## **REAL Fathers "Let Girls and The Environment" to Thrive**

Responsible Engaged and Loving (**REAL**) Fathers is a homegrown, government endorsed **approach to preventing violence in homes and communities.** With the increasing challenges of environmental, climate change and food insecurity, the government through the Ministry of water and environment is collaborating with Fidelitas Scientific Execution Facility (Fidelitas Uganda) to adapt REAL Fathers, to enhance the model by enabling it to double its development outcomes at the same cost. A new focus on Renewable Environments **A**nd **L**ivelihoods was added – hence creating REAL<sup>2</sup>, signifying dual-care for both the adolescent girls and the environment.

What is new in the mentorship manual?

- Focus will be on dual care for the adolescent girls and the environment
- The mentorship sessions and capacity sharing will take 6 months to complete
- The implementation will have 6 months of monthly progress monitoring and 6 months (Month 7 12) of learning, tracking changes, scale and spread planning
- Spread planning will be followed by supporting scale and spread of REAL<sup>2</sup> outcomes

## Mentorship modules:

- 1. Vision for my family
- 2. Vision for my Environment
- 3. My daughters and sons
- 4. Importance of Education
- 5. Overcoming teenage pregnancy and child marriage to complete education
- 6. Family dreams
- 7. Loving my family
- 8. Sustainable energy and land-use practices
- 9. Parenting
- 10. REAL Fathers community celebrations

Stay tuned for the revised materials and lessons from the pilot!