

## Introduction update Leonard Kamwendo

My name is Leonard Kamwendo. I am a nurse student at St Lukes College of Health Science studying diploma in nursing and midwifery.

I am a second year student but the program is for three years.

I come from a poor family. We are with seven in number supported by my mother only who is just a local farmer. My mother struggles to provide us in terms of food as well as school fees.

My fellow relatives are in secondary school (three brothers and one sister) and other young brother is in primary school. This makes a pressure to my mother to provide us with school fees.

I am very passionate about being a nurse because it was my desire since I was young to help people who are in need of care like sick people.

This scholarship of iSTEPup will mean a lot to me because I don't want to finish my education at Diploma level. If all goes well I would like to continue my education to Degree level then Masters degree which is the highest grade of the program in the country.