

CBA FOUNDATION

Outreach & Financial Empowerment Report

January to December 2025

Documented outreach portfolio, beneficiary register
and financial empowerment highlights



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A decade of support creates a platform for scale

Cumulative figures reported since the inception of the Foundation in May 2015

9,211

widows reached through
empowerment / capacity
building

11,360

people reached under
nutrition / food distribution

5,155

supported through health
intervention

162

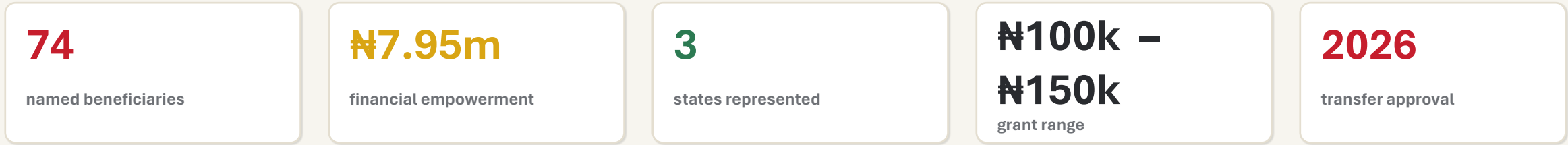
children reinstated in school

245

widows financially empowered to start businesses

A transition from outreach to economic agency in 2025

Confirmed records as at 6 September 2026



The 2025 register documents direct financial support to underprivileged widows across Lagos, Anambra and Ogun. A transfer authorisation dated 13 January 2026 confirms implementation of the empowerment payments. The broader outreach model combines medical intervention, nutrition, clothing, counselling, education and business start-up support.

Privacy note | Beneficiary names are included. Bank and account details have been deliberately excluded.

