



## CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S MESSAGE



**CEO, Dr. Kelly Oluoch**

It gives me great pleasure to present the July 2025 edition of our News Bulletin, highlighting yet another month of remarkable achievements, impactful partnerships, and milestones that continue to shape the future of KMTC and the communities we serve.

This month, we joined the nation in advancing the 15 Billion Tree Cover Initiative through our active participa-

tion in the fruit tree support program at Kaptagat Forest. Together with national leaders and community stakeholders, we played our part in conserving this vital ecosystem and amplifying Kenya's commitment to environmental sustainability. These efforts remind us that health and environment are inseparably linked, and our institution remains dedicated to spearheading activities that safeguard both.

Beyond environmental stewardship, we continued to strengthen health systems through collaborations that focus on Community Health, Mental Health and Nursing. Our partnership in the Community Health Units for Universal Health Coverage (CHU4UHC) initiative, for instance, will see KMTC integrate a common mental health course across all training programs and scale up the training of nurses and clinical officers at the grassroots level. These initiatives, tailored for equitable access and responsive care, affirm our role as a bedrock of Universal Health Coverage in Kenya.

On the global stage, I had the honor of representing KMTC as a high-level delegate at the House of Lords, Palace of Westminster, during a series of engagements. These discussions with global leaders reinforced the need to expand healthcare workforce training, enhance

access to financing, and forge stronger ties with both development partners and county governments. Such collaborations will not only equip our graduates for national roles but also open pathways for international opportunities.

Our strategic partnership meeting with the Richard Jackson Clinics Foundation further underlined the significance of cooperation in strengthening physiotherapy training, while exploring digital learning innovations to modernize the KMTC experience. This reflects our deliberate strategy to keep training relevant, modern, and in line with global standards.

At the campus level, academic support visits and initiatives demonstrated the day-to-day commitment of our staff, administrators, and leadership teams across the country in ensuring that our teaching, learning, and facilities remain supportive and student-focused.

As we move forward, I remain confident that our collective dedication and tireless pursuit of excellence will continue to define KMTC's legacy. By fostering partnerships, embracing innovation, and remaining responsive to national and global needs, we reaffirm our promise of transforming communities through skilled, competent, and compassionate healthcare professionals.

### CORE STATEMENTS

#### VISION:

A globally competitive institution for training human resource for health.

#### MISSION:

To develop fit-for-purpose middle-level health professionals through transformative training, research, and consultancy.

#### CORE VALUES:

Accountability, Integrity, Responsiveness, Equity, Teamwork, Professionalism, Creativity and innovation.

### INSIDE



## CORPORATE UPDATES

# KMTC Backs 15 Billion Tree Cover Initiative



President William Ruto plants a tree to mark the 9<sup>th</sup> Kaptagat Integrated Conservation Programme tree growing day.

**T**he College has once again demonstrated its steadfast commitment to environmental sustainability by actively participating in the 9<sup>th</sup> Edition of the Kaptagat Forest Annual Tree Growing Programme.

This year's events, held over two days in Keiyo South, Elgeyo Marakwet County, brought together key national leaders, government institutions, and communities in a coordinated effort to restore Kenya's forest cover and combat the climate crisis.

On July 11, 2025, KMTC joined other State Corporations and senior government officials in a corporate tree-planting exercise at the Kipkabus Forest Block. The activity was part of the lead-up to the main tree-planting event and brought to life the government's call for unified national action on environmental conservation.

KMTC Board Chairperson Mr. Joseah K. Cheruiyot led the College's delegation in planting fruit tree seedlings, reinforcing KMTC's belief that health extends beyond clinical training to include the well-being of our natural environment and the nutritional needs of communities.





**KMTCC Board Chairperson Mr. Joseph K. Cheruiyot (center) during the 9<sup>th</sup> Kaptagat Integrated Conservation Programme tree growing day.**

This corporate tree-planting initiative was graced by the presence of high-ranking government officials, including Chief of Staff and Head of Public Service Mr. Felix Koskei, Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate & Forestry Dr. Deborah M. Barasa, and Principal Secretaries Gitonga Mugambi, Dr. Festus Ng'eno, and Dr. Chris Kiptoo.

