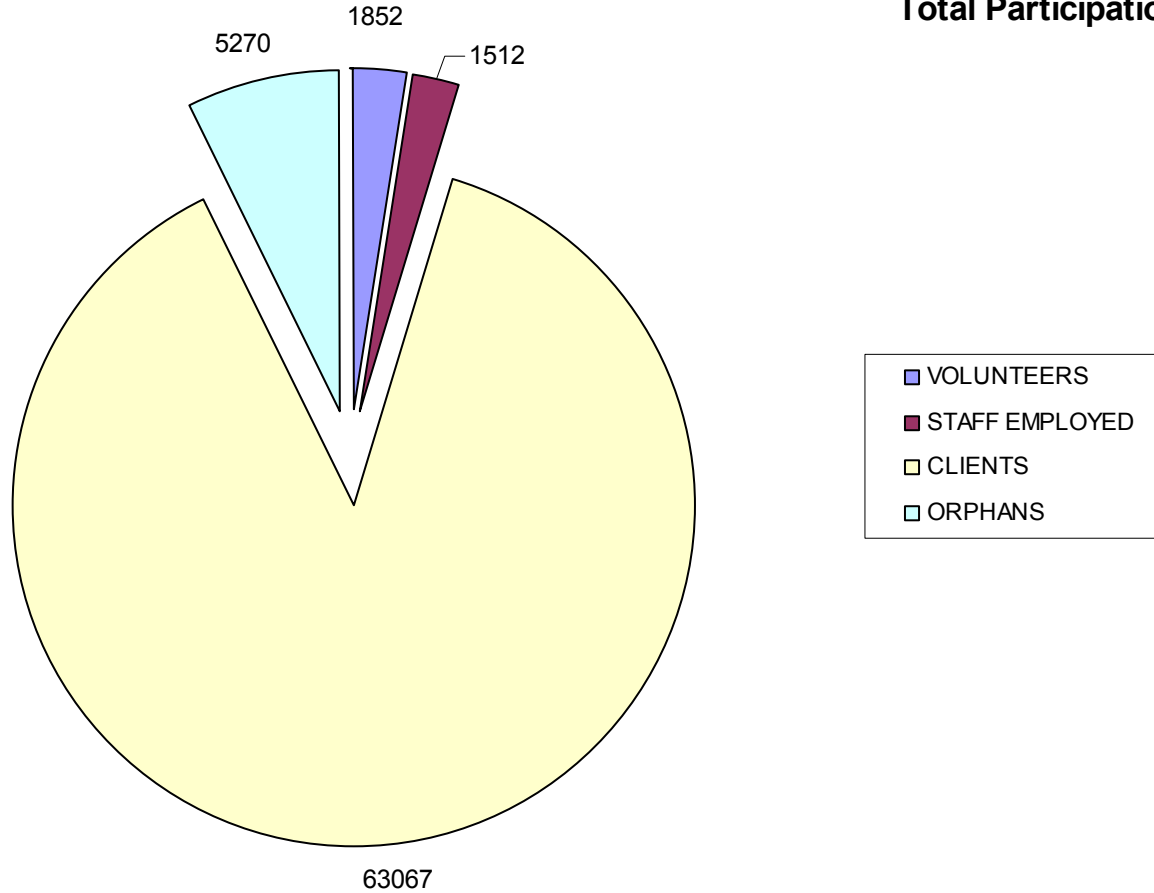


