

NEWSLETTER

JAN TO JUNE 2026

Economic Empowerment

CCERESAV participated in the Network for Active Citizens (NAC) CSO Market, showcasing handmade crafts produced by survivors of acid and burns violence. The event promoted survivor-led entrepreneurship and raised awareness about our work. We generated approximately USD 50 in sales, with proceeds supporting survivors' economic empowerment and sustainable livelihoods.



Advocacy and Legal Aid

CCERESAV continued to advocate for justice and comprehensive support for survivor Lillian following the violent attack against her. Through consistent legal follow-up and survivor-centered advocacy, the perpetrator was convicted and sentenced to 20 years in prison, marking an important step toward accountability. Meanwhile, CERESAV continues to support Lillian as she receives specialized treatment at Kiruddu National Referral Hospital, ensuring she has access to medical care, psychosocial support, and ongoing legal assistance throughout her recovery.



Thank you



Thank you to our partners, donors, volunteers, and supporters. Your generosity continues to restore hope, transform lives, and empower survivors every day.

We remain committed to ensure acid attack survivors heal, thrive and live dignified lives!

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Community Awareness

CCERESAV joined Women Love Initiative (WOLI) and SYRADO to commemorate Menstrual Hygiene Day through the Poverty Free Period campaign. The community awareness event promoted menstrual health, dignity, and access to sanitary products while engaging women, girls, and community members in conversations to break stigma and advance menstrual equity for all. Find more on this [link](#)

Education Fund

Through the CERESAV Education Fund, we successfully paid first and second term school fees for 19 children of survivors of acid and burns violence. This support has enabled the children to remain in school without interruption, easing the financial burden on their families. Survivors have expressed heartfelt gratitude for this life-changing assistance, sharing renewed hope for their children's brighter futures. CERESAV remains committed to ensuring that every child has the opportunity to learn, grow, and achieve their full potential despite the challenges their families have faced.



New Acid Attack Cases

Since the beginning of the year, CERESAV has documented and responded to five new acid attack cases, providing emergency referrals, psychosocial support, legal assistance, and advocacy for survivors and their families. Tragically, one survivor lost their life due to the severity of the burns sustained. These incidents underscore the urgent need for stronger prevention efforts, survivor protection, and access to timely medical care. CERESAV remains committed to supporting survivors, pursuing justice, and advocating for an end to acid and burns violence in Uganda.

