

UNIVERSITY OF NAMIBIA

WOMEN FEEDING CITIES

Title: Situation Analysis and Stakeholder Workshop on the Effects of COVID-19 on Women in the Informal Food Sector in Northern Namibia



Date: Thursday, 24 October 2024

Time: 08h30

Venue: Frank Kavishe Boardroom, JEDS Campus, Ongwediva

PROGRAMME

TIME	ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBLE PERSON
08h30 – 09h00	Registration	Dr Vonai Charamba
09h00 – 09h10	Welcome and Opening Remarks- Project PI	Prof Ndeyapo Nickanor
09h15 – 09h30	Introductions	Prof Ndeyapo Nickanor All participants
09h30 – 10H00	Presentation on the broader impacts of COVID-19 on informal economies, specifically highlighting potential effects on women in the food sector.	Dr Vonai Charamba
10H00 – 10H15	Interactions	Prof Ndeyapo Nickanor
10H15 – 10H45	Overview and scope of the Women Feeding Cities Project Overview of the workshop objectives and agenda, including Policy Briefs	Prof Ndeyapo Nickanor
10:45 – 11:05	TEA BREAK	
11h05 – 12h00	Situation analysis: Identifying Key Issues <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Break into small groups to discuss the potential health, economic, and social impacts of COVID-19 on women in the informal food sector.• Each group will identify and list key issues.	Prof Ndeyapo Nickanor

12h00 – 13h00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Groups share their identified issues with the larger group. • Open discussion to identify important policy, regulations governing issues identified 	
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14:00 – 14:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open discussion to identify important policy, regulations governing issues identified • Discussion on policy gaps 	Prof Ndeyapo Nickanor
14:30 – 15:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An interactive session to identify key stakeholders (government, NGOs, community leaders, etc.) involved in supporting women in the informal food sector. • Discuss their roles and contributions 	
15:30 – 15:40	Closing Remarks	
Closing of the Workshop		