Also in attendance were representatives from various conservation organizations and members of the local community, all united by a shared goal of environmental preservation. Their participation at Kipkabus Forest reflected the strong leadership backing Kenya's accelerated efforts to achieve 30% forest cover by 2030.

The momentum continued on July 12, 2025, as the main event unfolded at Simotwo Boys High School. Presided over by H.E. President William Ruto, the occasion galvanized unified efforts to protect and restore vital ecosystems such as the Kaptagat Forest.

In his address, President Ruto emphasized the critical role of reforestation in addressing climate change and safeguarding

biodiversity. He announced the fencing of the Kaptagat Forest Ecosystem, a key watershed and biodiversity hotspot, as a strategic move to curb illegal encroachment and enhance sustainable forest management. He also underscored the importance of community-led conservation through participatory forest management structures.

KMTCC's contribution to the event underlines its holistic view of health, encompassing not just medical training but also climate resilience and food security. Through the donation and planting of fruit tree seedlings, the College demonstrated a concrete action toward environmentally conscious, nutrition-sensitive development.

KMTCC's participation is part of its ongoing sustainability agenda that encourages partnerships with communities, institutions, and policymakers to foster greener, healthier, and more resilient futures. These efforts serve not only the environment but also the hundreds of communities whose livelihoods and well-being are intimately tied to the health of Kenya's forests.

# PICTORIALS



**PHOTO 1 & 2:** Health Cabinet Secretary Hon. Aden Duale visited Kisumu County on July 16, 2025, to officially launch the Taifa Care program and the Digital Health Transformation Agenda. He also engaged stakeholders at Jaramogi Oginga Odinga Sports Complex to advance universal healthcare and modernized health services in Kenya.



## PICTORIALS



The Cabinet Secretary for Energy and Petroleum, Hon. Opiyo Wandayi (centre), paid a courtesy visit to KMTCC Teso Campus on July 3, 2025, as part of his development tour in Teso North Constituency. The CS was received by the Campus Principal Mr. Daniel Kurui where he officially launched a street lighting project at the Kocholia Complex right at the entrance of KMTCC Teso Campus. The project is set to enhance security within and around the Campus, benefiting students, staff, and the neighbouring community.



Teso Campus Principal Mr. Daniel Kurui receives Energy and Petroleum CS Hon. Opiyo Wandayi on his arrival at the Campus.

# Advancing Equitable Health Systems Through Strategic Partnerships



**Public Health and Professional Standards PS, Mary Muthoni, during the meeting.**

**C**EO Dr. Kelly Oluoch participated in a high-level strategic partnership meeting with Johnson & Johnson Global Health Equity and its implementing partners, Aga Khan University and AMREF Health Africa.

The meeting, held on July 15, 2025, at the Ministry of Health headquarters, was convened by the Principal Secretary for Public Health and Professional Standards, Mary Muthoni, and focused on advancing health equity, strengthening the health workforce, and supporting universal health coverage through strategic collaborations.

The discussions focused on strengthening Kenya's health systems, particularly in the areas of Community Health, Mental Health, and Nursing, while advancing equity through targeted collaborations. The meeting underscored the critical role of strategic partnerships in building inclusive, responsive, and sustainable healthcare solutions across the country.

Ahead of the engagement, KMTTC was awarded a one-year grant by Johnson & Johnson through Aga Khan University and AMREF Health Africa. The grant is designed to bolster community and mental health systems in alignment with

Kenya's national health priorities and KMTTC's mission to train competent, innovative, and technology-driven health professionals.

Under the Nursing Alliance and Mental Health Strengthening program, KMTTC will expand the Higher National Diploma Psychiatric Nursing Scholarships to benefit 110 students in the upcoming September 2025 intake. Additionally, psychiatric nursing training will be scaled up from a single center at Mathari Campus to seven campuses nationwide. A Virtual Simulation Laboratory will also be established at Mathari Campus to enhance hands-on learning, supported by the digitalization of the psychiatric curriculum and targeted faculty training in virtual simulation and e-learning delivery.

Through the Community Health Units for Universal Health Coverage (CHU4UHC) initiative implemented in collaboration with AMREF Africa, KMTTC will develop and validate a Common Mental health course for integration across all its training programs. The College will further train 630 nurses and 200 clinical officers from Level 2 and 3 facilities in Nakuru and Kisumu counties through a structured Training-of-Trainers (TOT) model.





