Katete Zambia September 2018-March 2019

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Zambia

British colonisation 1888-1964

- 1964 Republic of Zambia was established
- Landlocked, surrounded by 7 countries
- Population 19 million
- Copper main export
- 30-70 languages / dialects
- 4-23% HIV prevalence depending on the region
- Education supposed to be free
- Katete villagers subsistence farmers main diet of N' shema (maize)



Katete **Eastern Province**

- Lies on the Great Eastern Road
- A major road junction Mozambique Road 50 km to Mozambique
- Population of Katete District approx 200,000
- St Francis Mission Hospital founded 1947
- Managed jointly by Anglican & Catholic Churches
- Overseas doctors minimum 6 month contracts

Why we were there

- Jon GP to work in Outpatients
- Gill Occupational Health Adviser to conduct research

Reality

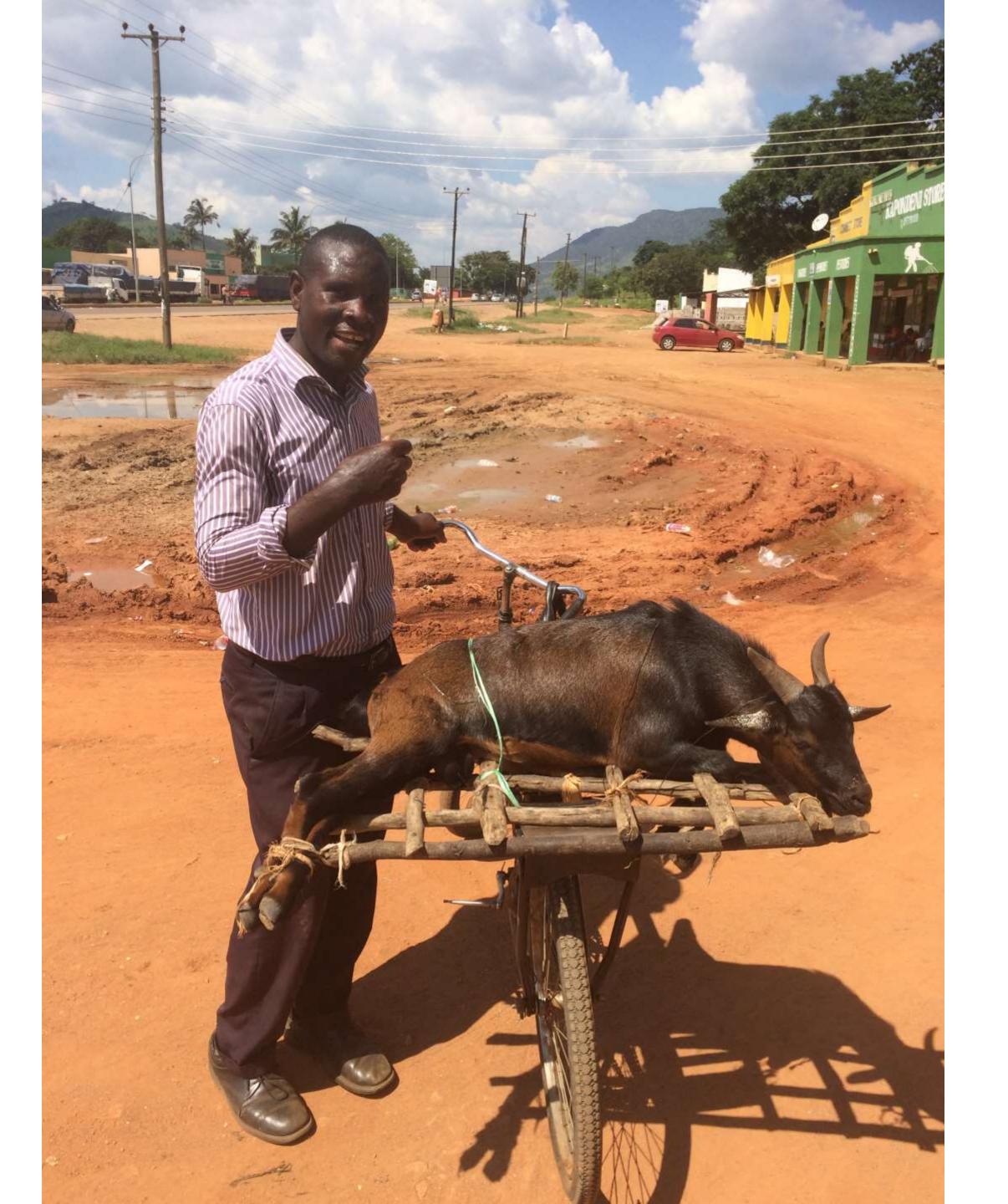
- Raised over £5,000
- Money spent in the villages & used to:
- Help women set up businesses
- Fund the construction of a drop toilet
- Making of washstands
- Helping individuals access healthcare in the hospital
- Funding some schooling for children
- The making of A4 size blackboards for children in the villages

