

PROFILE OF MRS CLEMENTINA EBERE OKORO

Clementina Ebere Okoro (M.SC, RDN) is a Registered Dietitian-Nutritionist and a Nigerian female with 32 years of experience in Public Health Nutrition, specializing in Nutrition and Dietetics within a government setting. She has a broad background in Nutrition, with specific training and expertise to drive multi-sectorial partnership campaigns and execute successful multi-disciplinary stakeholder involvement in program implementation. She is happily married with 5 children.



Currently, she works in the Federal Ministry of Budget and Economic Planning as Director / Head of the Food and Nutrition Department. Previously, she worked with the Federal Capital Territory Administration as the FCT Nutrition Coordinator. She has been actively involved in coordinating and managing Food and Nutrition plans and programs in the country.

She graduated from the University of Nigeria, Nsukka, and Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria, where she obtained a B.Sc in Nutrition and Dietetics and an M.Sc in Nutrition, respectively. She is currently a Ph.D. student in the Sustainable Development Department of the University of Abuja. She is a financial member of various professional bodies, including the Nutrition Society of Nigeria, Dietitians Association of Nigeria, American Society for Nutrition, and Nutrition Society, United Kingdom.

She has attended more than 30 professional conferences and workshops, where she has presented research papers and facilitated workshops at both local and international levels.

She has served in various committees and leadership positions as well. She is a co-investigator on several University of Abuja NIH-funded grants. She laid the groundwork for the dietary team on the Population Survey of the Nigerian Sodium Study and has established strong ties with international, local, and community stakeholders in areas of her research. In addition, she has successfully administered projects, including staffing, research protections, and budget management.

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