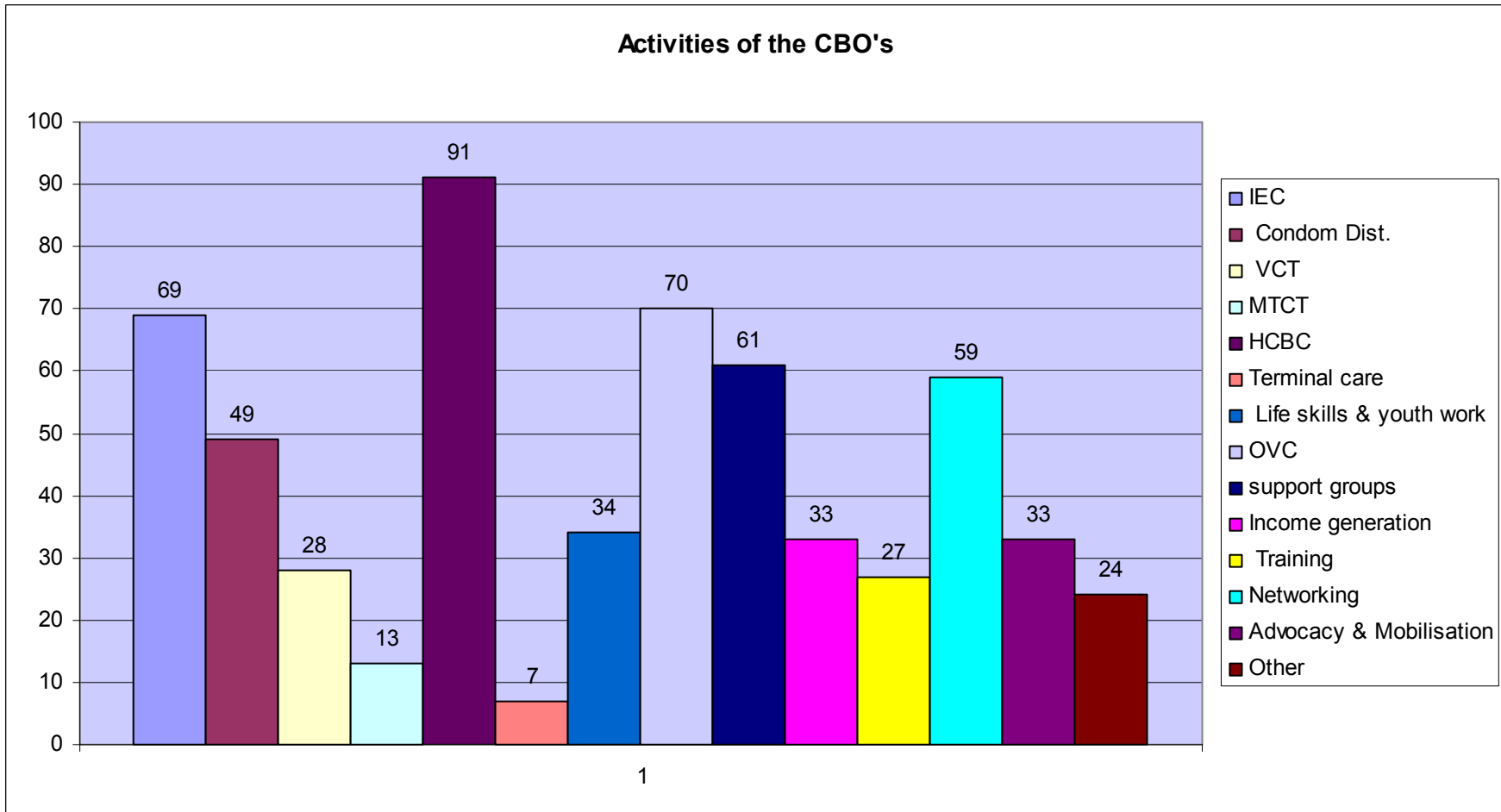
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