGE HOSTS DELEGATION FROM PATH

The CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch on March 22, 2024 hosted a high-level delegation from the global non-profit organization PATH to explore collaboration on the U.S. President’s Malaria Initiative (PMI) project.

The meeting centered on the Reaching Every At-Risk Community and Household with Malaria services (PMI REACH Malaria) project, aimed at boosting the prevention, detection, and treatment of malaria in health facilities and communities.

The initiative seeks to curb malaria cases and save lives through strategic partnerships.

The PATH delegation comprised Dr. Jamie Eliades, Technical Director of PMI REACH Malaria at PATH, based in Washington DC,



CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch (center) with Path International Officials and KMTC staff during a courtesy visit to KMTC Headquarters.

Dr. Donald Apat, Chief of Party for PMI REACH Malaria at PATH, Kenya, and Dr. Megumi Itoh, PMI Resident Advisor, Kenya.

In 2022, KMTC, led by Senior Lecturer Dr. Marsellah Ogendo, updated its five pre-service Diploma curricula, aligning them with practice and partnership obligations.

This endeavor aims to standardize the delivery of pre-service malaria content and enhance malaria education across the College.

The collaboration between KMTC and PATH holds promise for advancing malaria prevention and treatment efforts, contributing to the global fight against this debilitating disease.

COLLABORATIVE OPPORTUNITIES WITH LAMU COUNTY

Under the leadership of Board Chairperson Mr. Joseah K. Cheruiyot, a delegation from the College paid a courtesy call on Lamu County Governor Hon. Issa Timamy on January 23, 2024. The purpose of the meeting was to explore and discuss a broad spectrum of collaboration opportunities.

During the engagement, Mr. Cheruiyot expressed gratitude to the county for its firm commitment to supporting KMTc Lamu.

This support is particularly evidenced through initiatives such as the expansion of the College infrastructure along with the deployment of staff to bridge staff-student



Lamu County Governor Hon. Issa Timamy (center) with Board Chairperson Mr. Joseah K. Cheruiyot (left) and CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch (right) during a meeting at the Lamu County Headquarters.

ratios.

In response, Governor Timamy committed to equipping Mokowe Hospital to continue providing clinical placement sites to students pursuing studies in Nursing and Orthopaedic Trauma Medicine.

Accompanying the Board Chairperson were Board Directors Ms.

Hardlyne Lusui and Mr. Paul Cheboi, along with the Chief Executive Officer, Dr. Kelly Oluoch, and staff members.

The collaborative efforts discussed in the meeting highlight the commitment of both KMTc and Lamu County to advancing medical education and healthcare services in the region.

KMTc HOSTS JHPiEGO FOR TALKS

The CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch hosted Laura Skolnik, Senior Director of Global Program Operations at Jhpiego, and Paul Nyachae, the Country Director of Jhpiego Kenya, at the College headquarters, on January 24, 2024 to discuss broadening partnerships in health provision in the country.

These two institutions have a rich history of collaboration, and in June 2022, Jhpiego donated pre-cancerous lesions treatment

devices to enhance teaching and learning in the College.

Dr. Oluoch, thanked Jhpiego for its support, emphasizing its significant contribution to meeting the College's mandate. He affirmed his commitment to collaborating with the U.S. government to ensure fruitful outcomes from the partnership.

In response, Ms. Skolnik highlighted the success of the partnership, disclosing that Jhpiego currently

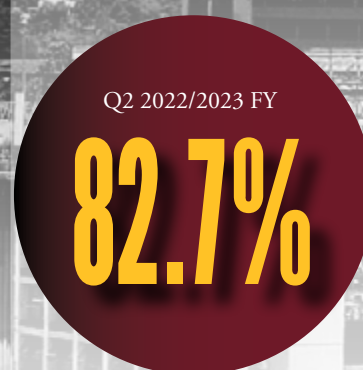
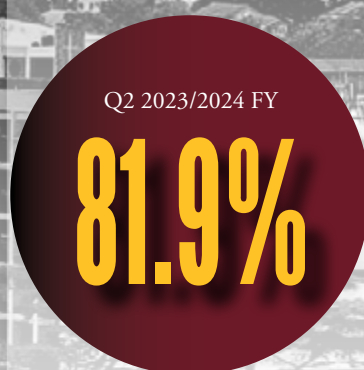
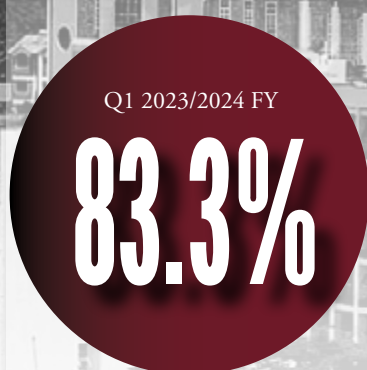


CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch (left), Jhpiego Senior Director of Global Program Operations Ms. Laura Skolnik and Country Director Mr. Paul Nyachae (center) during a meeting at KMTc.

oversees 17 projects in Kenya. She encouraged KMTc to explore and leverage these projects to further enhance and scale up their collaboration.

COLLEGE RECORDS HIGHEST CUSTOMER SATISFACTION, A NEW REPORT

Customer satisfaction at the College remains notably high, according to a recent report. The overall customer satisfaction rate has risen by 1.4%, reaching an impressive 83.3%, marking one of the highest scores in the College's history.



