



CENTAL: Phase II

	Implementing partner(s)	Center for Transparency and Accountability in Liberia (CENTAL)
	Location	Nationwide
	Agreement period	01 January 2024 – 30 September 2027
	Budget total	15 000 000 SEK

Overview and objectives

This is the second phase of the National Integrity Building and Anti-Corruption Program (NIBA), implemented by the Center for Transparency and Accountability in Liberia (CENTAL). The program builds and will draw from lessons learnt from the previous support. The overall aim of the program is to “Contribute to building and sustaining a Liberia where citizens act with transparency and integrity in all their dealings”; which will be reached by focusing both on increasing transparency and integrity of public sector institutions, but also by increasing citizens’ action in upholding integrity and transparency. There will also be a focus on continued capacity building of CENTAL.



Figure 1: CENTAL Integrity Club members at Corina Hotel. Photo Credit: CENTAL

The objectives Phase II include:

- to increase citizens’ access to relevant information and mechanisms to demand for and take well-meaning actions against corruption,
- to increase individual and collective advocacy efforts against corruption, and
- to strengthen the capacity of CENTAL to effectively play her independent monitoring and advocacy roles.

Activities

CENTAL has been implementing the NIBA programme successfully since August 2020 including the successful launch and implementation of Integrity Clubs (i-Club), the Advocacy and Legal Advice Center (ALAC), the Integrity Watch Radio (i-Watch), the National Integrity Forum (NIF), and other key programme outputs aimed at fostering a larger citizen involvement in the fight against corruption. In the second phase of the program, activities will build on and further develop based on the lessons learnt from the first phase.