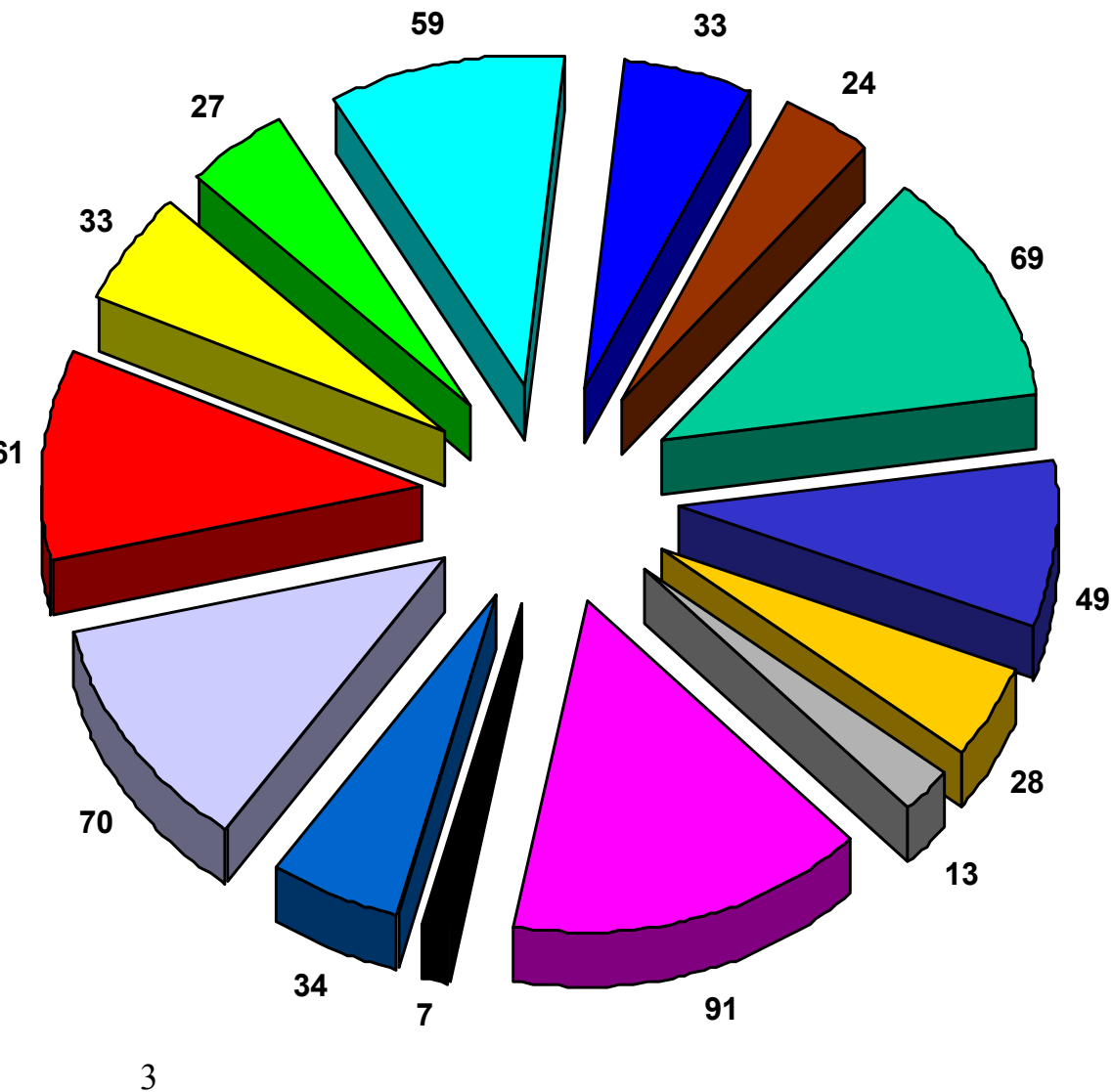