Health PS Mary Muthoni (centre) and partner representatives during the meeting at the Ministry headquarters.



CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch during the meeting.

# KMTC CEO Recognized for Leadership at ALM Africa 2025 Summit

CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch, played a prominent role at the Africa Leadership Magazine (ALM) Africa Summit 2025, held in London from July 9 to 11, 2025.

As a high-level delegate, Dr. Oluoch joined other distinguished guests for a series of events, most notably at the House of Lords on July 10, 2025. The gathering in Corridor Room 14 of the Palace of Westminster gave delegates the chance to engage in meaningful dialogue with global leaders in one of the world's most historic democratic institutions.

Hosted by Baroness Sandy Verma, member of the UK House of Lords and Chancellor of the University of Roehampton, the event included keynote addresses highlighting the critical role of ethical leadership, digital innovation, and family values in Africa's development. Baroness Verma called on African leaders to champion digitization as a pathway to sustainable progress.

In addition, Dr. Oluoch participated as a panelist in the summit's "Investing in Africa's Development" session, focusing on areas such as health, trade, and ICT. He shared KMTC's efforts to close Kenya's health workforce gap, noting the country's density of health workers, (1.2 per 1,000 population), remains below the World Health Organization's recommended ratio of 4.45.

He stressed the importance of scaling up training, expanding access to financing, and working closely with county governments and development partners to enhance job placement and retention of health professionals. Dr. Oluoch outlined KMTC's deliberate strategy to equip graduates for both national roles and global opportunities by continuously updating curricula and hosting job fairs in collaboration with local authorities.

Throughout the summit, Dr. Oluoch engaged with dignitaries including H.E. Jakaya Kikwete, former President of Tanzania and Chair of the ALM Global Advisory Board, and Dr. Ken Giami, Executive Chairman of ALM, as well as international recruiters and investors. These exchanges focused on building partnerships and unlocking investment to further health training and systems development.

A highlight of his participation came during the African Business Leadership Awards (ABLA), where Dr. Oluoch was recognized by the South Carolina House of Representatives for his remarkable contributions to international healthcare. The award acknowledged his exemplary leadership in health education, his commitment to sustainable health systems, and his enduring impact on public health in Africa.



**CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch (centre) among other delegates during the summit.**

The summit concluded with a guided tour of the historical Palace of Westminster, offering insights into the United Kingdom's democratic traditions.

The summit gathered more than 300 senior leaders, policymakers, investors, and development experts from across Africa and the diaspora to explore strategic partnerships and opportunities under the theme "Africa Unleashed: Positioning the Continent for Global Investment and Leadership."





CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch (2<sup>nd</sup> left) together with other delegates during the summit.



Dr. Kelly Oluoch among the delegates attending the summit in London.

# College Explores Strategic Collaboration with Jackson’s Clinics Foundation to Boost Specialized Physiotherapy Training

The College held a strategic partnership meeting with representatives from the Richard Jackson Clinics Foundation aimed at strengthening collaboration in physiotherapy training.

The visiting delegation led by the Clinics' Founding Partners, Dr. Richard Jackson and Ms. Anna Jackson was received by the Deputy Director Academics, Dr. Nyawira Mwangi, representing KMTCC CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch.

The discussions focused on enhancing the College’s Higher National Diploma (HND) programs in key specialized areas of physiotherapy such as Orthopaedic Manual Therapy, Neurorehabilitation, Pelvic Health, and Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation.

The meeting also explored the integration of digital learning tools to modernize and personalize our education, in line with global training standards.



KMTCC Deputy Director Academics, Dr. Nyawira Mwangi (centre), flanked by Dr. Richard Jackson (2<sup>nd</sup> left), Ms. Anna Jackson (2<sup>nd</sup> right), HoD Physiotherapy Mr. Daniel Kang’utu and Deputy Registrar Quality Assurance Ms. Lucy Kuria.

Also present were the Deputy Registrar of Quality Assurance, Ms. Lucy Kuria, and the Head of the Physiotherapy Department, Mr. Daniel Kang’utu.

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Board Directors led by the Chairperson Mr. Joseah K. Cheruiyot (5<sup>th</sup> left), Management and staff led by CEO Dr. Kelly Oluoch (4<sup>th</sup> left) during a supervisory support visit to Msambweni Campus on July 4<sup>th</sup>, 2025.