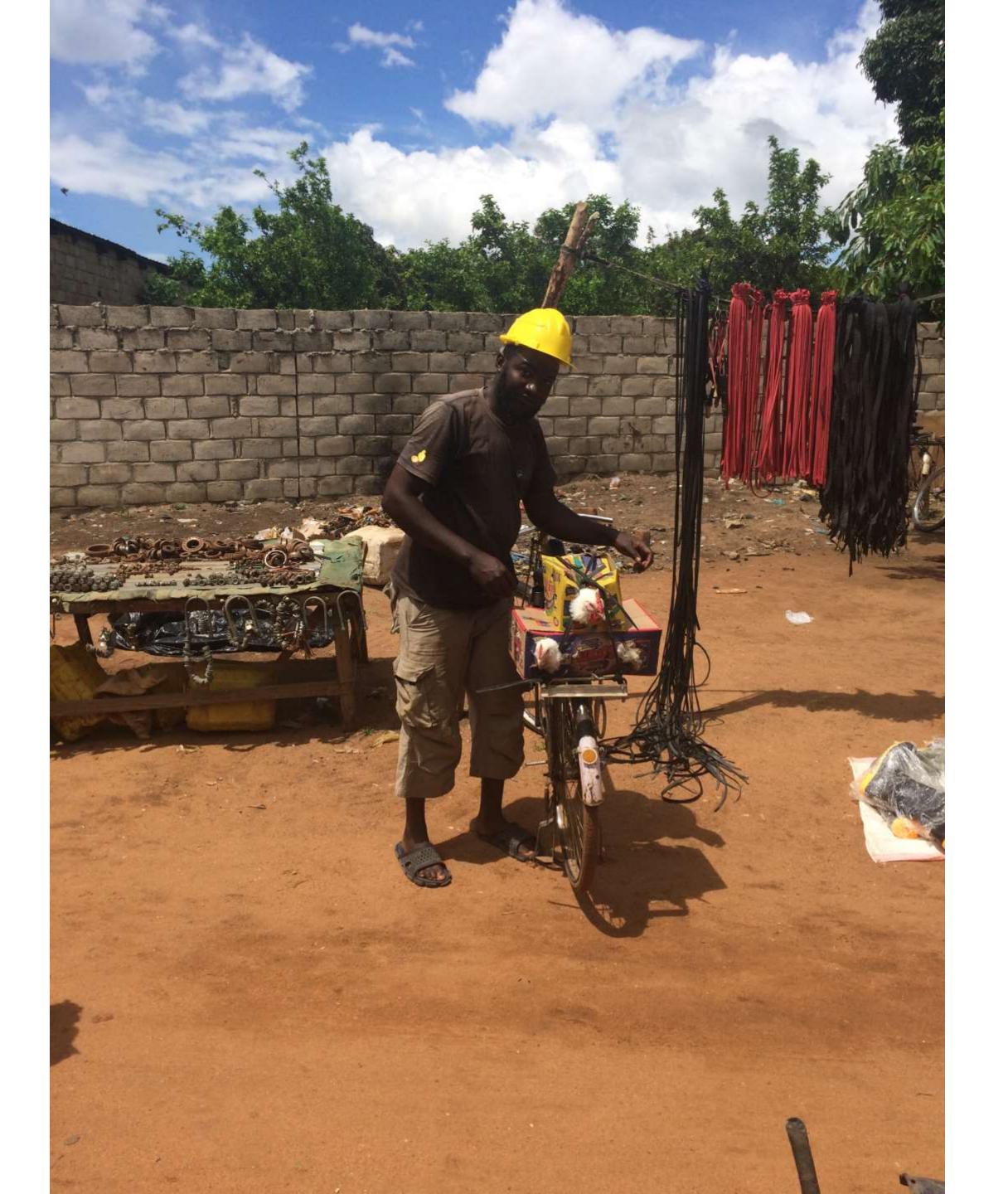




























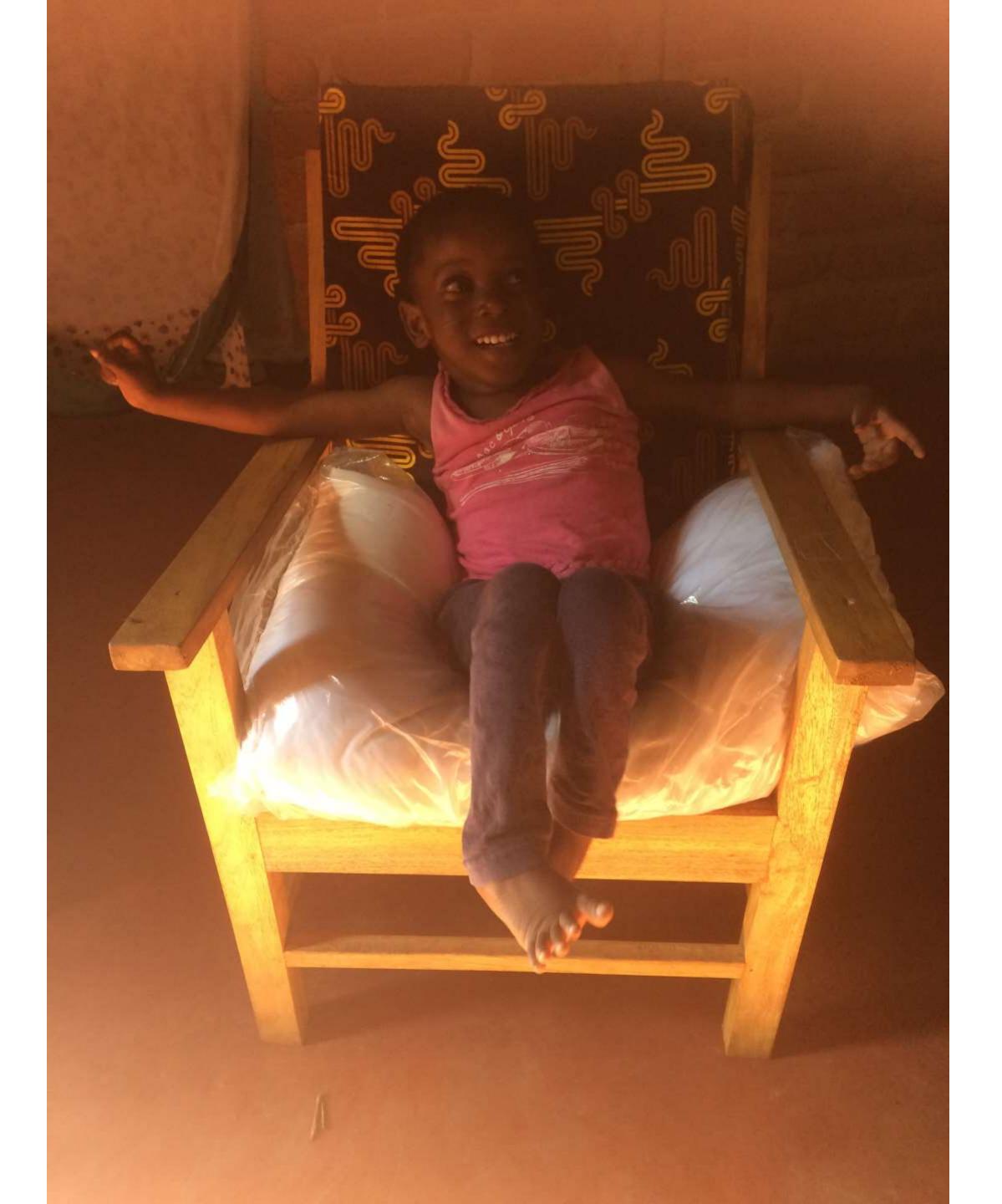








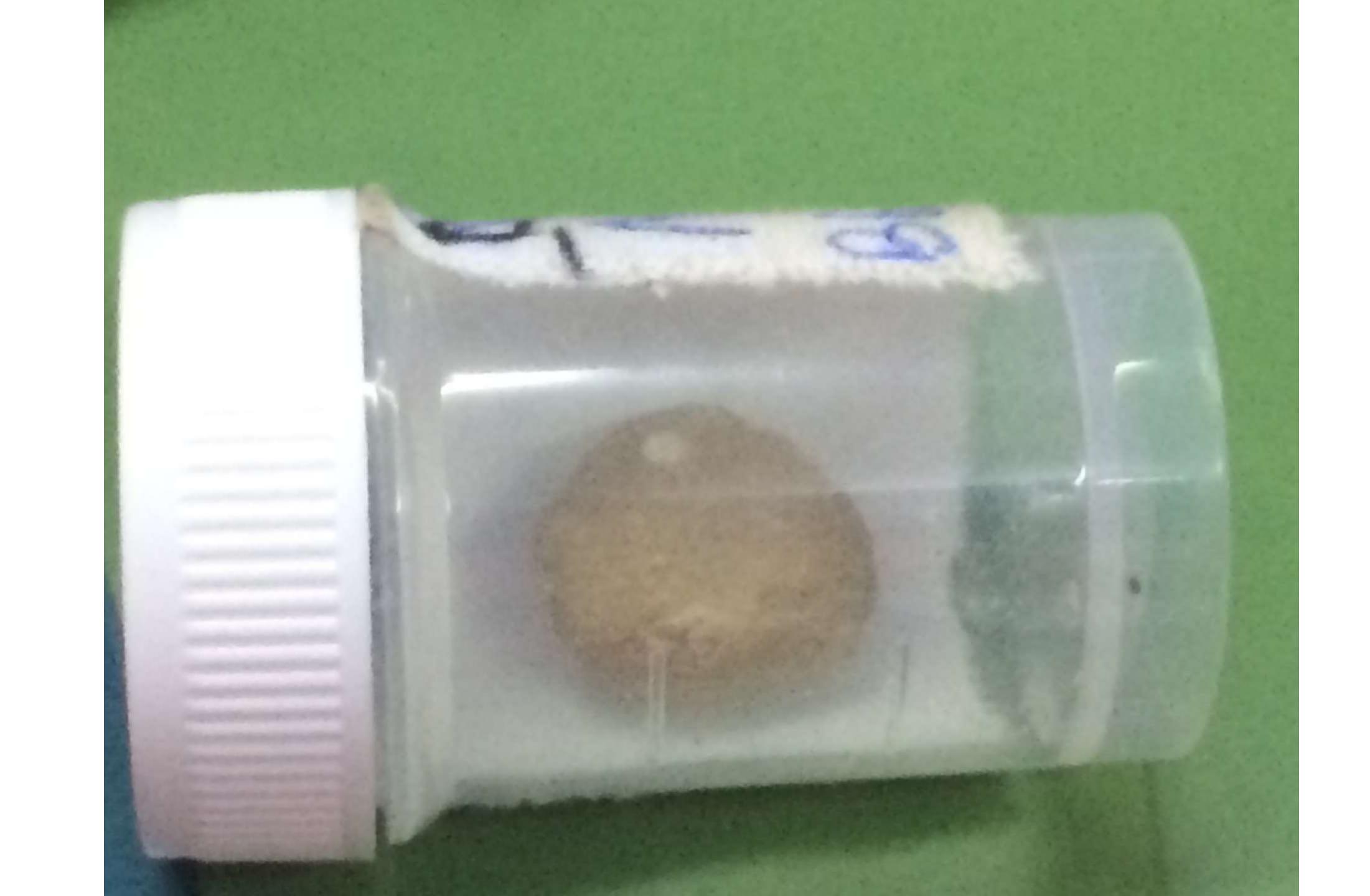
















SNAKE BITE NJOKA IKALUMA



Do Zinthu Zofunika Ucita

1. Keep the person calm. Msungeni munthu modenkha

2. Tell the person to keep very still. Muuzeni munthu kuti akhale cokhala

3. Immobilise the arm or leg to keep still. Osagundanitsa manja kapena minyendo, zizi tayana

4. Rush the person to the hospital. Thamanganayeni munthu kucipatala





Do Not Zinthu Zosafunika Kucita

1. Do not take person to the traditional healer. Osamupeleka munthau kwa asing'anga.

2. Do not give herbal mixture to the person. Osamupatsa mankhala ya zitsamba munthu

