



NARRATIVE PROFILE: BISI BRIGHT

Bisi Bright, FPCPharm, FPSN, MNIM, MPH Bisi Bright is a Consultant Clinical Pharmacist, Lecturer, Psychologist and Public Health Manager. She is 1st Vice Chairman and CEO of LiveWell Initiative LWI, a self-sustaining nonprofit healthcare social enterprise, which has impacted over 2million Nigerians and thousands of Ghanaians with health literacy, improved overall health, and wellness.

With over 800 professionals including over 105 doctors, 10 Hepatologists and 14 Emotional and Mental Health Specialists; her organisation LiveWell Initiative LWI boasts of a very robust and impactful staff compliment. A former Secretary General of the West African Postgraduate College of Pharmacists, Bisi is an Internship Preceptor for MPH and DrPH at the prestigious Harvard T H Chan School of Public Health in Boston USA. She sat on the Faculty of the Economist Conferences' Healthcare in Africa; and is a two-time International Award winner of the IATDM/CT (International Association of Therapeutic Drug Monitoring and Clinical Toxicology).

Bisi Bright is also a Faculty Member of the Nigerian Stock Exchange Graduate Management Trainee Programme NSE GMT, and Lead Trainer in the Duke of Edinburgh Awards Nigeria; She is a Mentor for WIMBIZ (Women in Business and Management) and the Tony Elumelu Foundation Entrepreneurship Training Programme TEEP.

At the Global Level, she served as FIP PI Exco for Africa and the MiddleEast from 2008-2012, and is a visiting Doctoral Research 'Opponent' Faculty at the University of Helsinki . Today, she is Board Member of IAPO (International Alliance of Patients' Organisations) and a listed member of the British Charity Trust. As a fallout of COVID-19 she initiated and designed Study Protocols for COVID-19 Response in Africa, with at least 4 Peer Reviewed Open Access Journal Publications on COVID-19. She is the Country Representative of GIANT Nigeria, a Healthcare Organisation related to Vaccines Hesitancy.

WORK ON HEPATITIS:

Bisi is Deputy National Coordinator of the Civil Society Network of Viral Hepatitis in Nigeria CiSNVH.

- In September 2016 she was among the 25 Women worldwide, invited to the inaugural WIHP (Women in High Places) **Hepatitis** Meeting in New York
- In October 2017 she emerged as a GLOBAL CHANGEMAKER2017 in Hepatitis C, an International Recognition accorded her by the Economist Intelligence Unit EIU. (please see link at <http://bit.ly/2xa665o>) and the only Black African Woman so recognised
- Bisi received a Commendation Letter from the **Presidency at Aso Rock Villa** in 2017, for her organisation's work on **Hepatitis**.
- Her organisation LiveWell Initiative LWI has trained over 4,500 women all over Africa, from 18 countries, as **Hepatitis Champions** including 450 lady pharmacists from Egypt , up to 80 Lady Pharmacists in Nigeria, and another 60+ young pharmacists from 12 African Countries.
- She has trained over 200 low literacy low income women as Hepatitis Champions
- The organisation has screened over 60,000 women for Hepatitis B and over 50,000 women for Hepatitis C prior to the pandemic, and
- Introduced the 'LIVER HEALTH AND WORKPLACE POLICY' to many Corporate Organisations and Banks.
- The organisation's work in **#FindingtheMissingMillions** living with viral hepatitis and Preventing Mother to Child Transmission **PMTCT** of the virus, are geared towards the elimination of viral hepatitis by the year 2030 in line with the updated WHO GHSS Guidelines.

The LiveWell Initiative is an active member of the World Hepatitis Alliance in good standing.

The organisation has won a few International Awards and Recognitions including the recent SERAS CSR AWARDS AFRICA (December 2021) when the organisation was a Double Finalist in 2 Nominations against Guinness, CocaCola, Access Bank Plc and PharmAccess respectively; among other recognitions and awards are, Soroptimists International Award (Manchester UK, 2009), the IAPO Global Photo Contest (2013), the International HSE Oil & Gas Awards(2014) and more recently the Lagos State Governor's CSR Awards for Schools(March 2015) and a full member of the prestigious UN Global Compact in good standing.

Bisi has trained over 1,000 pharmacists through the LWI Academy, and has mentored scores of pharmacists, through the organisation's structured mentoring portfolio the **Agathe Wehrli Mentoring Chair** AWMC, which has seen even young pharmacists proactively leading their peers.

She is happily married with children and grandchildren.

Thank you.