71 701 people

Core business of the mentored NGO's:



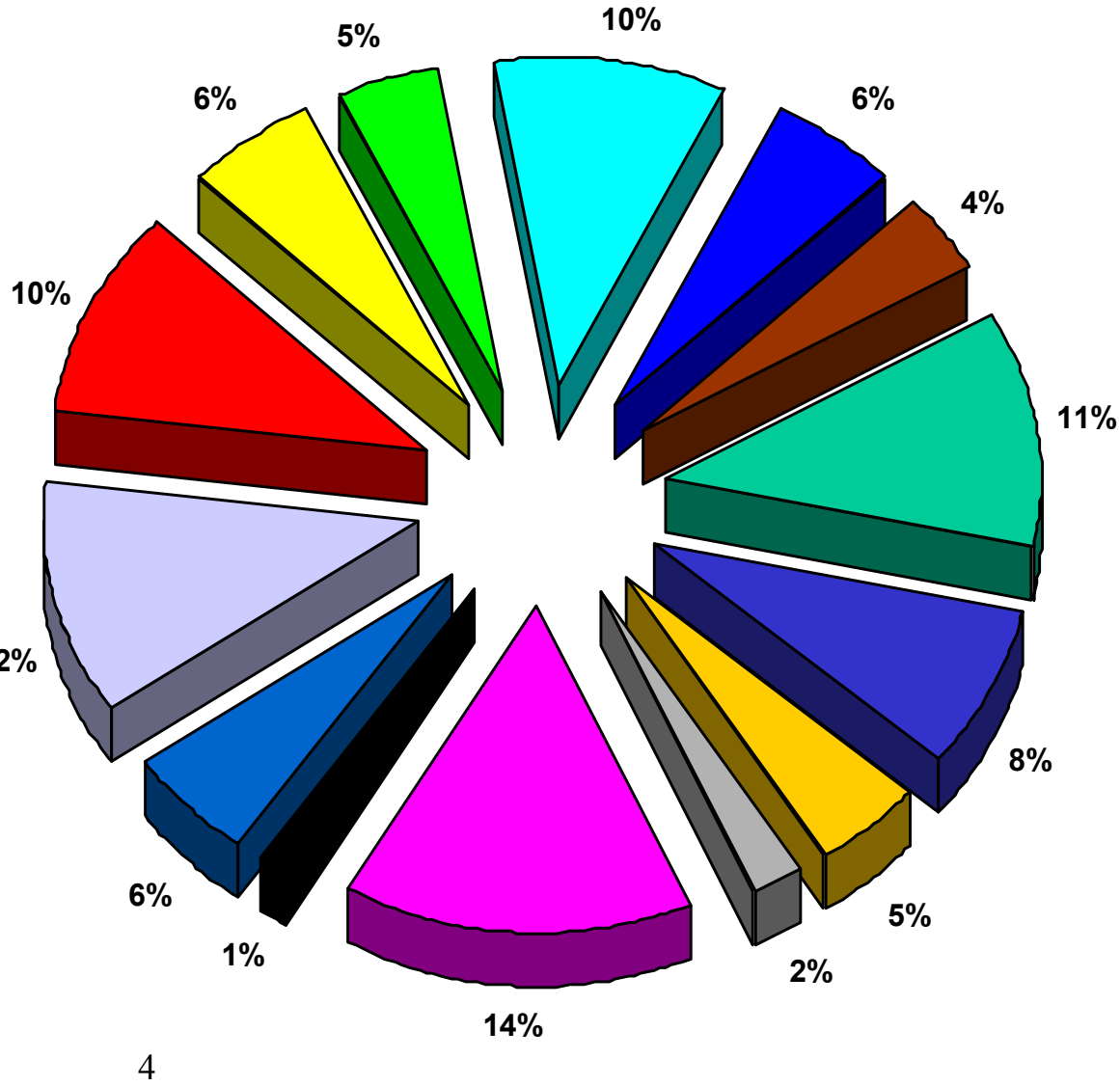
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