

DOMESTIC WORKERS ORGANISATIONS IN AFRICA





Mission

The African domestic workers network exists to promote and archive decent work conditions for domestic workers in the region, in the view of the reality that the conditions of their work are generally characterized by insecurity, abuse and exploitation. The network reorganizes the critical importance of unionization as a tool for a better. It therefore seeks to promote such unionization in all countries in the Africa region in order to consolidate a strong call for social justice in respect of domestic workers.

Vision

To have in African region, and in all individual Africa countries, vibrant unions of the domestic workers who are striving and registering progress in the realization of decent work for domestic workers, just like for any other group of workers, enshrined in national laws and policies, and in keeping with international labour standards as stipulated in C, 189.

Vision

1. Ratification of C.189
2. Organizing / Recruitment of domestic workers
3. Capacity building
4. Campaigns
 - (i) Minimum wage and conditions
 - (ii) Social Security schemes
 - (iii) Occupational health and safety
 - (iv) Contract for domestic workers



Countries	Organizations	Members
Burkina Faso	SYNEMG/B	100
Benin	SYNEMG/B	1600
Ghana	IUF	200
Guinea	SYNTRAD	1210
Kenya	KUDHEIHA	15,000
Malawi	CIAWU	450
Mali	SYNIATHA	
Mozambique	SINED	1876
Namibia	NDAWU	490
Niger	SYNTHOBRA	1000
Senegal	SATRH	250
South Africa	SADSAWU	50,500
Tanzania	CHODAWU	5000
Togo	SYNTEB	
Uganda	UHFTAWU	370
Zambia	UHDWUZ	4100
Zanzibar	CHODAWU	63
Zimbabwe	ZDWU	8700





Domestic workers from
Kenya (KUDHEIHA)



Domestic workers from
Tanzania (CHODAWU)



Domestic workers from
Malawi (CIAWU)



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Domestic workers organizations in Africa



Sensitization seminar
for domestic worker
in Ghana



ITUC / IUF workshop
for domestic workers
in May 2011



Some of domestic workers from Africa



Domestic workers from
Ghana (IUF)



Domestic workers from
Zambia (UHDWU)



Domestic workers from
Namibia (NDAWU)



Leaders of domestic workers from South Africa (SADSAWU)



Domestic workers from Burkinafaso



Participants in the regional conference for domestic workers in Nairobi Nov. 2011



Domestic workers from
Guinee (SYNTRAD)



Domestic workers from
Mozambique (SINED)

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