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What is ALDI International?

ALDI is a non-profit nongovernmental Organization for independent development **agreed by the Ministerial Order No 56/CAB/MIN/J/2009 of 25 June 2009 granting Legal Status** to the non-sectarian and non-profit Association called « ASSOCIATION LOCALE POUR LE DEVELOPPEMENT INTEGRAL' abbreviated "A.L.D.I.", for the specific goal of development of communities and humanitarian assistance in case of disaster. Present in more than four provinces in DR Congo, **ALDI** is a known national NGO.

People That ALDI serves

ALDI recognize the individual's inherent dignity and is committed to improving the life quality of men, women and children.

ALDI provides services to anyone regardless of his ethnicity, political or religious affiliation. It simply assists those in need, especially the most vulnerable such as women, children and youth.

The Mission of ALDI

Reflect the effectiveness and efficiency through the development activities.

Actively support communities in need through a range of development activities planned and implemented in a spirit of collaboration.

Provide assistance in case of a disaster or a situation of a persistent necessity, to work in collaboration with those who are affected, to find long-term solutions.

Work through fair association, with those who are in need to achieve, within communities, a positive and lasting change.

Establish networks that develop the capacity of the local population, appropriate technology and skills at all levels.

Develop and maintain relationships with our partners and constituents that provide effective channels for mutual growth and action.

Development and Assistance

The work of **ALDI** is twofold: development and assistance. As an Organization of Development, ALDI is focused on sustainable development and the preparation and response to disaster. The organization responds to disasters that occur in Ituri in particular and the DR Congo generally.



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Teach the Congolese to fish

"Give a man a fish and you feed him for a day. Teach him to fish and you feed him for a lifetime. "

By operating according to this principle, **ALDI** use the majority of its resources for development.

95% of the work of ALDI is focused on development activities.

History of ALDI

The persistence of the socio-economic crisis in what is added today the Congolese political crisis is an extraordinary challenge for the development of the community. It is in response to this challenge that some members in consultation with the farmers thought to define a simple, practical and realistic strategies to be implemented for the harmonious and successful launch of the Democratic Republic of Congo, both economic and socio-cultural This in the way to find an

appropriate way to get out of the impasse of underdevelopment. Thus in April 1997 as a peasant group, the Local Association for the Integral Development abbreviated 'ALDI 'in French started in UDULEBA (near Mont Hoyo) in community Walese Vonkutu, in the Territory of Irumu, Ituri District, Oriental Province in the DRC.

In 1999, it will change to a non-governmental development organization with membership of other people. And the HQ will move to Bunia. We decided to create, in accordance with the Decree Law No. 196 of 29 January 1999 on the regulation of non-profit organizations and public institutions.

Relationship between ALDI with third-parties

ALDI works with those in need, regardless of their relationship to other structures. The overwhelming majority of served people are not only Iturians. The first orientation of **ALDI** is to meet

the immediate needs of individuals. Almost, these require physical, educational or economic interventions.

The portfolio of ALDI

ALDI is focused in 6 areas:

- The Food security
- The Socio Economic Development and Rehabilitation of Social Infrastructure
- Primary Health Care
- Preparation and Response to Disasters.
- Basic education
- Protection of Vulnerable

These six sectors included in ALDI portfolio may not be present in every province, but ALDI is moving according to the most critical needs for each province.

Food Security

Millions of people live without being sure that they will have their next meal. Often people simply need few resources - such as seeds, appropriate tools, and water - to become self-



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sufficient. The ALDI Food Security Projects in the field looking for solutions to food insecurity, poverty, and hunger.

The Food security program of ALDI include:

- Food for Development
 - Income generation
 - Agriculture
 - Basic Education
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- Irrigation system
 - Drinking Water Supply
 - Fight against food insecurity

Fight against food insecurity



Economic Development

Financial resources are often inaccessible to much of the population in the provinces of the DRC, particularly

women and the rural poor.

Recognizing the need in financial services in the provinces, **ALDI** implements economic development programs that support the operations of cooperatives among communities, provide opportunities for entrepreneurship and stimulate the local economy.

The work of ALDI in the economic development sector includes:

- Income products
- Non Traditional Agriculture
- Basic Education
- Micro-enterprise loan
- Instruction
- Vocational Training
- Environment
- Development of Small Business

Primary Health Care

ALDI is taking decisions, such as providing clean water and basic health education to change communities where few children die from preventable causes.

ALDI provides health services to communities by traditional birth attendants, midwives and village health volunteers, educating people about HIV / AIDS, and building health centers.

Primary Health Care



Fight disease and improve health ...

Disaster preparedness and response

ALDI responds to disasters with food, water, shelter, clothing, and hygiene kits. In addition to an immediate response, **ALDI** often lives in communities to help rebuild.

This may include road reconstruction through programs such as work HLI (High Intensity at Man power),



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installation of new and improved sources of water, or reconstruction of schools.

The preparedness and responses of **ALDI** to disaster includes:

- Food Assistance
- spontaneous returnees Services
- Emergency Sick-bay
- Protecting the vulnerable
- * Irrigation system ...



Basic Education

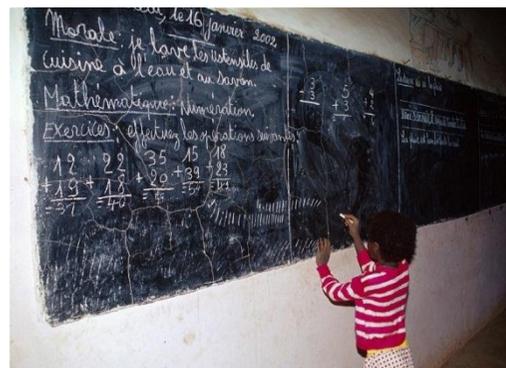
Because education gives people the power to break the cycle of poverty is therefore an integral component of **ALDI** projects.

ALDI uses primary education to change the lives of children. In addition, while women learn to read and write, they can also learn the basic practices of health and have the qualifications for small business.

The devotion of ALDI to basic education includes initiatives in:

- ♣ Adult education
- ♣ Primary and Secondary Education
- ♣ Basic Instruction and numeracy
- ♣ Study Program on Development Activities

Basic Education



Frequent Asked Questions

Why does ALDI not involved in politics?

ALDI is an apolitical organization, based on the view that ethnic groups are motivated by the love of neighbor. When we are out of love for neighbor to meet the physical and social needs of those who suffer, we show true love towards them.

ALDI does not engage in political activities. **ALDI** workers are doing their best to express their will in society through acts of compassion and acts of charity.

What does ALDI means?

By its acronym, "ALDI" is a Local Association for the Integral Development.

The values promoted by this organization are values recognized by the human right in the world, the inherent dignity in every person, and the importance of quality in the duration of human life. ALDI meets the needs regardless of affiliation or ethnicity of the individual, providing assistance to those who are in the need.