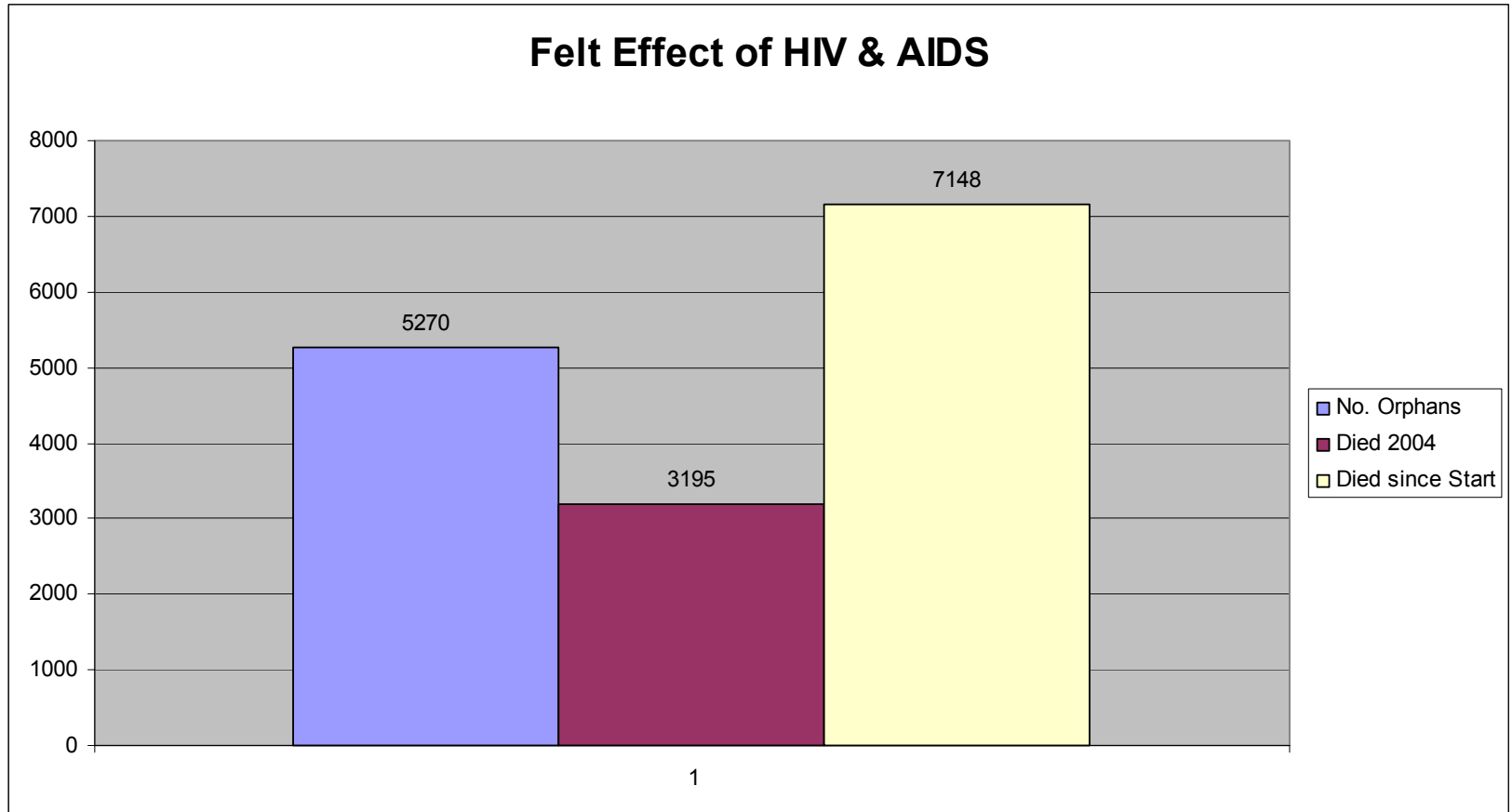
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Experienced Effects