Customer Satisfaction Level trends

CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch attributes this positive trend to ongoing improvements in services, including the enhanced provision of utilities to facilitate learning and upgraded customer service. “This year’s increase in customer satisfaction is primarily attributed to an improved customer experience, addressing factors such as the quality and promptness of services,” he noted.

Dr. Oluoch highlighted the importance of meeting customer expectations and focusing on delivering quality services promptly and with courtesy. He revealed that the College will continue to allocate resources towards training

staff to instill an excellent customer care culture. The study surveyed nearly 6,500 clients who utilized College services from October to November, 2023.

Dr. Oluoch acknowledged that social media comments largely expressed appreciation and commendation for the College, though some concerns about service quality were noted.

The service turnaround time saw improvement, reducing to 15 minutes from the previous 16 minutes, with only 26 instances exceeding this benchmark.

Highlighting the effectiveness of service delivery units in resolving

customer complaints, Dr. Oluoch underscored the importance of this customer satisfaction survey.

Conducted in the first half of the 2023-2024 financial year, the survey is instrumental in evaluating services, identifying areas for improvement and suggesting mitigation measures to meet client expectations.

This initiative aligns with the KMTCC Strategic Plan 2023-2028 and complies with Performance Contract (PC) and Quality Management System (QMS) requirements. The findings are crucial for enhancing the overall quality of service at KMTCC.



Bumula Member of Parliament Hon. Anami Wamboka (right) during a ground breaking ceremony for an Administration Block for the proposed Bumula Campus.



Mandera Campus new staff during an orientation at Mandera Town.



Meru County Senator Hon. Kathuri Murungi (right), KMTC Meru Principal Mr. Samuel Njagi (2nd right) and a section of students during his courtesy call at the Campus.

HOW THE CITIZENS' SERVICE DELIVERY CHARTER IS TRANSFORMING SERVICE DELIVERY

Ms. Flavian Kadeka understands the importance of resolving customer complaints on time. When you visit the College headquarters, her welcoming smile invites you to seek her assistance. Ever since she joined the College almost a year ago, she says she has served countless customers. “I am happy when a client comes to my desk with complaints, and within 14 days, they return telling me that their issues have been resolved. It makes me so happy,” she narrates.



Ms. Flavian Kadeka (right)

So, each morning, she arms herself with a Service Delivery Charter, information brochures, and a customer records book to discharge her duties. On a busy day, she says she attends to roughly 300 customers and 50 customers on a slow day.

In 2004, the Kenyan government introduced Citizen Service Delivery Charters to improve service delivery in public sector institutions. KMTCC developed its Service Charter to streamline operations, enhance customer experience, resolve public complaints within 14 days among others. Previously, resolving customer complaints often took longer, but with the Service Charter such issues are now addressed promptly.

Ms. Kadeka primarily assists prospective students seeking training slots at KMTCC. “One morning, a client came in. She had not received her admission letter in the College portal, yet she had received a phone notification from the Kenya Universities and Colleges Central Placement Service (KUCCPS) that she had been selected to join KMTCC,” she narrates.

“She was very angry. I then asked for her details and forwarded them to the Admissions office and asked the customer to go back and wait for our communication,” she adds. Fast forward, the issue was resolved with the client receiving a notification with instructions on how to access the admission letter. Three days later, the client returned to inform her that she had

received the letter. “She was very happy and appreciative of our services,” Ms. Kadeka recalls.

A recent survey revealed that customer satisfaction levels at the KMTCC rose by 1.4%, reaching an impressive 83.3%, marking one of the highest scores in the College’s history. Additionally, the service turnaround time saw improvement, reducing to 15 minutes from the previous 16 minutes, with only 26 instances exceeding this benchmark. The study which surveyed nearly 6,500 clients who utilized College services, was conducted in the first half of the 2023-2024 financial year.

Ms. Kadeka is a Public Service Commission intern deployed to KMTCC.

KMTC'S COMMITMENT TO COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION

The College continues to demonstrate its dedication to community engagement and environmental conservation through a series of impactful Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activities across its campuses.

Celebrating International Women's Day at Kisii Women's Prison



Kisii Campus Dean of students Ms. Susan Nyachae, staff, students and Prison officers during the International Women's Day celebrations.

On March 8, 2024, Kisii Campus marked International Women's Day with a heartfelt event at Kisii Women's Prison. Staff and students engaged in uplifting conversations and shared inspirational stories with the inmates. The celebration included cutting a cake to honor the women in prison, highlighting the importance of supporting and empowering women, especially those in challenging circumstances.

Commemorating World Tuberculosis Day in Murang'a



Health CS Nakhumicha S. Wafula during the World Tuberculosis Day celebrations in Murang'a County.

On March 25, 2024, KMTC joined forces with the Ministry of Health and the international community to observe National Tuberculosis Day at the Kimorori-Ke-nol grounds in Murang'a County. Health CS Nakhumicha S. Wafula emphasized the importance of collective action in combating TB, which remains a significant

challenge in resource-constrained settings. Murang'a Campus played a pivotal role by mobilizing students and faculty to contribute to the event, including organizing a play centered around the day's theme. The initiative aimed to raise awareness about TB risk factors, symptoms, and preventive measures among community members.

