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### Message from the National Coordinator

*Dear MACIS Members,*

*A happy and successful new year to you all. With the holiday period coming to an end MACIS staff have returned to the office to prepare for a busy year ahead. The new year has already brought some more changes for MACIS as we have moved to a new office location.*

### **New MACIS Office**

MACIS is now located on Nsambya Road, co-located with Catholic Relief Services (CRS) right behind the US Embassy. As MACIS members you are always welcome to visit your network office in Nsambya and take advantage of the resources available. We would like to thank the Italian Cooperation for hosting us in their premises over the past year.

### **GFATM – Call for New Board Members**

The Developing Country NGO Delegation to the Global Fund Board is seeking additional individuals to be part of the delegation. The selection committee is seeking nominations from individuals representing NGOs and CBOs from the global south. Delegation members are volunteers and can expect to commit around 10-25% of a full time position to this role. More information on the role and the selection process is available in the attached flyer. Nominations are due on 10 February 2013.

### **Positive Action for Children – Call for Proposals**

ViiV Healthcare's Positive Action for Children Fund is calling for proposals from non-government and community-based organisations involved in prevention of mother-to-child transmission of HIV (PMTCT). Proposals are due in early March 2013. Please visit the ViiV Healthcare website for details:

<http://www.viivhealthcare.com/community/positive-action-for-children-fund/grant-criteria-and-application.asp>

### **EAHF in Kigali**

The 4th Annual East African Health & Scientific Conference and International Health Exhibition and Trade Fair will be held on 27-29 March 2013 in Kigali. The main theme of the conference is 'Regional Health Priorities and Opportunities – Evidence for Action in the Changing Global Financial Situation'. An information flyer for the conference is attached. Interested participants should visit [www.eahsc.eac.int](http://www.eahsc.eac.int) for further details and registration.

*God Bless You!*

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