

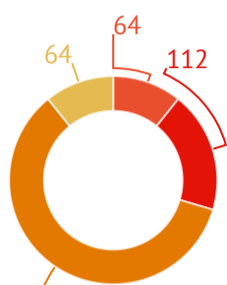
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COVID-19 Response Programme for ECD: Timeline

Early Childhood Development education has been severely disrupted by COVID-19 and the subsequent lockdown in South Africa
Currently ECD centres are closed

Throughout this time, Ubunye's Isisekelo (Education for Life) team in partnership with ECD Practitioners and Parent Body Members in Ngqushwa Municipality continue to provide food, education and care for the under 5s

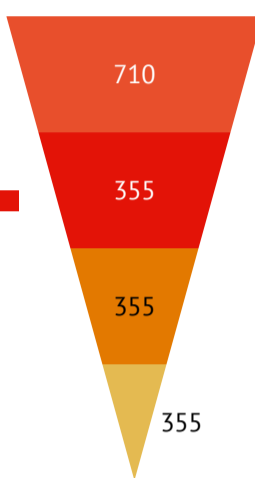
- ECD members receiving Information updates
- ECD members on WhatsApp group network
- Vulnerable children identified
- Children receiving weekly food supplies



March 2020

Focus - getting food supplies to children and accurate information to parents/carers through ECD practitioners
ECD Practitioners identified vulnerable children

Focus - continued food supply, fun-learn materials for vulnerable children and provision of PPE to families by ECD practitioners doing weekly visits to all their ECD learners



April 2020

- Households receiving Masks
- Children receiving weekly Fun-Learn materials
- Households receiving Sanitiser
- Children receiving Food Relief

- Children receiving Food Relief: 355
- Children receiving Fun-Learn Materials: 355
- ECD members receiving WhatsApp C-19 updates: 112



May 2020

Focus - continued provision of food relief, fun-learn materials, PPE by ECD practitioners to vulnerable children.
Creation of a WhatsApp COVID-19 information feed to ECD Practitioners

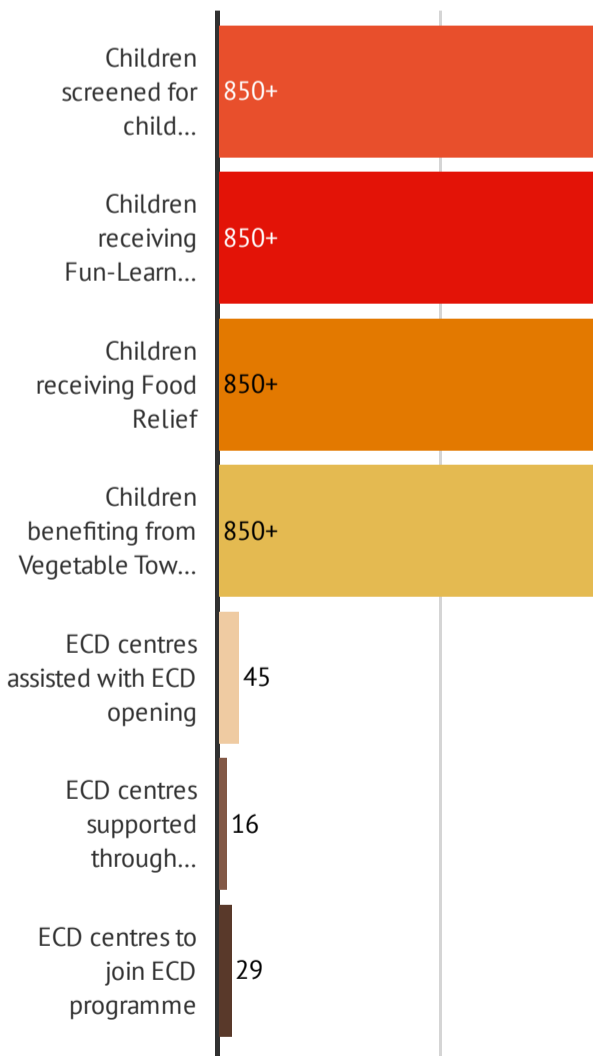
Focus - expanded food relief & fun-learn materials distribution to 850+ children at 45 ECD centres by ECD practitioners

Training began for Practitioners on monitoring for child abuse

Preparation began for vegetable tower gardens for enhanced food security

- Children receiving Food Relief
- Children receiving Fun-Learn Materials
- ECD staff receiving Child Protection screening training
- ECD centres preparing for Vegetable Tower Gardens

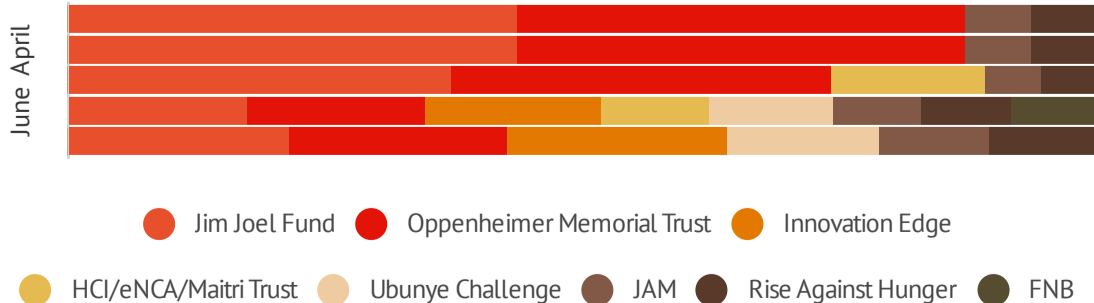
June 2020



July 2020

Plan:
to start child protection screens
to continue to distribute Fun-learn materials including iPads-learning
to ensure continued food relief to vulnerable children
to establish Vegetable Tower Gardens at 45 ECD centres
to Prepare ECD centres for opening
to return to ECD programme support through the Ukanyiso Fund mechanism
to expand the ECD programme to a further 29 Centres

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