As the world grapples with ongoing health challenges, Kenya's dedication to combating Tuberculosis demonstrates the nation's resolve to safeguard public health and promote well-being for all its citizens.

Also in attendance were Health PS Mary Muthoni, Murang'a County Governor Hon. Irungu Kang'ata, USAID Mission Director David Gosney, WHO Country Representative Dr. Diallo Abdourahmane, and Board Chairperson of Kenya Medical Supplies Agency Irungu Nyakera, among others.

Engaging in World Cancer Day at Mosoriot Campus



Participants during a procession to mark World Cancer Day.

On February 4, 2024, Mosoriot Campus actively participated in World Cancer Day, underscoring the importance of community engagement and healthcare advocacy in the fight against cancer. The event was graced by Nandi County Deputy Governor Dr. Yulitta Mitei, who highlighted the need to create awareness and support those affected by cancer. KMTC Mosoriot Principal Mr. Richard Kibet reaffirmed the College's dedication to training healthcare professionals to address prevalent health issues like cancer.

ENVIRONMENTAL CLEANUP AT KINANGOP CAMPUS



Kinangop Campus students and FM Dedan Kimathi Foundation in a joint clean-up exercise.

On February 17, 2024, Kinangop Campus joined hands with Dedan Kimathi Foundation, Egerton University Environmental Association, Green Heroes-Homa Bay, and other partners to conduct an environmental clean-up around the campus. The event saw massive support from students, staff, and the community, tackling litter and waste in various areas. Dedan Kimathi Foundation CEO Ms. Evelyn Kimathi urged the young generation to conserve the environment by campaigning against solid waste pollution and growing trees to reduce global

warming. KMTCC Kinangop Principal Mr. Peter Guchu expressed gratitude for the collaborative effort, emphasizing KMTCC's commitment to community service and environmental conservation.

These diverse activities across KMTCC campuses underscore the College's unwavering commitment to improving community health and well-being, fostering environmental stewardship, and nurturing partnerships that create lasting positive impacts.

Blood Donation Drive in Lamu

On January 11, 2024, Lamu Campus participated in



Lamu Campus students during a blood donation drive.

a blood donation drive as part of its CSR initiative to help save lives in the region. Staff and students actively contributed to the drive, enhancing the quality of healthcare services. Mr. Samuel Vidonyi, head of Lamu Blood Transfusion Satellite, praised the collaboration between KMTc Lamu and the Lamu Blood Bank, emphasizing the power of partnerships in addressing healthcare challenges. KMTc Lamu Principal Mr. Anthony Muthoka acknowledged that the donated blood would be used to treat patients across the region, alleviating healthcare disparities.

Tree Planting Initiatives Across Campuses

In a bold move towards environmental conservation



The CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch, staff, students and the Kenya Forest officers during a tree planting exercise at Kinale Forest.

and sustainability, the College led by the Board of Directors and Management has grown over 40,000 trees.

The recently launched KMTc Strategic Plan covering the period 2023-2028, has given weighty focus to sustainability efforts. Further, through the KMTc Performance Contract for this year, the College committed and has prioritized environmental sustainability which include the growing of 30 trees by each of staff. This commitment has also been extended to the over 62,000 students spread across the 84 Campuses countrywide.

The efforts are geared towards supporting of the Government agenda on environmental sustainability and growing of 15 billion trees by the year 2032.



KMTc Staff and Students during a medical camp (in collaboration with KUTRRH) in Ainabkoi Constituency, Uasin Gishu County.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS EDUCATION CONCLUDES MENTORSHIP PROGRAMME

The College recently wrapped up a 12-week virtual Mentorship programme, running from January to March 2024, aimed at supporting 57 newly employed lecturers who joined between October and December 2023.



Health Professions Education Students in a class session.

The programme, organized by the Department of Health Professions Education, focused on assisting the new lecturers in transitioning smoothly into their roles. Each participant was paired with an experienced faculty member who served as their mentor, providing personalized guidance and support.

The mentorship addressed various topics such as academic and extracurricular activities, student support, mental health, and work-life balance. These sessions involved the mentees, their mentors, and other stakeholders from the Academic department.

The first-ever session aligns with KMTc's strategic objective of skilling, reskilling, and retooling faculty, as outlined in the institution's 2023-2028 Strategic Plan.

During the concluding meeting held on April 5, 2024, the Deputy Director of Academics Dr. Nyawira Mwangi, urged the new lecturers to make meaningful contributions and fully engage in their roles.

Reflecting on their experiences, mentees expressed appreciation for the support received. Mr. Abraham Ochieng from the department of Medical Engineering (Kisii Campus) remarked, "I extend my deepest gratitude for the support and encouragement. The guidance has

instilled in me the confidence to embrace challenges, the resilience to overcome obstacles, and the vision to illuminate minds with the light of knowledge."

Salat Salah Sheikh, from the department of Clinical Medicine (Garissa Campus), shared, "I am now well-equipped to be part and parcel of this great family of KMTc, and my dream is to leave it better than I found it."

The successful completion of the Mentorship programme underlines KMTc's commitment to nurturing and empowering its faculty members for excellence in health-care education.



