

ZANZIBAR HEALTH RESEARCH INSTITUTE
(ZAHRI)

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Introduction

- ▶ The Zanzibar Health Research Institute, hereafter abbreviated as ZAHRI is expected to become fully operational in July 2018. right now working under the legal act no 125 of 02 January 2018.
- ▶ The vision of ZAHRI is to conduct, coordinate, regulate and promote scientifically and ethically sound, high quality health research and deliver evidence-based information that is responsive to the needs of human well-being in the society.
- ▶ ZAHRI aims in promoting health research and utilise the research findings for alleviating health related problems in Zanzibar

Core values

- ▶ Its core values include upholding Integrity, Accountability, Unity, Innovation, Quality, and Ethical consideration in health research

Objectives of the institute

- ▶ Ensuring that research conducted by ZAHRI are online with national health research priorities and policy and addresses global health problems also aims in addressing health research institutionally ,nationally and internationally.
- ▶ Identifying, promoting and developing special talents among ZAHRI researchers and support staff with a view to develop a critical mass research scientists and support staff in ZAHRI
- ▶ Encouraging collaborative research between scientists within ZAHRI and researches in other research and development institutions within and outside the country
- ▶ Promoting ,assisting and undertaking research that meets the highest international scientific standards of excellence and ethics and that pertains to all aspects of health ,including biomedical research, clinical research and research respecting health system ,health services ,the health of the populations, societal and cultural dimensions of health and environmental influences on health.

BINGUNI area for zahri



Administration block -zahri binguni

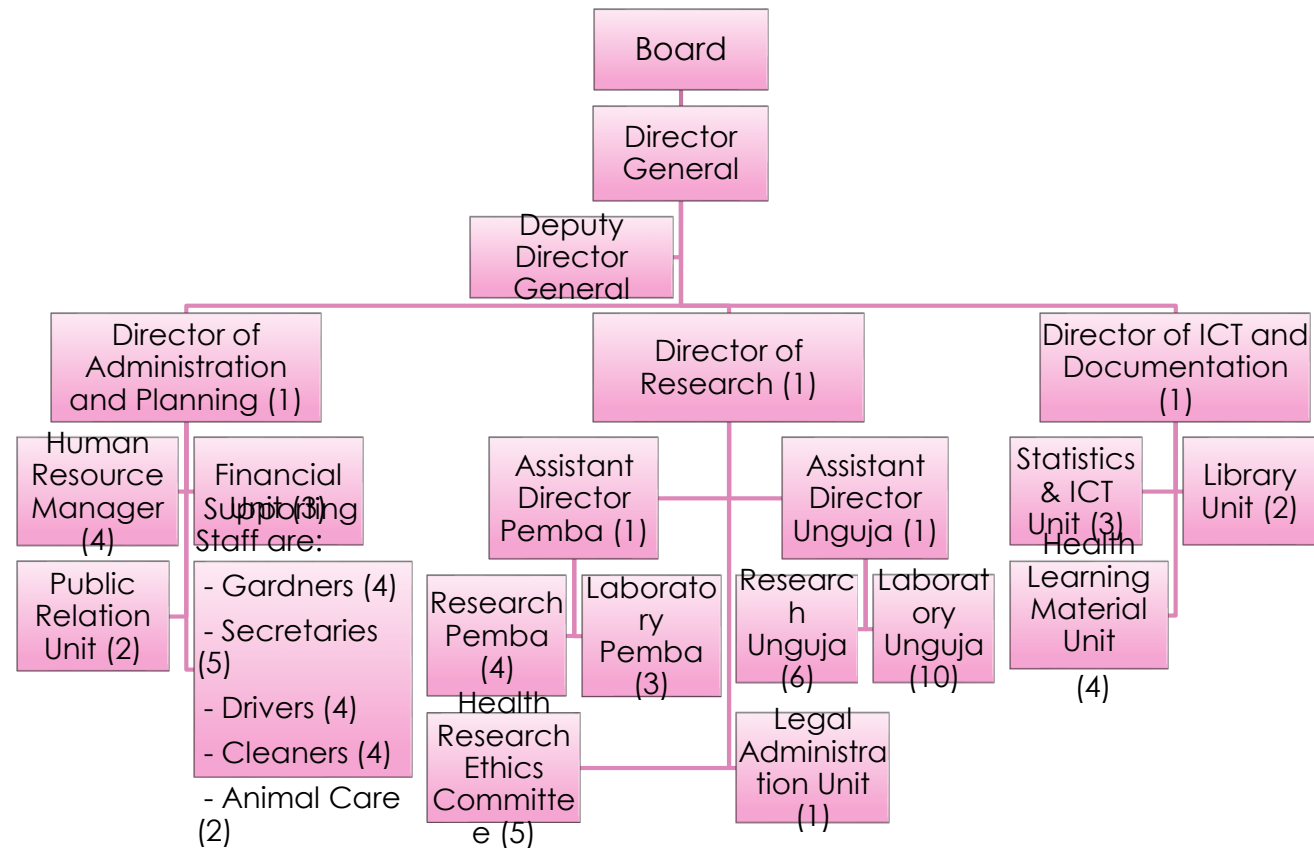




Proposed modern international laboratories at Binguni area

- ▶ Microbiology laboratory.
- ▶ Toxicology laboratory.
- ▶ Entomology and parasitology laboratory pathology laboratory.
- ▶ pharmacology laboratory .
- ▶ Photochemistry.
- ▶ Biotechnology laboratory.
- ▶ Virology laboratory.

Organogram- zahri



Functions of the institute

- ▶ To carry out and promote research in various aspect of traditional medicines practices for the purpose of facilitating the development and application of herbal medicine.
- ▶ To monitor ,control and coordinate health research carried out on behalf of the benefit of the people of Zanzibar and evaluate the findings of that research.
- ▶ To register the findings of health research carried out in Zanzibar and to promote the practical application of those findings for the purpose of improving and advancing the health and general welfare of the people of Zanzibar.
- ▶ To consult ,collaborate and form partnership with persons and organization in or outside Zanzibar that have an interest in issues pertain to health or health researches.

Functions of the ZAHRI conti....

- ▶ To communicate with the public ,governments, international research communities ,voluntary organizations and the private sector on issues pertaining to health or health research.
- ▶ To provide attractive terms and conditions of services for researchers so as to motivate research and reward productivity as per public service act .
- ▶ To strengthen the health research infrastructure in ZAHRI by placing due emphasis on institutional development and improving logistical and technical support to health research operations .
- ▶ To improve the linkage between health research and application of the research results in guiding policies and best practices in the health sector.

Functions of ZAHRI CONTIN....

- ▶ To facilitate repackaging of research information to ensure dissemination of friendly research findings within and outside Zanzibar.
- ▶ To address emerging health opportunities ,threat's and challenges and accelerating the discovery of cures and treatments and improvements to health care, prevention and wellness strategies.
- ▶ To foster the discussion of ethical issues and the application of ethical principles to health researches.
- ▶ To pursue opportunities and providing support for the participation of Zanzibar scientists in international collaboration and partnerships in health researches.

Zanzibar health research activities at the interface of AL and Health

- ▶ In line with the topic identified by AL and Health, the following will be emerged-
- ▶ Health and health related problems will be identified and shared in the platform.
- ▶ Technical and evidence base information will be created.
- ▶ Health care delivery and its coverage will be evaluated.
- ▶ Disease burden and will be known.
- ▶ Priority setting in planning activities will be enhanced.
- ▶ There for integration of health in all proposed components with improve the quality of health in Zanzibar.

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