How the MRN empowers NGO's

Getting an NGO started:

- Establishing an Organization
- Functional accountability structure
- Development of mission and constitution
- Registration as NPO
- SWOT analysis on existing organization
- Office and infrastructure

76 Of our 119 NGO's have obtained their NPO Numbers

Mentors have spent time with CBO's and their leadership, teaching them how to

Vision and Mission Statement...

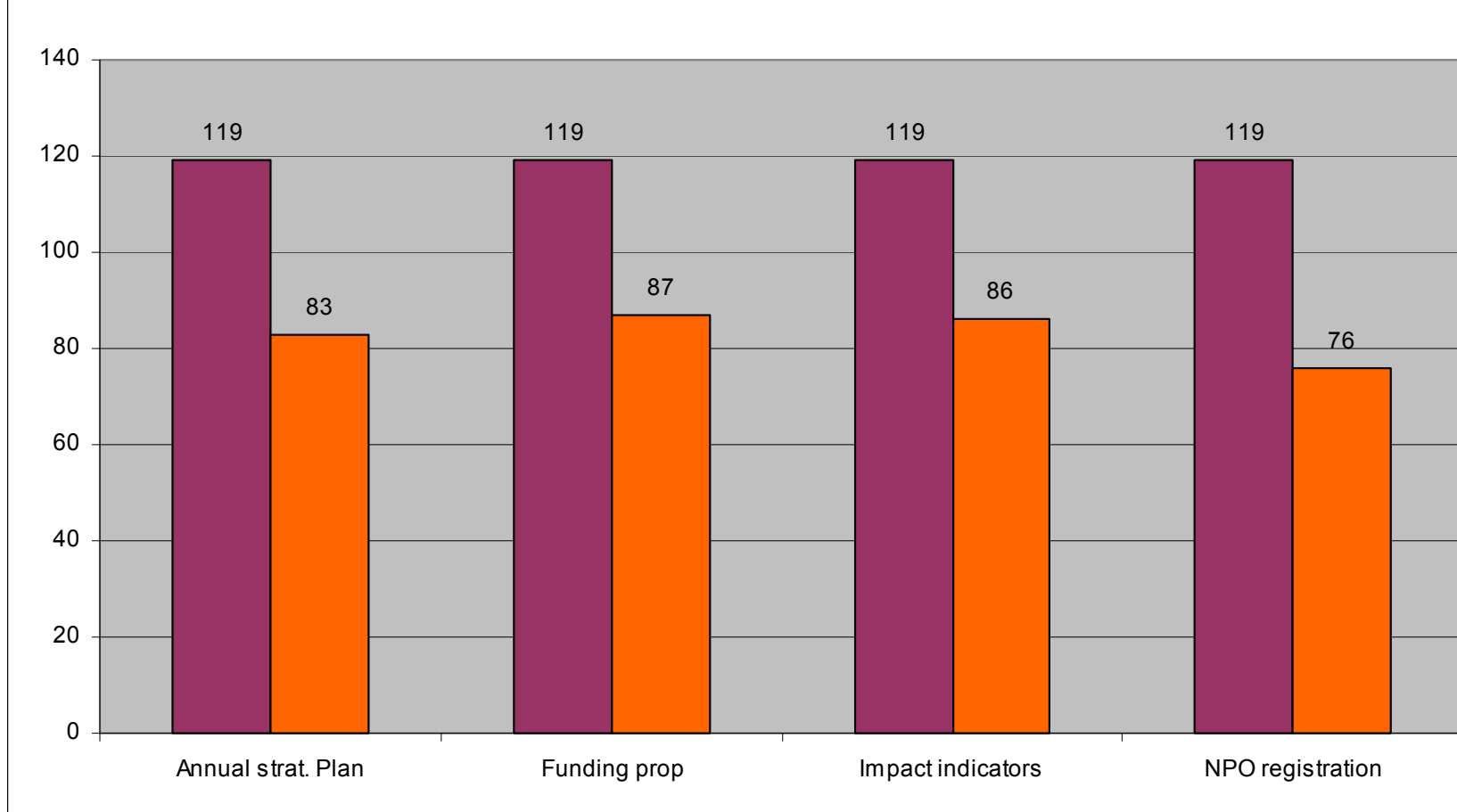
"The mentors advised us to review the Constitution so that we can understand it and adhere to it"

.. and about Constitutions, electing a Board, having regular minuted meetings.



How the MRN empowers NGO's

Making progress.



How the MRN empowers NGO's

Next:



THE PLAN: Development of business plans with

- Clear goals
- Objectives
- Activities and related budget

We have a 'Review of Strategic Plan' and 'Action Plan Development' Meeting every six months

Next: Securing Funds

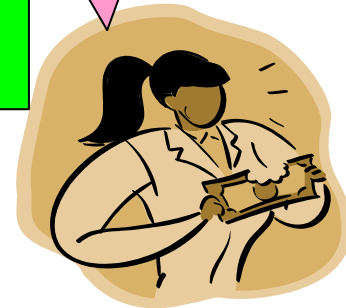
- Standardised funding proposal and guidelines
- Mentors train the Board how to write proposals and teach them what potential funders will be looking for

"The mentors have helped us elect the Board and rent offices by showing us Action plans – procedures – maps on how to get there"

A 'Developing the plan' Strategic Planning Workshop was given

Then: Reporting and Evaluation

- Emphasis is being placed on Standardized Reporting and this is being implemented