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Registered Nurses	12 Weeks, Online evening classes	KES 25,000 USD 200 for non - EAC citizens	3 rd June, 2024

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NCLEX-RN

Having launching its National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN) course in January 2024, two cohorts of students have undergone training.

This initiative has attracted international students, including several from Rwanda, Sudan, Libya and Egypt.

KMTC CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch highlighted the impact of this development on KMTC graduates.

“By offering the NCLEX-RN course locally, we are significantly reducing the financial burden on our students, who previously had to travel to South Africa or India to undertake this examination. This not only cuts the cost of travel and accommodation but also saves poor households money that can now be redirected towards other essential needs.”

RESEARCH

During the quarter under review, the College made significant strides in research and skill development. Sixteen research projects received funding, four studies were published, and five new research initiatives were launched.

Two staff members attended a workshop at Mbarara University of Science and Technology in Uganda from January 21 to 27, 2024.

This workshop aimed to enhance the institution’s ability to share research findings through digital storytelling. Additionally, KMTC hosted a hybrid event on data analysis at its Nairobi Campus, focusing on improving researchers’ proficiency in using SPSS and Microsoft Excel software.

VISION 2030 PROGRESS VALIDATION WORKSHOP

During the quarter under review, the College participated in a three-day validation workshop for the progress reports of the Vision 2030 programs and projects for the fiscal years 2021/2022 and 2022/2023 from February 26 to 28, 2024.

The workshop was convened by the Vision Delivery Secretariat (VDS) in Mombasa, and focused on reviewing progress in several flagship programs and projects, including the Social Health Protection Program, Medical Tourism Program, Health Infrastructure Program, Community High Impact Interventions Project, Digital Health Program, Human Resource for Health Program, and Quality of Care/Patients and Health Workers Safety Program.

The event offered the College a unique opportunity to present progress reports on the Health Infrastructure Program and the Human Resource for Health Program, thereby, demonstrating its continuous efforts to advance healthcare training in Kenya and beyond.

GARISSA CAMPUS

INTRODUCES ARABIC LANGUAGE - BOOSTS GLOBAL HEALTHCARE COMPETENCE

In alignment with H.E. President Dr. William Ruto's initiative to export labor globally, Garissa Campus, with the support of Garissa Township MP Hon. Major Dekow Barrow, on February 9, 2024, launched a basic Arabic language curriculum.



Garissa Township MP Hon. Dekow Barrow (5th left) with a section of students during the launch of the Arabic Language at KMTc Garissa.

This introduction of the Arabic language training signifies a major achievement for the Campus, positioning it among the select institutions in the country offering formal instruction in Arabic for Health professionals. The primary objective is to provide graduates with enhanced linguistic skills, nurturing improved communication and understanding across diverse communities.

Hon. Barrow emphasized the competitive advantage this addition brings to students in securing international employment opportunities. KMTc Garissa Principal, Ms. Habiba Ibrahim, hailed Hon. Barrow's support and underscored the language's significance in catering to community needs. As the program takes root, it promises to enrich students' academic experiences and foster intercultural understanding both regionally and globally.

On November 9, 2023, the College launched its five-year Strategic Plan alongside the foreign language curricula for Arabic, significant in producing a workforce that is prepared, competitive, and ready to take up international employment opportunities.

GATUNDU CAMPUS

ENRICHES LIBRARY: AMREF'S GENEROUS BOOK DONATION

In a significant step towards enhancing educational resources, Gatundu Campus received a substantial book donation from the African Medical and Research Foundation (AMREF) on February 20, 2024.



Gatundu Campus students after receiving books donated by AMREF

Through the office of Resource Mobilization, KMTc Gatundu requested for books to aid in the teaching and learning of students which was granted and AMREF donated books worth Kshs. 1.8million in support of this course.

Speaking at the event, KMTc Gatundu Principal Mr. Jonah Sigei underscored that the donation will not only expand the College's library resources but also strengthen its commitment to providing quality education in healthcare.

Present at the event were the AMREF Registrar Mr. Timothy Sato and Deputy Librarian Ms. Penina Musingi, who recognized the collaboration as an invaluable contribution towards fostering knowledge and excellence within the healthcare education sector.

The book donation represents a shared vision of empowering future healthcare professionals with the tools and resources they need to succeed. The College looks forward to leveraging these new resources to enrich the academic experience and inspire continuous learning and innovation in the healthcare field.

AWENDO CAMPUS

EMPOWERS STUDENTS: NG-CDF BURSARIES

On March 15, 2024, Awendo Campus joined the Awendo National Government Constituency Development Fund (NG-CDF) in a bursary disbursement gala held at the constituency hall.



A section of KMTc Awendo campus

The event brought in key stakeholders from the region including the area MP Hon. Walter Owino, NG-CDF staff, secondary school principals, parents, and students from the constituency to allocate financial support aimed at advancing educational opportunities.

A total of 50 deserving KMTc Awendo students were awarded a total of Kshs. 2.5million in bursaries for the academic year 2023/2024.

Each student received Kshs. 50,000, a substantial contribution towards their educational expenses. This financial support eases the burden of tuition fees and related costs.

“The NG-CDF bursary disbursement exemplifies the strength of collaborative governance in promoting educational equity. By partnering with educational institutions, the constituency leadership is committed to investing in human capital development and nurturing future professionals who will contribute to the well-being of their communities,” said Hon. Owino.