Bomet Campus Principal, Mrs. Alice Ong'era (holding jembe), during the groundbreaking ceremony for the new administration block on July 7, 2025, officiated by Bomet East MP, Hon. Richard Yegon (third from left - in reflector jacket).



From L-R: Mr. Abel Too (ICT Officer), Mr Dosantous Kalungu (Administrator), Registrar Mr. Ronald Wasike (second from right) and Makindu Campus Principal Mrs. Margaret Juma during an academic support visit to the Campus on June 30, 2025.

## CAMPUS CORNER

# Makueni Campus Champions Soft And Employability Skills Training

Makueni Campus reaffirmed its commitment to holistic student development by hosting a transformative training session on soft skills and employability. The event was organized in partnership with the Makueni County First Lady Anita Mbinya Foundation, BrighterMonday, and the Mastercard Foundation.

The training equipped students with interpersonal and professional skills aimed at boosting their job readiness and competitiveness in the labor market. Upon successful completion, participants were awarded certificates to acknowledge their achievement and growth.



From L-R: Makueni County's Director of Gender, Youth, Children, Sports, Social Services Mr. Boniface Mutinga, Principal KMTCC Makueni Ms. Mary Kioko and Makueni County First Lady Anita Mbinya Mutula, during the training on July 3, 2025.



KMTCC Nursing student Roselyne Munyara is congratulated by Makueni County First Lady Anita Mbinya Mutula as she receives an award in recognition of her successful training.



A section of Makueni Campus students during the training.



# PICTORIALS



Gatundu Campus Principal Mr. Jonah Siget (right), during a meeting with area Member of Parliament Hon. Gabriel Kagombe on July 17, 2025. They discussed infrastructural support for both Gatundu and Mutunguru campuses to enhance educational facilities and student experiences.



Campus Principal, Mr. Sammy Amdany (left), presents a memorandum requesting additional lecture halls during the Finance Bill 2025 public participation forum at ACK Cathedral, Nyeri. Also present were the MP for Mukurweini, Hon. John Kaguchia (2<sup>nd</sup> left), MP for Igembe South MP Hon John Paul Mwirigi (2<sup>nd</sup> right), and MP for Nyeri Town Hon. Duncan Mathenge (right). It was confirmed that the area MP has secured Kshs. 20 million for the construction of a new tuition block.

Campus Principal Mr. Kennedy Metto (left) receives a bursary cheque of Kshs. 845,000 from the Kiharu National Government Constituency Development Fund (NG-CDF) presented by Mr. Joseph Ndung'u (right) to support financially challenged students across KMTc (June 27, 2025).

## CDF Bursary Support Boosts Access to Education for KMTc Students



## PICTORIALS

Campus Principal Mr. Jonah Sigei (2<sup>nd</sup> left) receives books from Dr. Eunice Obiero (2<sup>nd</sup> right) of Holy Trinity Church ACK Kericho. She is flanked by Rev Dr. John Rotich (left) and Mr. Maxwel Jalango (right).



Campus received a bursary cheque worth Kshs. 860,000 from the Makueni Constituency Development Fund (CDF).



## PICTORIALS



Principal of KMT Marsabit Dr. Agnes Linus (seated), hosted the Council of Governor's press team led by the Marsabit County Executive Committee Member for Health Mr. Boru Malicha, in preparations for a documentary on county development projects, with KMT highlighted as a flagship initiative.

Campus, on July 2, 2025, received a donation of 1,800 tree seedlings from KCB Bank's Kimilili Branch led by the Manager Mr. Emmanuel Loparatum.



## CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY (CSR)



At Mbooni Campus, the Environmental Club is leading a tree nursery project with over 16,000 seedlings, equipping students with practical conservation skills while driving the national tree planting agenda as part of the institution's CSR initiatives.



# CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY (CSR)



**Mandera Campus, in collaboration with the National Drought Management Authority, planted 200 trees to support environmental conservation on July 15, 2025.**



**On July 17, 2025 Mandera Campus gave back to the community by hosting a successful blood drive, fostering a spirit of compassion and solidarity.**





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## Mission

To develop fit-for-purpose middle-level health professionals through transformative training, research and consultancy



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