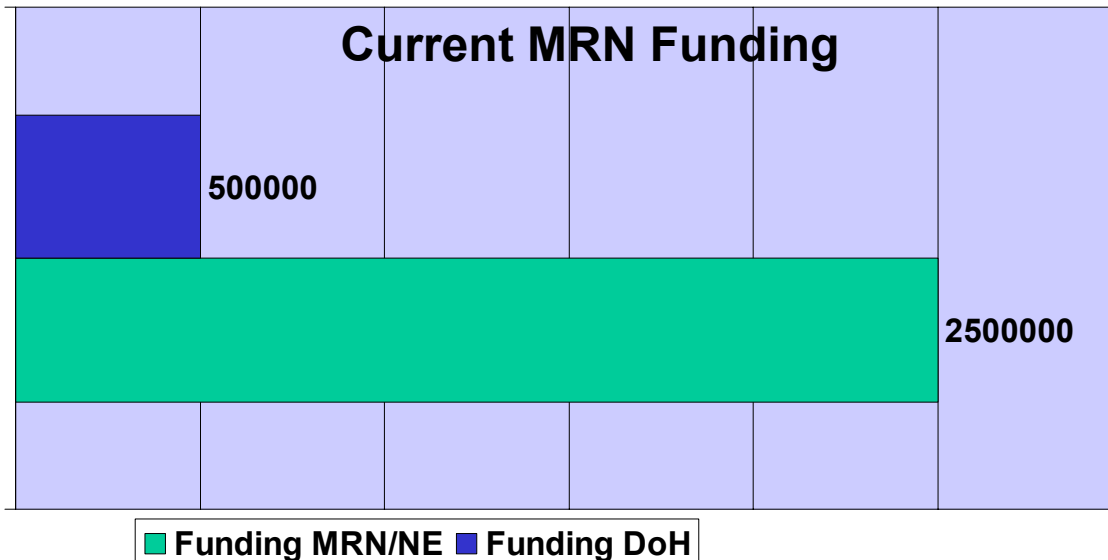


Funding

Securing funds:

Current funding scenario

Total of 115 NGO's & CBO's



<u>Funding</u>	<u>Number</u>
DoH	32
MRN: NE/DoH	14
Starfish	4
Churches	2
Own	13
Other Donors	20

How the MRN empowers NGO's

Project maintenance

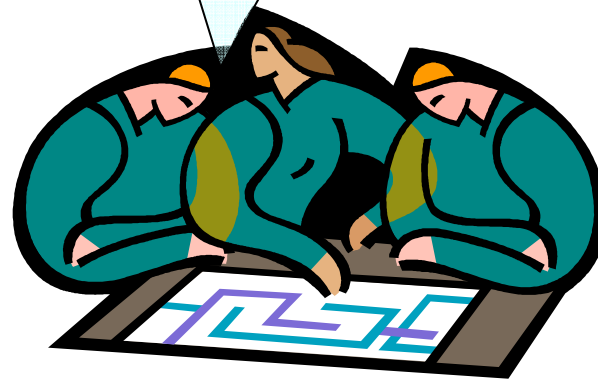
- Developing or enhancing programmes
- Financial and management system
- Control mechanisms and operation system development

Sound bookkeeping principles are taught and implemented. Afterwards there is an accountability procedure put in place which is closely monitored.

“Mentors have helped us open our own Bank account”

“Mentors have helped us meet the criteria for funding”

“Now we know how to develop our financial policy”



How the MRN empowers CBO's

Staff and HR:

- A programme of staff development is being implemented
- We introduce a basic volunteer contract which has been developed for NGO's



Getting connected:

- The bigger picture
- Developing partnership
- Promoting wider participation, involvement and support
- Peer learning



Evaluation:

- Implementing Evaluation and change
- This is a process that is being implemented and being introduced to MRN Members.
- Due to the close relationship enjoyed between the NGO and our Mentors, evaluations are an ongoing experience which produces both accountability and professionalism

“The Community is using the facility now that they know more about the services we offer”

“Now we are gaining recognition from our Municipalities”