As the College continues to partner with the National and County Governments to provide financial aid to needy KMTc students, the focus remains on sustaining and expanding educational opportunities for aspiring healthcare professionals.

MATHARI CAMPUS

BREAKS BARRIERS: HEALTH COUNSELING PRACTICUM

Embarking on a transformative journey on March 5, 2024, Mathari Campus’s Diploma in Health Counseling students ventured into a pioneering practicum at the Magereza House within the prison department. This initiative reflects the College’s commitment to holistic education and highlights the impact of health counseling within correctional facilities.



A section of Mathari Campus students during a briefing session at Magereza House.

The decision to initiate a practicum within the prison department is significant for it presents an opportunity for students to gain firsthand experience in a unique setting, addressing the health and wellness needs of individuals in challenging situations.

Director of Prisons Mr. Dixon Mwakazi encouraged students to approach interactions with cultural humility and sensitivity, recognizing the diverse backgrounds and experiences of incarcerated individuals.

Speaking during the meeting, KMTc Mathari Deputy Principal Dr. Catherine Kaleli underscored that the College is committed to ensuring students get the best training that is competent both regionally and globally. She urged the students to learn and understand the prison dynamics to avoid misunderstandings. “Reflect on your biases and assumptions. Self-awareness is critical when working in challenging environments.

Maintain professionalism at all times, regardless of the situation. Seek supervision and support when needed,” she said.

By embracing this opportunity, KMTc students are enhancing their professional competencies and contrib-

uting to the well-being of all populations. This journey underscores the immense potential for positive change when education meets empathy within the corridors of correctional facilities.

KITUI CAMPUS INSPIRES FUTURE SCHOLARS: ACADEMIC TOUR

On March 8, 2024, Kitui Campus hosted a total of 44 form-one students from Hon. Charles Nyamai Secondary School for an academic and career tour.



A section of Charles Nyamai Secondary School students during a visit to Kitui Campus.

The team was led by Mr. Timothy Opili, a respected Career and Academics Master. The sole purpose of this insightful tour was to expose students to the world of higher education and potential career avenues, providing them with a practical understanding of academic pursuits.

Students visited various campus facilities, gaining practical insights into academic pursuits.

Speaking during the visit, Mr. Opili, expressed his gratitude to KMTc for the warm welcome. He emphasized the importance of exposing students to diverse career options early in their academic journey, enabling them to make informed decisions about their future.

For the students of Charles Nyamai Secondary School, the visit to the Campus was not just an educational outing but a significant moment in shaping their future aspirations.

MAKUENI CAMPUS

GAINS SUPPORT: GOVERNOR'S PLEDGE FOR DEVELOPMENT

On March 7, 2024, Makueni Campus held a significant meeting with the Governor of Makueni County, Sen. Mutula Kilonzo Junior who pledged his support towards the Campus's development initiatives.



Makueni County Governor Sen. Mutula Kilonzo (center), Principal Makueni Campus Ms. Mary Kioko (left) during a visit to the Governor's office.

During the meeting, the Governor expressed his recognition of the crucial role the KMTc plays in training healthcare professionals in the country. He highlighted the importance of empowering local institutions to enhance healthcare services and meet the growing demand for skilled medical personnel in the region. The Governor's commitment to supporting the Campus's growth aligns with broader efforts to strengthen healthcare infrastructure across the county.

The positive outcome of this meeting underscores the value of collaboration between educational institutions and local government authorities. The Campus aims to elevate its academic standards, and expand its capacity to accommodate more students while embracing innovation in delivering medical training.

TESO CAMPUS:

PIONEERING PROGRESS IN HEALTH EDUCATION

On March 15, 2024, Awendo Campus joined the Awendo National Government Constituency Development Fund (NG-CDF) in a bursary disbursement gala held at the constituency hall.



Teso North MP Hon. Oku Kaunya (right) and the Principal Teso Campus Mr. Daniel Kurui (left) during the ground breaking ceremony.

In a series of unforgettable events on March 18, 2024, Teso Campus embarked on groundbreaking strides toward infrastructural development and student financial support. The groundbreaking ceremony for a multi-million tuition block, graced by area MP Hon. Oku Kaunya, marked a significant milestone in the campus's history. Hon. Kaunya praised the Campus's impact on the community and pledged continued support for its endeavors. Additionally, the Campus received Kshs. 5.3 million in scholarships from the NG-CDF, easing the financial burden for deserving students. The Campus Principal, Mr. Daniel Kurui, applauded the MP's contribution and reaffirmed the Campus's commitment to accessible medical training.

AFTER THREE UNSUCCESSFUL APPLICATIONS, I FINALLY LANDED A CHANCE AT KMTC

A new book, a new chapter!

My alarm went off at exactly 5:30 am. I jumped out of bed my heart racing with anticipation.

Today is the day I have been eagerly waiting for, the day that held the promise of new beginnings and boundless possibilities. It is Tuesday, March 26, 2024.



Ms. Bridgit Nga'ng'a.

My name is Bridget Nga'ng'a and this is my story.

In mid-March, I received a message from the Kenya Universities and Colleges Central Placement Service (KUCCPS) that really shocked me.

After three consecutive attempts, I was finally offered a chance to join the prestigious Kenya Medical Training College to pursue a course in Diploma in Occupational Therapy.

