EPISODE 15  How Husbands can support FP

1. MUSIC: THE THEME MUSIC AND FADES UNDER THE HOST’S VOICE

2. YINKA: Yes, my people, its Yinkus, the only iyalode of the airwaves and you are welcome to another episode of Ireti Eda, part of the Get it Together campaign.

3. BOSUN: (SINGING IN A FUJI STYLE) Ireti Eda let to dun lati gbo (Ireti Eda is an interesting program to listen to)

4. YINKA: (CHUCKLES) Bosun, I can see that you can’t wait to introduce yourself on the show

5. BOSUN: Yinkus, yinkus. I am so happy.

6. YINKA: That makes the two of us. Cos I am really happy too. But I’m sure it’s Sade that’s intoxicating you o

7. BOSUN: (LAUGHS) No o Yinkus. It’s actually because today is another episode of our drama. Last episode, Abokede made a huge impression on the Animashaun’s family by returning Bello’s lost bag. I’m loving that girl the more everyday o

8. YINKA: Let Sade catch you. My people, let’s go and find out what is happening in the drama today

9. CUE IN: FLUTE AND EWI TO INTRODUCE DRAMA

10. CUE IN: EPISODE 15 OF DRAMA FOR 12 MINUTES

11. YINKA: Welcome back. The program is still Ireti Eda and I remain Yinkus and Da Boss is still right here with me. Bosun, I really don’t know what Tayo’s problem is o

12. BOSUN: Tayo is something else, what does she still want with Umaru? She knows perfectly well that he is a married man.

13. YINKA: I think she just wants to cause problem between Lami and Umaru.

14. BOSUN: Yes that’s what I think too; Umaru just have to be very careful, so that that girl will not put sand sand in his garri o.

15. YINKA: I don’t know why girls like Tayo won’t keep their hands off other people’s property. Well… I trust Lami she will not give her that chance at all. And moreover, Umar is a very responsible man

16. BOSUN: Yes o. See how he supports his wife in everything. Even in the planning of their family. I love him already. He is very responsible!
17. **YINKA:** By the way, you know it’s my 5th year wedding anniversary today right?

18. **BOSUN:** Are you kidding me? I didn’t know. Congrats. Aa ni lati we o (lit. ‘we must wash it’ fig. We need to celebrate this)

19. **YINKA:** Ki la fe fi we? (What are we celebrating with?).

20. **BOSUN:** I know just the right song to play.

21. **MUSIC BREAK:** CUE IN MUSIC – OLOOMI BY TOSIN MARTINS

22. **BOSUN:** Welcome back. It’s still Ireti Eda and that was Oloomi by Tosin Martins. Lovely song. I am sure you are feeling all loved up now

23. **YINKA:** Ah Bosun, you just made me feel like going home to be with my husband right now

24. **BOSUN:** Home ke? No o. We still have work to do o

25. **YINKA:** Just kidding. We can’t end this program without Aunty Adunni talking to our listeners

26. **BOSUN:** And she is right here with us

27. **FANFARE:** SOUND OF CLAPS AND CHEERS AS AUNTY ADUNNI COMES INTO STUDIO

28. **YINKA:** Aunty Adunni, welcome to the program

29. **ADUNNI:** Thank you. Yinkus. So today is your wedding anniversary. congratulations

30. **YINKA:** Thank you. 5 years now o

31. **ADUNNI:** I have been married for 20 years now

32. **BOSUN:** Wow, Aunty Adunni. That’s profound. I wonder how you did it.

33. **ADUNNI:** (LAUGHTER) Don’t worry Bosun, makan makan loye nkan (everyone gets his turn). It will soon be your turn

34. **BOSUN:** It’s even good o. Because today we are talking about how husbands can support family planning. Aunty Adunni, you know that many men believe that family planning is a woman issue

35. **ADUNNI:** (LAUGHS) That’s true. A lot of men believe that family planning is just for the woman. But it is not just the wife that runs the home. In fact, as the head of the family, the husband should be more involved with planning his family

36. **YINKA:** Hmm, aunty Adunni, that’s very true o. But what are men supposed to do exactly. How can they support FP?

37. **ADUNNI:** Yinka, there are many things they can do o. The first thing is for them to even know what Family planning is.

38. **BOSUN:** I agree o aunty Adunni. Because before I started here, I didn’t even take the time to think about Family Planning.

39. **ADUNNI:** Ah Bosun, men need to think about it o. It is actually a major life decision where people decide when and how they want to have
their children. And in doing so, they will consider the well being of the mother, how they can take care of the children after they come, among other issues

40. **BOSUN:** Aunty Adunni, me I know that now o. In fact any correct man now knows o. It is about the well being of the entire family.

41. **YINKA:** *(CHUCKLES)* I can see that Bosun is now an expert. So after our husbands learn all they can about family planning, what else can they do?

42. **ADUNNI:** Well, they have to discuss it with their wives. They should both decide how many children they can cater for, how they want to space the children etc. And if the wife raises the issue of family planning, her husband should support her.

43. **YINKA:** Here is a text message from Olamide. **Aunty Adunni, I already have 2 children and my wife is pregnant with the third. What should i do if she asks me about family planning**

44. **ADUNNI:** Ah Olamide, your wife’s health is very important o. And you really need to open up and talk with her about this. You don’t have to wait for her to ask you. Raise the issue with her. When she is the one that starts the discussion on FP, don’t brush it aside like it is not an issue. It is a big issue o.

45. **BOSUN:** My brothers, shey you dei hear o. Please be cooperative o.

46. **YINKA:** And for the women, find a good time, and have this talk with your husband. I am sure he will listen to you. No fear.

47. **BOSUN:** *(CHUCKLES)* You know now, after correct amala has entered into his stomach.

48. **YINKA:** Bosun! Tifun loran! (glutton!). There is another message from Seun from Bodija. Seun says **Aunty Adunni, I really love this program. I listen to it every week. I really like family planning o. I’m less stressed about money and my wife and I are feeling younger. But I don’t know how to tell my friends about it so that they can also try family planning.**

49. **ADUNNI:** Well the first thing you should tell your friends is what you told me, about being less stressed and feeling younger. That should get them interested.

50. **BOSUN:** You are a correct man Seun. I am sure even your friends will want to know what’s going on with you and how you are looking so relaxed.

51. **YINKA:** Wow, this has really been an interesting program. But time is so far spent. Thanks for coming on the program, aunty Adunni.

52. **ADUNNI:** Thank you too Yinka. It’s always a pleasure.
53. **YINKA:** Okay my people, its still Ireti Eda. lets unwind with this music, we’ll be right back

54. **MUSIC BREAK: CUE IN MUSIC**

55. **BOSUN:** Yeah that’s lovely isn’t it? You just listened to the music of Adewale Ayuba, “**Get up and Dance**”.

56. **YINKA:** Now to our quiz segment of the program, our question for today:
How can husbands support Family Planning. You can send in your answer via SMS to this number ………… remember, there are prizes to be won

57. **BOSUN:** If you would like to know where you can access FP services, you can call ........ or go to a clinic, chemist, pharmacy or drug seller with a sign that reads ‘‘Get it together’’ and has a blue, yellow and orange puzzle pieces logo.
You can also follow us on our facebook link at ‘Get it together Ibadan/ Ilorin page.

58. **YINKA:** Thanks for staying tuned to today’s edition of the program, join us again next week, bye and God bless

59. **MUSIC:** **THEME MUSIC UP & UNDER PROGRAMME SPONSORSHIP & BY-LINE (GET IT TOGETHER, PLAN YOUR FAMILY)**