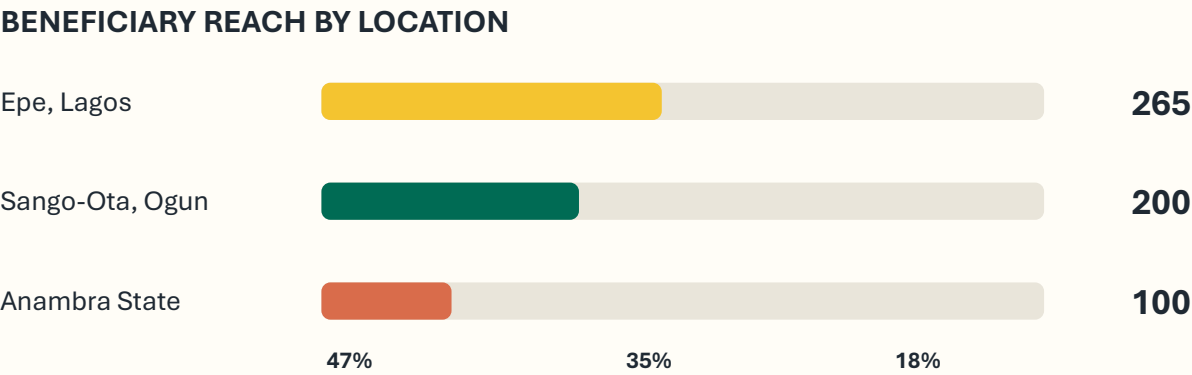
2025 OUTREACH IMPACT AT A GLANCE

Relief and wellbeing support delivered across three Nigerian states

565

UNDERPRIVILEGED WIDOWS REACHED

100% received medical outreach



₦11.3M

TOTAL DIRECT SUPPORT VALUE

Food • health • children • clothing

SUPPORT DELIVERED

₦7.0M

FOOD RELIEF

Rice, beans, noodles, oil, salt, seasoning, curry, cereals & tomatoes

₦2.5M

MEDICAL OUTREACH

Medical services and dispensed drugs for all 565 widows

₦800K

CHILDREN'S GOODY BAGS

Christmas support for children of underprivileged widows

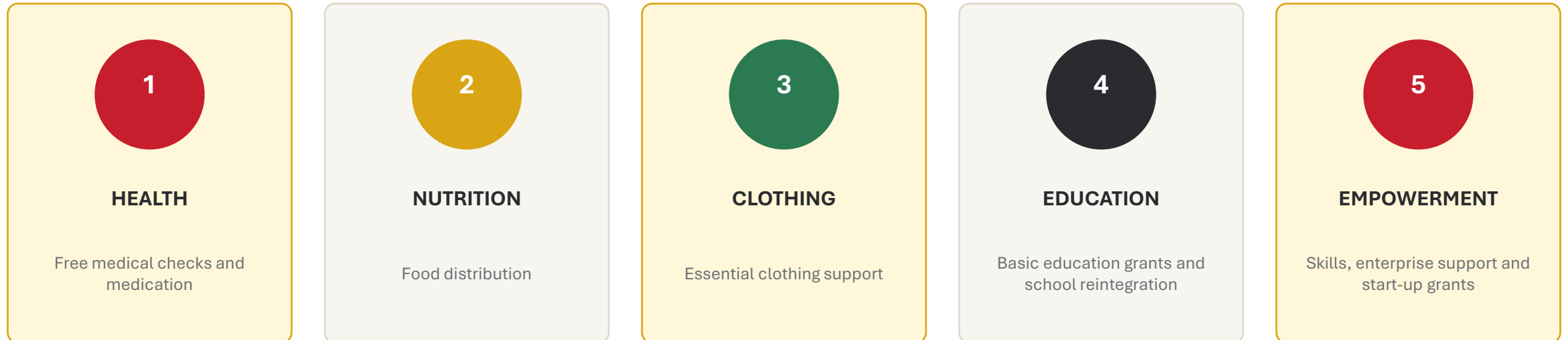
₦1.0M

CLOTHING SUPPORT

Christmas clothing support for widows and their families

The CBA Foundation five-point impact architecture

Outreach is designed as a connected pathway, not a one-off distribution



Enabled by advocacy • Walk4Hope fundraising • Partnerships • Hope Stores • Podcast

Events carried out by the Foundation

The archive contains photographs for the named outreach properties

Walk4Hope 2025

Fundraising and awareness

15 Nov 2025 • Eko Hotel & Suites

End-of-Year Outreach: Ogun

Medical, food, counselling, limited start-up support

6 Dec 2025 • proposed schedule

End-of-Year Outreach: Lagos

Medical, food, counselling, limited start-up support

13 Dec 2025 • proposed schedule

End-of-Year Outreach: Anambra

Medical, food, counselling, limited start-up support

20 Dec 2025 • proposed schedule

Financial Empowerment: Lagos

Direct grants to named beneficiaries

2025 register

Financial Empowerment: Anambra

Direct grants to named beneficiaries

2025 register

Financial Empowerment: Ogun

Direct grants to named beneficiaries

2025 register

CBA Foundation Conference

Advocacy, Opinion Leaders and Industry leaders to discuss plight of the widows

Conference at Eko Hotel & Suites

WALK4HOPE 2025

Walking in solidarity. Mobilising support.

The 2025 Walk4Hope was scheduled for 15 November at Eko Hotel & Suites. Internal approval records confirm branded event support. The wider Foundation archive positions Walk4Hope as its fundraising and public-awareness platform for widows and their children.

Illustrative visual. Replace with the approved event photograph from the CBA Foundation archive for external publication.



Financial empowerment reached three states

Distribution is based on the named 2025 beneficiary register



LAGOS 51 beneficiaries ₦5.60m



ANAMBRA 12 beneficiaries ₦1.25m



OGUN 11 beneficiaries ₦1.10m



74 beneficiaries | ₦7,950,000 total

Small grants, direct economic support

The register records

63

beneficiaries at ₦100,000

11

beneficiaries at ₦150,000

Grant mix



A 13 January 2026 authorisation requested transfer of ₦6.85m to the first 63 beneficiaries. The complete register adds 11 Ogun beneficiaries, bringing the documented grand total to ₦7.95m.



Lagos beneficiaries | 1 of 2

Names reproduced from the 2025 financial empowerment register

Lagos 01–17

Olowu Maria
Ologbon Risikat Aladuke
Mufutau Shakirat
Salami Ajimotu
Olamoinnukun Funmilayo
Abeni Muritala
Selimot Ogunbiyi
Fausat Adekoya Adefolake
Salawatu Mojeed
Oguntoye Adeola
Akilo Asanotu
Sulaimon Kudira
Muritala Afusat
Musediku Maria
Muritala Sakirat
Oluwakemi Lasisi
Adeola Abimbola Akinwande