I was in disbelief; hope had been reignited.

Many of you will wonder why I never gave up on my second or maybe third attempt, let me tell you this, I almost did, but I was not ready to let go.

The thought of attending another institution did not sit well with me. It wasn't just a matter of reputation or prestige; it was a matter of trust.

KMTC was more than just a College to me; it was where I hoped to build my future.

As I made my way through the gates of KMTC Nairobi Campus, I was a little bit nervous, tensed, and excited at the same time.

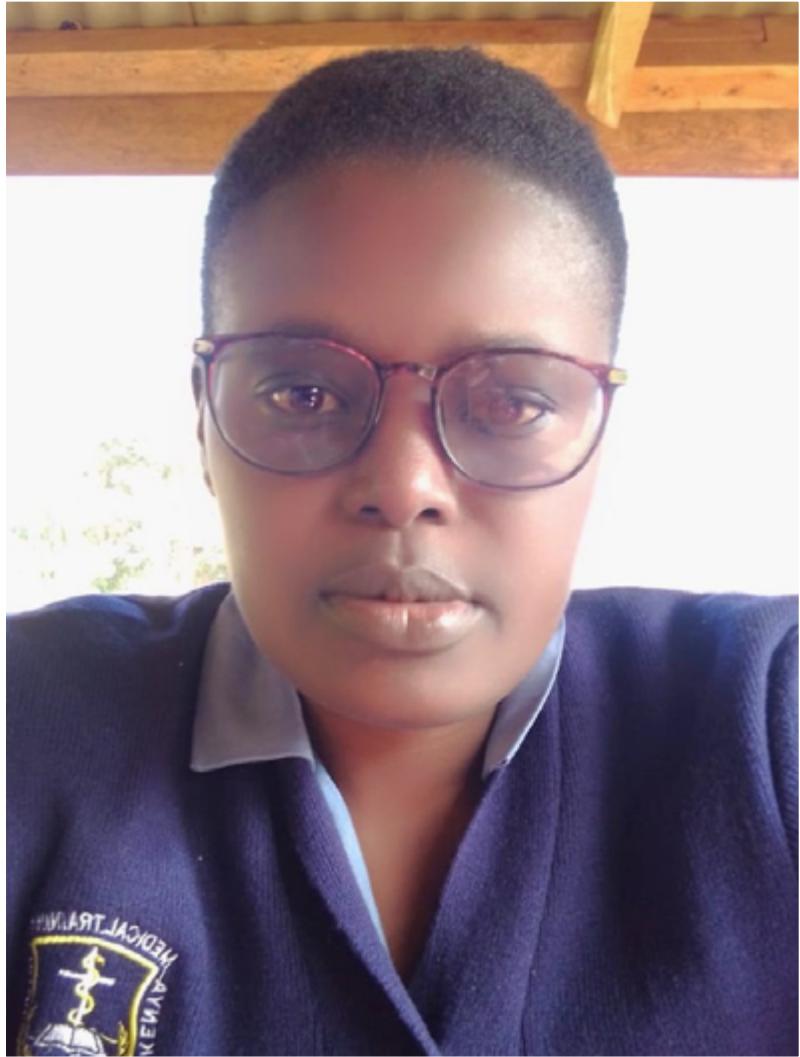
There was a sense of intense gratitude for the opportunity that lay before me. Here I was, within the corridors of my dream College, eagerly waiting to acquire the skills and knowledge I needed to become an Occupational Therapist.

This was more than just a step in my personal and professional growth; it was the beginning of a journey that would shape my life.

HONESTY EXEMPLIFIED: REHEMA ANYANGO'S INSPIRING JOURNEY AT KMTC

Rehema Anyango, a Nursing student at Bomet Campus exemplifies honesty.

On Sunday, January 14, 2024, during a spiritual moment at a Christian Union fellowship, she turned off her phone to avoid distractions.



Ms. Rehema Anyango – Bomet Campus student.

Upon switching it on after the service, she discovered a surprising M-PESA deposit of Kshs. 32,000 from an unfamiliar number. Perplexed by the unexpected windfall, the third-born in a family of six took action. She purchased Kshs. 10 worth of airtime to call the mysterious sender, only to find that the number was switched off.

Shortly after, Safaricom contacted her, explaining that the money was mistakenly sent to her. Fol-

lowing their guidance, Anyango, whose studies are sponsored by a well-wisher, agreed to reverse the money.

In an interview, she revealed that her inspiration to return the money stemmed from facing economic challenges after losing her mother in class seven. “I have gone through a lot of economic challenges and could not imagine the pain the owner would have felt if I used the money,” she narrates.

According to Anyango, her training at KMTCC has shaped her to embrace honesty, especially in the healthcare field where integrity is paramount, as patients entrust their lives to healthcare professionals. She advises young people, urging them to prioritize honesty as a key factor in their journey to greatness.



A section of KMTC Kitui Staff at the Campus.



