

AIDS Response

In February 2001, AIDS Response was established as a Grail Centre Trust programme with funding from international development agency Cordaid and MISSIO, the Catholic Church's mission support agency.

Our purpose is to improve service delivery in the HIV/AIDS sector by providing wellness support and capacity building programmes to health workers, caregivers and their organisations. We aim to build caring and nurturing communities through our two programmes:

Care for Caregivers (CFC) programme:

The CFC programme focuses on providing psycho-social support to HIV/AIDS organisations providing services across the prevention, treatment, care and support spectrum in the Western Cape, with expansion plans in place for the Eastern Cape, Northern Cape and Limpopo. We focus primarily on self-care workshops that provide participants with a safe space to share and learn new tools for stress-relief.

Linking, Learning & Lobbying (LLL) programme:

This programme is a dynamic and responsive platform for advocacy, mobilisation, research and policy development to improve carers' working conditions. We aim to ensure that carers are acknowledged and supported by an enabling environment and strive for the voices of carers to be heard, amplified and to directly impact on agendas and policies that affect them.

For more information please contact Aids Response on (021) 448 7228, or visit their website, www.aidsresponse.org.za.

Venue:

SACLA Project for Disabled Children

Corner Pama and Lwandle Rd

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Khayelitsha

Directions from Cape Town:

On the N2 to Khayelitsha, take the Mew Way turnoff. At the traffic lights, turn left into Lansdowne Road and then right into Bonga Drive.

Continue on Bonga Drive, pass the Pama Road/Bonga Drive intersection. Please note that Bonga Drive becomes Lwandle Road.

Continue on Lwandle Road until you come to the Methodist Church of Southern Africa, clearly marked at the four-way intersection. Here turn right and then turn right again at the green container.

At the end of the road you will see the yellow building, diagonally across the way, on the right. It is marked "SACLA Project for Disabled Children".