

## UNITY FOUNDATION CAMEROON (UFC)

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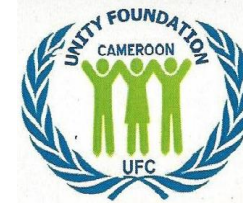
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### UNITY FOUNDATION CAMEROON REPORT, 2019

Unity Foundation Cameroon for the past years has remained more committed and focused in attaining its objectives. Its activities for 2018 and the first quarter of 2019 touched on Education and humanitarian action.

**On Education;** the Foundation trained over twenty (21) internally displaced people in its Computer Literacy Centre in Fonfuka. In its quest to promote professionalism and curb unemployment, the foundation provided full and partial scholarships to two (02) young Cameroonians, one at the Siantou University Institute, Yaoundé and the other at the Advanced School of Mass Communication (ASMAC), Yaoundé.

Shella Momo, graduate student professional Bachelor's Degree, Siantou University Institute Yaoundé, 2019 UFC Partial Scholarship beneficiary



**On Humanitarian Assistance to the Internally Displaced People (IDPS) and Detainees**, the organization has assisted one (01) family hosting 10 IDPs with food and basic needs in Yaoundé. The Foundation in September 2018 launched a project called *SAVE A LIFE*, where many detainees who could not afford food, medication and basic needs were assisted. Under this project, over 500 detainees have been assisted at the Yaoundé Central Prison, with six (6) critical cases that needed intensive medical attention. The concerned were; Thomas Awah Junior, serving an eleven (11) year jail term at the Yaoundé Central Prison; Ambe Louis, detained at the Yaoundé Central Prison; Dzekushu Protus and AJabe Felix who were all detained at the Yaounde Central Prison and are now both released, Ndengue John Marinus and Bezeng Malvine..



Awah Thomas, inmate, Kondengui Central Prison, beneficiary of UFC health assistance, Yaoundé Cameroon, September 2018



Dzekushu Protus, former inmate Yaounde Central Prison. Beneficiary of the UFC health assistance. 2018.



Before

After

Bezeng Malvine, inmate Yaounde Central Prison. Beneficiary of the UFC health assistance, 2019.

The cases mentioned above are just those that needed intensive and urgent medical attention by the time the Foundation was contacted. These do not include the routine purchase and supply of basic necessities to the prisoners in general, and drugs to sick and convalescing detainees in particular.

In line with the end-of-year festivities, Unity Foundation Cameroon in partnership with its partners donated foodstuffs to inmates of the Yaounde Central Prison, Bamenda and Douala on December 7, 2019 and later extended its largesse to the Buea Central Prison.



UFC Team on a food delivery mission at the Yaoundé Central Prison, December 2019

This project has, most of the times, been successfully executed thanks to the commitment of the members and volunteers of the Foundation. Nonetheless, UFC today benefits from the assistance of partners and donors such as the Committee to Protect Journalists (CPJ), Makongo Family and Charity (MAFAC), Cameroon Community in Berlin, Friends of Liberty in the United Kingdom, Society of Southern Cameroonians in Hampshire, Mezam Community in the US, and the Manyu Health and Humanitarian Services.

***“Save a life Project”*** is just one of many initiatives of Unity Foundation Cameroon aimed reaching out to the needy and serving humanity.

UFC is a non-profit organization founded in 2013, it envisions a transformed society through Peace building, humanitarian action, education, agriculture, culture, and sports. Their head quarter is in Fonfuka-Bum, Boyo Division of the North West Region of Cameroon.



UFC team on a food delivery mission to the Yaoundé Central Prison, Cameroon, January 2020

In Douala, Bamenda, Buea and Yaoundé Central prisons, the Foundation has been able to reach out to five hundred (500) inmates with food and basic needs thanks to the fruitful collaboration of its partners such as **the Committee to Protect Journalists (CPJ), the Makongo Family and Charity (MAFAC), the Friends of Liberty, UK, English Cameroonians in California and in Germany and many others.**