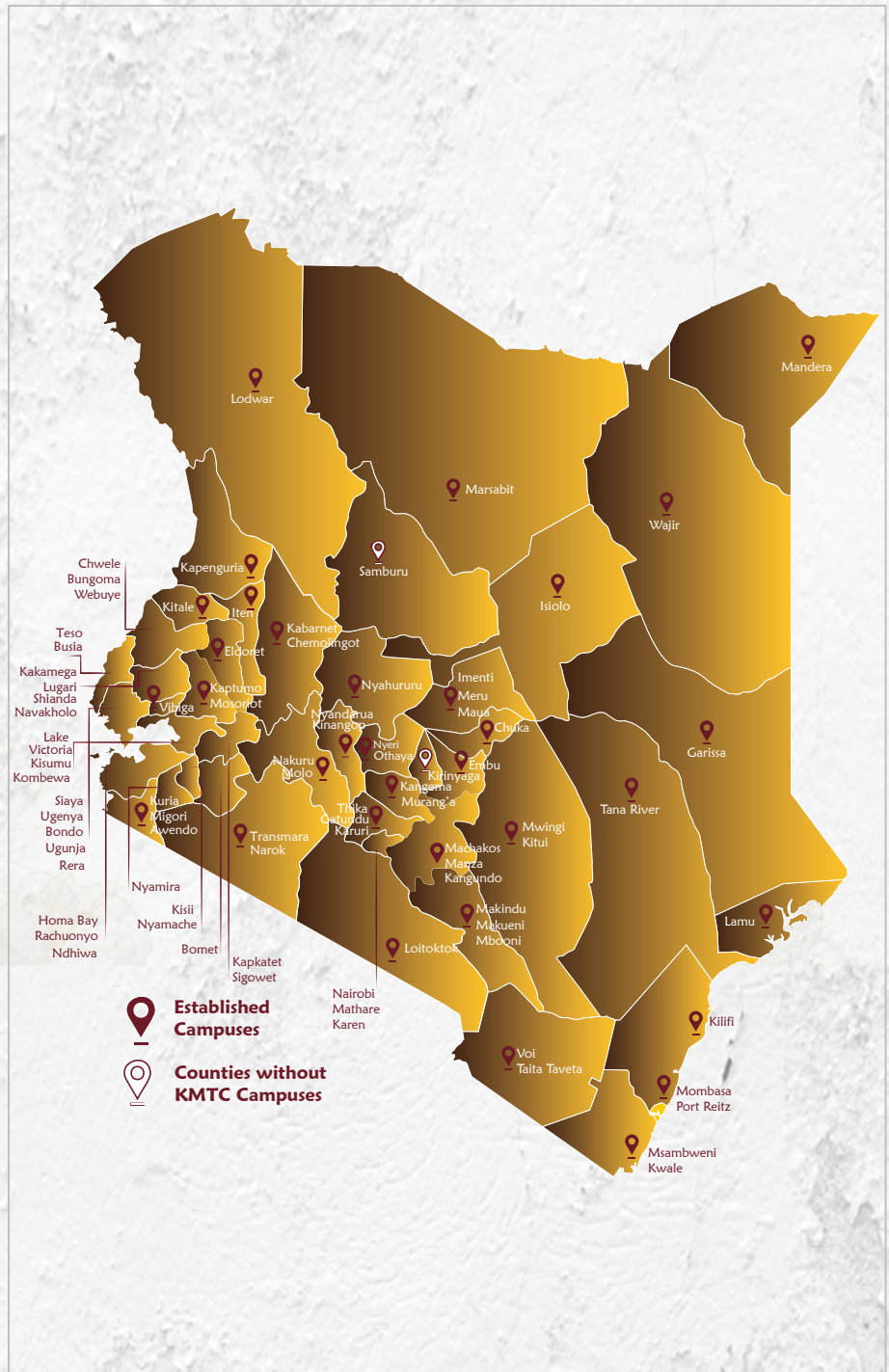
New students at Narok KMTC.



KMTC Nyeri staff after a team building session.

KMTC CAMPUSES ACROSS COUNTIES

S/No.	County	Campus
1.	Mombasa	1. Mombasa 2. Port Reitz
2.	Kwale	3. Kwale, 4. Msambweni
3.	Kilifi	5. Kilifi
4.	Tana River	6. Tana River
5.	Lamu	7. Lamu
6.	Taita/Taveta	8. Taveta 9. Voi
7.	Garissa	10. Garissa
8.	Wajir	11. Wajir
9.	Mandera	12. Mandera
10.	Marsabit	13. Marsabit
11.	Isiolo	14. Isiolo
12.	Meru	15. Meru 16. Maua 17. Imenti
13.	Tharaka Nithi	18. Chuka
14.	Embu	19. Embu
15.	Kitui	20. Kitui (Mutomo satellite) 21. Mwingi
16.	Machakos	22. Machakos 23. Manza 24. Kangundo
17.	Makueni	25. Makueni (Mbuvo and Mutyambua satellites) 26. Makindu 27. Mbooni
18.	Nyandarua	28. Nyandarua 29. Kinangop
19.	Nyeri	30. Nyeri 31. Othaya
20.	Murang'a	32. Murang'a 33. Kangema
21.	Kiambu	34. Thika 35. Karuri 36. Gatundu (Mutunguru satellite)
22.	Turkana	37. Lodwar
23.	West Pokot	38. Kapenguria
24.	Trans Nzoia	39. Kitale
25.	Uasin Gishu	40. Eldoret
26.	Elgeyo/Marakwet	41. Iten
27.	Nandi	42. Kaptumo 43. Mosoriot
28.	Baringo	44. Kabarnet 45. Chemolngot
29.	Laikipia	46. Nyahururu
30.	Nakuru	47. Nakuru 48. Molo
31.	Narok	49. Narok 50. Transmara
32.	Kajiado	51. Loitokitok
33.	Kericho	52. Kapkatet 53. Sigowet
34.	Bomet	54. Bomet