Lagos 18–34

Mrs Moshood
Esrher Olalekan
Maria Egbayelo
Deborah Fatai
Damilola Abass
Olasunbo Adebambo
Salawu Yemisi
Wasiu Joy Hope
Erota Elizabeth
Yekinni Aishat
Ogundeko Funmilayo
Tajudeen Kemi
Aliasau Esther
Adebisi Abeli
Isa Mosunmola
Lateef Tope
Rahmon Idayat

Lagos 35–51

Folly Ibidun
Balogun Alaba
Adekunle Bidemi
Olorunpemi Dorcas
Adedotun Lateef
Adewoyin Funmilayo
Balogun Toyin Margaret
Lasisi Rafat
Suraju Kemi
Saliu Temitope
Mukaila Labaka
Onabade Glory
Olumoko Idayat
Rabiu Shakirat Ariyeun
Ajala Comfort Iyabo
Rafiu Rukayat
Sarah Oloruntoba

Anambra and Ogun beneficiaries

Names reproduced from the 2025 financial empowerment register

Anambra 01–12

Scholastica Igbo-dike
Ukamaka Annastasia Nwaofeke
Ugwu Monica Ngozi
Okafor Ganiru
Charity Igwilo
Adaobi Juliet Amaefuna
Lawrence Ugwuezumba
Chukwujekwu Anthonia
Onwuatu-elo Justina Uchenna
Ndubuisi Florence Adaeze
Obiora Anthonia
Nwosu Chidinma Maryann

Ogun 01–11

Morufat Labake Ajose
Anthonia Grace Moses
Blessing Ngozi Oguejiofor
Akinde Folashade
Abidemi Deborah Eyinade
Mrs Mary Effiong John
Sikirat Adejoke Adewale
Rebecca Tosin Adeyemi
Mufulait Ajoke Alamutu
Yemisi Kolode
Roseline Akam

Register controls

74 named beneficiaries
₦7,950,000 grand total
Three locations
Two grant values
Bank details excluded from this report
Source retained in internal workbook
Transfer authorisation dated 13 January 2026

Hope for the Widow Podcast | Analytics & Content

Documented performance as at 22 February 2025, with Season 1 content architecture

1 AUG 2023

launch date

51,523

downloads

7

episodes published

FEMALE

larger audience segment

PUBLISHED EPISODE THEMES

01

Coping with Grief: Survival Tips

02

The Funeral Experience: The Good, The Bad and The Ugly, Parts 1 & 2

03

Relationship Button: Starting Afresh as a Widow

04

Next of Kin and Beneficiary

05

Legal Rights I: Violence Against Persons Prohibition Act

06

Legal Rights II: Inheritance Rights of Widows in Nigeria

07

Building Entrepreneurial Capacity for Widows

DISTRIBUTION & AMPLIFICATION

Instagram feed, reels and stories • Facebook • Twitter • Website

• Blog/newsletter

• Social soundbites

• Specialized radio programmes

ANALYTICS INTERPRETATION

The verified data confirms scale, output and audience direction. The retrieved records do not provide episode-level downloads, completion rate, unique listeners, geography, age, listening platform split or social engagement totals.

Verified activity Jan to Dec 2025

Links to videos and pictures available on request

CONFIRMED 13 Jan 2026 transfer authorisation for ₦6.85m to 63 beneficiaries

CONFIRMED The full 2025 register records 74 beneficiaries and ₦7.95m

CONFIRMED 2025 Foundation target: reach 5,000 widows in Lagos, Ogun and Anambra via advocacy and minimum of 10% i.e. 500 underprivileged widows via direct impact.



2025 POSITION

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 Media Initiative

Hope for Widow Podcast — Giving Voice to the Voiceless

The Hope for Widow podcast emerged as a powerful platform for storytelling, healing, and community-building among widows in 2025.

Launched as a dedicated media initiative to amplify the stories and needs of widows across communities

Each episode features personal testimonies, expert guidance, and practical resources for women navigating widowhood

Serves as both an awareness tool and a direct support resource for listeners facing isolation and grief

Episodes address financial independence, emotional resilience, legal rights, and community re-integration

Topics covered:

Financial Independence

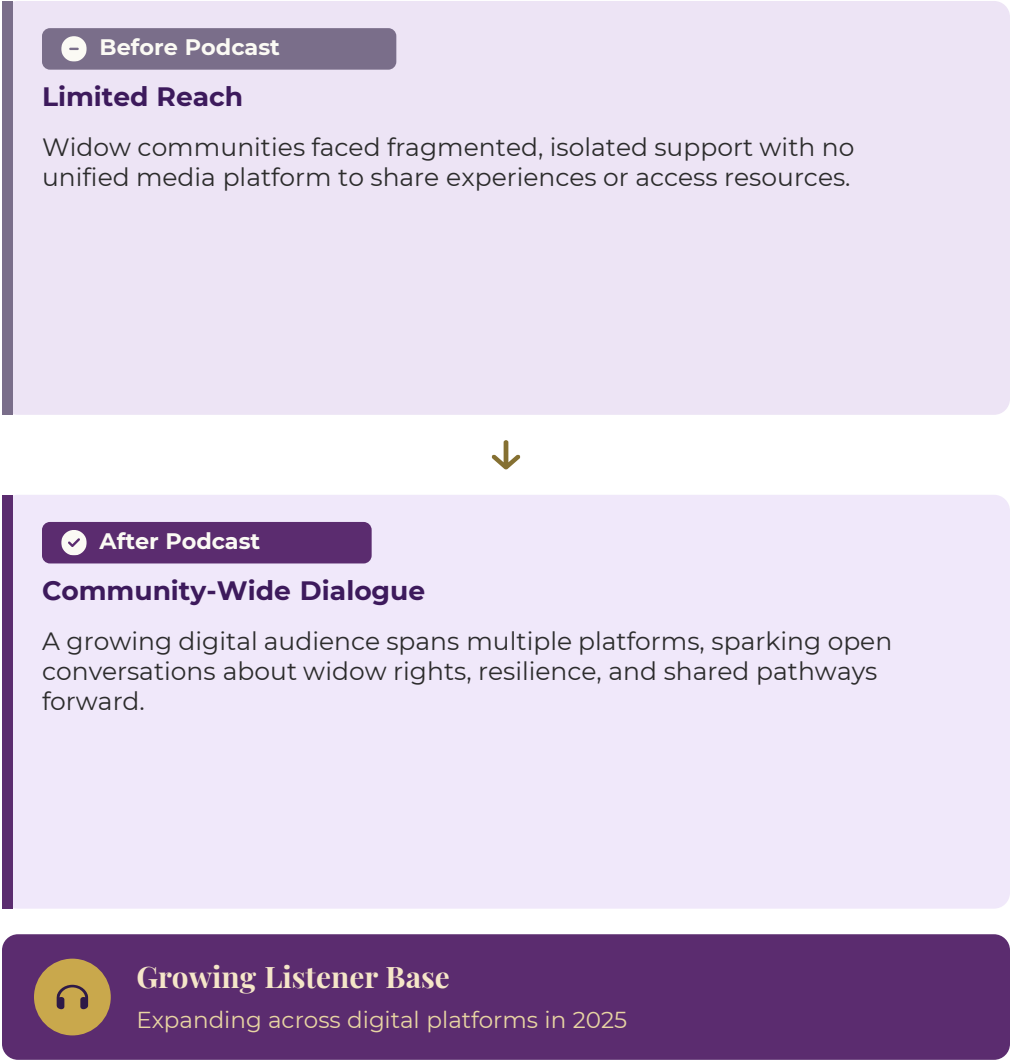
Emotional Resilience

Legal Rights

Community Re-integration

Podcast Impact — Reaching Communities at Scale

Through consistent, authentic storytelling, the Hope for Widow podcast built a growing audience of listeners, supporters, and advocates in 2025.



Key Impact Areas

- **Reducing isolation:**Listener feedback consistently highlights the podcast's role in countering loneliness and inspiring listeners to seek support.
- **Catalyzing community action:**Episodes have sparked grassroots conversations about widow rights, needs, and advocacy across communities.
- **Expert partnerships:**Counselors, legal aid professionals, and community organizations now contribute as guests and resource partners.

 Counselors

 Legal Aid

 Community Orgs

“ The podcast has transformed a **silent struggle** into a **shared movement** — connecting widows, advocates, and supporters across communities and digital platforms.



CBA Foundation 2025 — Podcast Impact

Stories That Move People to Act

Behind every download is a real woman whose life has been touched — these stories are the truest measure of our podcast's impact.

- Listeners describe breakthroughs in grief, rediscovered confidence, and practical steps taken after hearing episodes
- Community leaders cite the podcast as a catalyst for local support groups and widow-focused advocacy
- The podcast has helped destigmatize widowhood and sparked public dialogue on inheritance rights, financial access, and social inclusion

“This podcast reminded me I am not alone and that there is hope beyond my loss.”

