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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

- KDLG** - KATAKWI DISTRICT LOCAL GOVERNMENT
- DPO** - DISTRICT PRODUCTION OFFICER
- DAO** - DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL OFFICER
- DVO** - DISTRICT VETERINARY OFFICER
- DFO** - DISTRICT FISHERIER OFFICER
- DCO** - DISTRICT COMMERCIAL OFFICER.



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## ABSTRACT

These contain the internship activities like crop and animal husbandry practices, meat inspection, vaccination of pests, diagnosis of diseases, prevention and treatment finally monitoring and evaluation of all activities. However, these were also challenges during internship both organization and personal that include.

- Few extension workers to cover the entire district where the few ones are over whelmed.
- Lack of transport from home to the District.
- Shortage of tools such as masks for pets during vaccination, few automatic syringes for vaccination.

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## CHAPTER ONE: INTRODUCTION I

### what is internship

This is the time where a student is sent to the field particularly in the farm, institution, NGOS, Local Government etc. to relate the theory in class with the practical in the field to acquire more knowledge on office management, build relationship between the staff and the student for employment opportunity after the course which is treated as part of experience

### Historical background of Katakwi District

Katakwi District Local Government was created from Soroti District in 1997 established with the following departments) Finance, Planning, Administration and Audit

- (ii) Works, Production and Marketing
- (iii) community based Services

In my internship I was directly training with production and marketing department. It has 26 staff with the Production Officer as a head of department and other sector heads, veterinary officers Fisheries Officer, Agriculture Officer and Marketing Officer.

The district is having 20 sub counties including Town Councils with 10 Agricultural officers and 10 assistant veterinary officers.

### Location of Katakwi District Local Government

Katakwi District is located in the eastern Uganda, Teso sub region and in north Teso. It's bordering Napak from North and the east Kumi in the South Bukedea in the South East, Soroti in the South West and Amuria/Kapelebyong in the West.

### Reasons for creation a new district by government

- (i) To bring services nearer to the People
- (ii) To avoid tribal conflicts
- (iii) To create employment to the people
- (iv) To decentralize the powers from the Centre to local people.