35.	Kakamega	55. Kakamega 56. Shianda 57. Navakholo 58. Lugari
36.	Vihiga	59. Vihiga
37.	Bungoma	60. Bungoma 61. Chwele 62. Webuye
38.	Busia	63. Busia 64. Teso
39.	Siaya	65. Siaya 66. Ugunja 67. Rera 68. Ugenya 69. Bondo (Masita satellite)

40.	Kisumu	70. Kisumu 71. Lake Victoria 72. Kombewa
41.	Homa Bay	73. Homa Bay 74. Ndhiwa 75. Rachuonyo
42.	Migori	76. Migori 77. Awendo 78. Kuria
43.	Kisii	79. Kisii 80. Nyamache
44.	Nyamira	81. Nyamira
45.	Nairobi	82. Nairobi 83. Karen 84. Mathari

Strategic Plan 2023 - 2028

Advancing health professions' education through transformative training, research & collaboration

Core Statements

Vision

A globally competitive institution for training Human Resource for Health

Mission

To develop fit-for-purpose middle-level health professionals through transformative training, research and consultancy

Motto

Training for Better Health

Core Values

Accountability

We will take responsibility for our roles, obligations and results, individually and collectively.

Integrity

We will strive to maintain the highest standards of moral conduct among our students and staff.

Responsiveness

We are committed to providing efficient service to our clients, partners and stakeholders, and to respond to emerging needs.

Equity

We are committed to fostering inclusion and fairness, and to removing barriers to participation by diverse individuals and groups.

Teamwork

We will support teams and collaborations to leverage their strengths and achieve our shared goals.

Professionalism

We are committed to providing services with the highest professional, quality and ethical standards.

Creativity & Innovation

We will embrace new ideas to fuel better services, processes and products, and to foster a culture of innovation

Alignment to Health and Development Agenda

B - Bottom-up
E - Economic
T - Transformation
A - Agenda
S - Sustainable
D - Development
G - Goals
U - Universal
H - Health
C - Coverage
E - East
A - Africa
C - Community
V - Vision 2050
A - Africa
U - Union
A - Agenda
2063

Operational Environment

SWOT

Rich history and brand, Extensive network of campuses, Large alumni base, Expanding international market, Demographic, Epidemiologic and technological transition

PESTEL

Changing market forces and sustainability (demand, supply, technology, fitness-for-purpose)

STAKEHOLDERS

Multiple levels of stakeholders (community, county, national, international)

COMPETITORS

Increasing competition for clinical placement sites

Key Result Areas

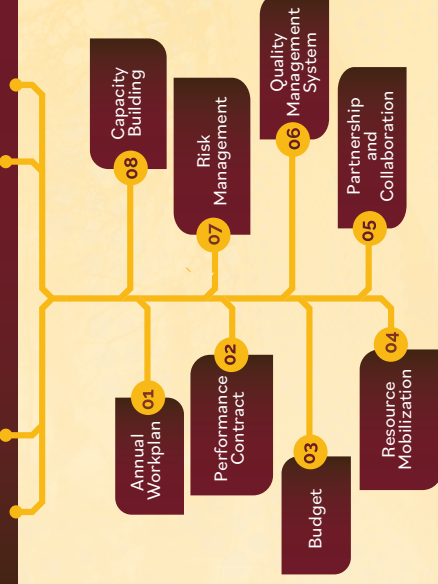
Quality Training

Research, Innovation and Consultancy

Digital Transformation

Institutional Sustainability

Implementation



Monitoring

- Strategic Plan Implementation Committee
- Quarterly and Annual reports
- Strategic theme teams
- Dashboard Indicators
- Outcome Matrix
- Sharing Learning

Evaluation



Mid - term



Ad hoc



End - term

KMTC PROGRAMMES

1. Clinical Medicine and Surgery	(Certificate, Diploma and Higher Diploma)
2. Community Oral Health	(Diploma)
3. Dental Technology	(Diploma)
4. Health Records and Information Technology	(Certificate and Diploma)
5. Health Promotion	(Certificate, Diploma and Higher Diploma)
6. Health Professions Education	(Higher Diploma)
7. Medical Engineering	(Certificate, Diploma and Higher Diploma)
8. Medical Imaging Sciences	(Diploma and Higher Diploma)
9. Medical Laboratory Sciences	(Diploma and Higher Diploma)
10. Nursing	(Certificate, Diploma and Higher Diploma)
11. Nutrition and Dietetics	(Certificate, Diploma and Higher Diploma)
12. Occupational Therapy	(Diploma and Higher Diploma)
13. Optometry	(Diploma and Higher Diploma)
14. Orthopaedic Technology	(Diploma and Higher Diploma)
15. Orthopaedic and Trauma Medicine	(Certificate, Diploma and Higher Diploma)
16. Pharmacy	(Diploma and Higher Diploma)
17. Physiotherapy	(Diploma and Higher Diploma)
18. Public Health	(Certificate, Diploma and Higher Diploma)

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