— Listener Voice (Representative)

Empowering Widows in Nigeria: Breaking the Cycle of Poverty and Vulnerability



Keynote Speaker
Amina Oyagbola
Founder
Women in Successful Careers



Moderator
Hansatu Adegbite
"Glean Mala"
Women Economic Empowerment
Specialist



Host
**Chinwe
Bode-Akinwande**



Special Guest
Yinka Adebayo
Group ED
OMG WeCA

 **Thursday**
Oct 9, 2025

 **Eko Hotel
and Suites**

 **10AM
Prompt**

Scan to register



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CBA Foundation Conference 2025

Convening Leaders, Driving Impact

The CBA Foundation Conference brought together leaders, donors, practitioners, and beneficiaries to chart the course for sustainable community impact.

- A landmark convening event uniting key stakeholders from across sectors to advance the Foundation's mission
- Agenda themes: widow empowerment, community resilience, donor collaboration, and program sustainability
- Beneficiaries shared their experiences directly with funders and decision-makers — amplifying authentic voices
- Panels, workshops, and networking sessions deepened partnerships and generated commitments to action

 **Widow Empowerment**

 **Donor Collaboration**

 **Program Sustainability**

 **Community Resilience**

Conference Outcomes and Commitments

The conference was not just a conversation — it generated concrete commitments and collaborations that will define the Foundation's work in the years ahead.



Outcome 1

New Partnerships Forged





Outcome 2

Program Expansion Commitments





Outcome 3

Donor Pledges Secured





Outcome 4

Community Action Plans Developed

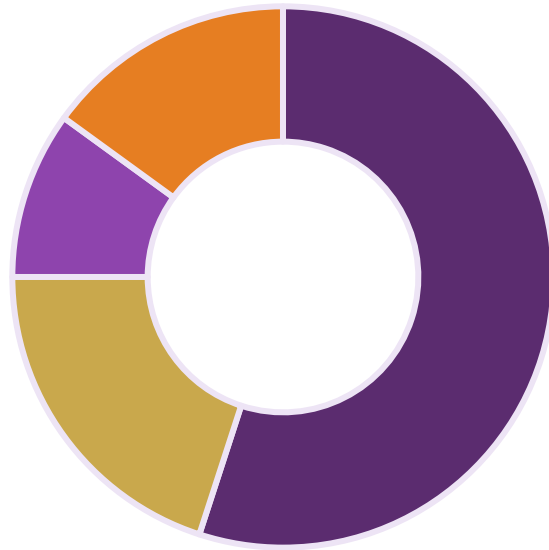
Key Themes from Sessions

- Scaling proven models of widow empowerment across regions
- Integrating mental health support into community programs
- Strengthening legal aid access for widows and vulnerable women

Looking Forward

- Participants left with clear action plans tied to the Foundation's 2026 strategic priorities
- The conference reinforced the CBA Foundation's role as a convener and thought leader in community development

2025 Fund Allocation by Category



● Programs ● Media ● Operations ● Capacity Building

Financial Stewardship

Your giving, directed with discipline and transparency toward programs that deliver demonstrable impact per dollar invested.

- Funds allocated across program delivery, capacity building, and media initiatives including the Hope for Widow podcast
- The Foundation maintains a lean operational model to maximize the proportion of every donation reaching beneficiaries
- Financial reporting is conducted with rigorous accountability to donors and governing bodies

Strategic Outlook

Looking Ahead — 2026 and Beyond

The momentum of 2025 is a foundation, not a ceiling — our ambitions for 2026 are bolder because our proof of impact is stronger.

- Expand Hope for Widow podcast reach through new distribution channels and languages
- Scale the annual conference into a multi-day event with regional satellite sessions
- Integrate financial literacy, legal aid, and mental health support under one umbrella
- Grow the donor and partner community to sustain and accelerate program expansion

2026 Strategic Priorities



01

Expand Media

Wider reach for Hope for Widow across languages and platforms



02

Scale Convening

Multi-day conference with regional satellite sessions



03

Deepen Services

Integrated financial literacy, legal aid, and mental health support



04

Grow Partnerships

Expand donor and partner community for sustained impact

Care is action.

Every outreach leaves a clear trail from need to intervention, from intervention to outcome, and from outcome to sustainable dignity.

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