



**COURAGE CHILD PROTECTION**  
**NOT FOR PROFIT COMPANY ANNUAL REPORT**  
**APRIL 2020**

**SECTION A**

**REGISTRATION NUMBER:** 2017/422875/08  
**ORGANISATION NAME:** Courage Child Protection  
**REPORTING PERIOD:** May 2019 to April 2020  
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## SECTION B

### PREAMBLE:

Courage Child Protection NPC was launched in May 2018. Courage is a powerful child protection toolkit and community engagement process that helps individuals and organisations to:

1. Recognise the rights and needs of all children.
2. Identify and empower where they are being abused or overlooked.
3. Develop the strategies they need to solve their child protection challenges.
4. Empower the individuals, organisations and community members to make a difference, in partnership with others.
5. Measure and evaluation progress to ensure sustainable change.

Now that their child protection toolkit and process has been developed, Courage Child Protection's primary role is to build relationships with and train organisations, communities and individuals in the identification and management of child protection challenges. Courage has also provided consulting support to a range of NPOs in the sustainability and growth of their organisations, in support of its proposition as a partner to the NGO community. Finally, Courage has taken part in a range of academic endeavors to continue its leadership role in child protection globally.

### THE ORGANISATION'S MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS OVER THE PAST YEAR:

ACTIVITIES & PROJECTS FOR REPORTING YEAR	HOW BENEFICIARIES BENEFITED
<p><b>Courage Child Protection Training:</b> Child protection toolkits and training of trainers was provided to the following organisations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Seeds of Africa (May – 25 attendees)</li> <li>• Tara H Moross Psychiatry Hospital (June – 27 attendees)</li> <li>• Chris Hani Baragwanath Hospital (July – 25 attendees)</li> <li>• Seeds of Africa (September – 18 attendees)</li> <li>• SOS Save the Children (October – 5 attendees)</li> </ul>	<p>Benefits to participants included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Training workshops were conducted with each of these organisations using the Courage Child Protection programme and toolkit.</li> <li>• Toolkits were provided to many of the organisations free of charge or at cost price for the printing of materials where budget was available.</li> <li>• The workshops are designed to train trainers in each of these organisations so that they can run Courage workshops on an ongoing basis within their community.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Stakeholder Engagement &amp; Training:</b> Presentations or mini workshops were conducted with a number of organisations to introduce them to the Courage Programme and the benefits of child protection awareness and engagement, these organisations included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Realima Teacher Intern Programme</li> <li>• South African Association for Child and Adolescent Psychiatry and Allied Professions.</li> <li>• Eight</li> <li>• Fight with Insight</li> <li>• Oppenheimer Foundations</li> </ul>	<p>Benefits to stakeholders included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Child protection awareness.</li> <li>• Understanding the Courage Child Protection toolkit and process.</li> <li>• Courage Toolkits free of charge.</li> <li>• Community insight into general social and child protection challenges.</li> <li>• Strategizing how to incorporate child protection processes into their different organisations.</li> </ul>



<p><b>Partner Sector Engagement:</b>          Courage has defined itself as an ‘ingredient brand’ within the NPO sector. This means that it actively seeks partnership opportunities to support NPOs in their growth development, and sustainability. The following partner organisations and projects were supported over this period:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Impilo Nelson Mandela Day 2500 Abandoned Babies Event (June 2019)</li> <li>• SABC Child Abandonment Focus – Peter Ndoro Interview (July 2019)</li> <li>• Facilitation of the Lefika la Phodiso Implementation Workshop with key implementation partners. (July 2019)</li> <li>• Show of Courage Exhibition Kingsmead College Goodwill Day Event (October 2019)</li> <li>• Tara Fun Walk Exhibition for Mental Health Week (October 2019)</li> <li>• Seeds of Africa Positive Parenting Workshop co-facilitation (80 attendees – October 2019)</li> </ul>	<p>Benefits to partners included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Child protection awareness and its relevance to their specific sector, including child abandonment and adoption, childhood trauma support through creativity, mental health and wellbeing, and positive parenting.</li> <li>• Facilitation and strategic support of organisations.</li> <li>• Development and implementation of events in partnership with host organisations.</li> <li>• Public speaking engagements.</li> <li>• Courage child protection training and engagement in part or full in support of the host organisations efforts.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Academic Conferences &amp; Publications:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The South African Association for Child and Adolescent Psychiatry and Allied Professions Congress for 2019 (presentation and poster)</li> </ul>	<p>Benefit to academic audience and institutions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In an effort to stay at the forefront of child protection challenges globally and to provide information that guides policy making and implementation, Courage took part in the SA-ACAPAP 2019 Conference. This involved developing a poster and presenting the Courage toolkit and process to delegates. Courage was awarded first prize in the poster competition.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Child Centred Support Projects:</b>          In support of their work with childhood disability, Courage took part in the following partnership programmes for children:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Tara H Moross Psychiatry Hospital Children’s Ward Sensory Garden Development. Total cost of the project was R45 000-00 sponsored by D&amp;B Blackie.</li> <li>• The Fight with Insight - Boxing for Autism Programme Development.</li> </ul>	<p>The positive therapeutic impact of sensory rooms on children who experience challenges with sensory, emotional and social integration and regulation has been proven globally. With funding provided from private donors for this express purpose, Courage created a sensory garden catering to children diagnosed with autism, mood and anxiety disorders, trauma, attachment, self-harm, suicidal behaviour, aggression and relational difficulties. The Boxing for Autism Programme has also been proved to have a significant benefit for children diagnosed on the autism spectrum. Courage developed recommendations for the training booklet and assisted with brand development from a strategic perspective.</p>



## SECTION C

### LIST OF IMPORTANT MEETINGS AND ANY CHANGES TO CONSTITUTION

TYPE OF MEETING	YES	NO	NO. OF MEETINGS	COMMENTS
Annual General Meeting (AGM)	Yes		1	20 April 2020
Special General Meeting		No		
Board Meeting	Yes		1	18 September 2019
Others		No		

### CHANGES TO THE CONSTITUTION

No changes were made to the Courage Child Protection Constitution over this reporting period.



## COURAGE CHILD PROTECTION BALANCE SHEET

FOR THE REPORTING PERIOD ENDING 30 APRIL 2020

ASSETS	RANDS	LIABILITIES	RANDS
Current assets:		Current liabilities:	
Cash	R20 524.44	Accounts payable (none)	
Petty cash	R100-00	Wages (none)	
Inventory	61 800-00	Interest (none)	
Supplies	R2 000-00	Taxes (none)	
Total current assets	R84 424-44	Total current liabilities	R0-00
Investments:		Long term liabilities:	
None		None	
Property & equipment:			
None			
Intangible assets:			
Goodwill	R100 000-00		
Trade Names	R50 000-00		
Total intangible asses	R150 000-00		
Total assets	R234 424-44	Total liabilities	R0-00



## COURAGE CHILD PROTECTION INCOME & EXPENDITURE REPORT

FOR THE REPORTING PERIOD ENDING 30 APRIL 2020

INCOME	RANDS	EXPENDITURE	RANDS
Donations	10 650.25	Salaries (None)	-
Toolkit purchases	R5 400-00	Toolkit production and printing	R18 687-50
Service Fees	0-00	Materials for Courage Art Exhibitions and Events	R1 992-50
		Banking	R933-00
		Operational expenses	R12 000-00
		Cellphone	R2 400-00
		Petrol	R3 000-00
		Office supplies	R4 000-00
Total	R16 050-25	Total	R43 013-00