



Nilla Jackson (Tanzania) DDS

Dr. Nila Jackson is a graduate holding a degree in Doctor of Dental Surgery (DDS) from Muhimbili university and full registered by Medical Council of Tanganyika. He is Tanzanian working in the northern Mara region. After his advanced level studies he joined dentistry at Muhimbili university in 2007 and finished studies in 2012. He did his internship at Muhimbili National Hospital in 2013 and then was employed at the Musoma Regional Referral Hospital in Mara Regional where he worked for 6 years and 6 months before dropping from public job to private sector as a self employed at Sibaba dental clinics in Mara region. The region have the fewest dental personnel (13 dental personnel in public and private dental clinics serving a total population of 2,391,845 people therefore patients travel (to and return) over 300km seeking for dental treatments). Dr. Nila is also a well known Dentist in Tanzania for conducting voluntary dental outreaches in collaboration with UK dental partners, Tanzania dental association and Colgate pulmotive company to reach out communities with no dental services. He has a trustworthy personal relationship character that enables him to work with multiple partners. Currently he is working in collaboration with Prof. Bedi Raman from global dental child fund and Bridge to Aid seeking for fund to implement END-IOM project in Tarime District - Mara. In 2018 Dr. Nila's voluntary spirit was recognized and was awarded a certificate of recognition from Tanzania Dental Association for supporting oral health in Tanzania.