3. Do not cut, burn or suck the bite or skin. Osatema mpini, utetha kapena kuyamwa malo olumiwa.

4. Do not tie a ligature around the arm or leg. Osamaga thambo ku dzanja kapena ku

mwendo kolumidwa



Do Zinthu Zofunika Ucita

1. Protect from injury remove person from fire and hard objects.

Tetezani kucoka kuzopweteka mcotseni Munthu kucoka ku moto ndikuzipagizo zolimba.

2. Protect the head put something soft under their head.

3. Do not take the person to the traditional Tetezani mutu ikani cinthu cofewa kunsi kwa healer. mitu yao. Osamupeleka munthu kwa asing'anga.

3. Roll the person on to their side. Mkankheni munthu agone chambali.

4 Take the person to hospital not the clinic. Mpelekeni kucipatala.



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Do Not Zosafunika Ucita

m	1. Do not hold the person down. Osamugwirira munthu ali cogona.
	2. Do not put anything in the person's mouth.
Inder	Osaika cinthu cili conse mkamwa mwa munthu.











Examples of other support provided

- Chicken layer businesses for groups of women to sell eggs
- Vegetable selling businesses for women
- Money for transport to Lusaka for mother with sick child
- Money for co operatives of women to match government funding to purchase fertiliser
- Money for village borehole

- Clothes
- Mattresses & blankets
- Sacks of maize
- Soap & washing powder
- Exercise books, pencils
- Spectacles
- Paracetamol & vitamins