



**REMARKS ON BEHALF OF NIYI OJUOLAPE,
UNFPA REPRESENTATIVE AT GRADUATION CEREMONY
AT USSHER POLYCLINIC, JAMESTOWN, ACCRA
ON FRI. 28 AUG. 2020**

Protocol:

- **Officials from Ghana Health Service**
- **Distinguished Invited Guests**
- **Graduates**
- **Friends from the Media**
- **Ladies and Gentlemen**

Good morning to you all.

I bring you greetings from the UNFPA Ghana Country Representative, Mr. Niyi Ojuolape, who would have loved to be here but for other pressing engagements. On behalf of UNFPA, I am honoured to witness and take part in today's graduation ceremony. This is indeed a big day for you graduates, parents and teachers. My warmest congratulations to you all.

UNFPA is very committed to delivering a world where every pregnancy is wanted, every childbirth is safe and every young person's potential is fulfilled. We are steadfast in our commitment to working with young people, such as you, in ensuring that indeed their full potential is fulfilled by providing them with quality and informative comprehensive sexuality education and supporting the provision of sexual and reproductive health services to them.

We, at UNFPA, cannot work alone. In our mission to leave no one behind, we partner with Government, including the Ghana Health Service, and other private organizations, For The Good Of Ghana. We were therefore delighted to



partner and support the renovation of the Adolescent Health, Nutrition and Sewing Units.

We appreciate immensely the work of the Ussher Polyclinic in ensuring that adolescents have access to SRH information and services. We commend the Ghana Health Service, The Management and staff of Ussher Polyclinic, for the skills that have been imparted to the graduates. This continuous empowerment of young people is vital, if we want to reap the benefits of the Demographic Dividends in Ghana and UNFPA is committed in supporting Ghana's efforts.

Today, we celebrate you all, and wish you the very best in the next phase of your career. The sky is the limit. Let us all contribute our quota "For The Good Of Ghana".

Thank You