



I believe that women, just like men, can be great leaders. I came to Coady to improve my leadership skills and gain more knowledge on how I can grow the organization which I just founded.

Maureen Luba

Program manager

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As the program manager I am responsible for:

- Overall project management
- Planning
- Providing strategic direction to the organisation
- Resource mobilization

I am also a current fellow for AVAC (www.avac.org/fellows) and I am implementing an advocacy project on HIV prevention for young women and girls in Malawi.

The Dream Program was founded by the Community of St Egidio in 2002 to control and mitigate the impact of HIV and AIDS and malnutrition in Sub-Saharan Africa where more than 80 per cent of HIV cases reside. Dream is currently working in 10 African countries. In Malawi, Dream has been operational since 2005 and is currently implementing six projects which mainly aim to prevent new HIV infections among children, while increasing access to quality treatment for people living with HIV.

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