



Africa Regional Workshop on Improving Routine Data for Child Health in National Health Information Systems

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Workshop Summary

Daily Themes

- **Day One:**
 - Child Health Programming Globally
 - Measurement - Data Elements, Indicators and Use
- **Day Two:**
 - Strengthening Health Information Systems (HIS)
- **Day Three:**
 - Community Data
 - Digital Solutions
- **Day Four:**
 - Country Action Plans
 - Workshop Synthesis

Day Three: Digital Solutions “Circuit”

- Overview - MCSP
- Living Goods - Medic Mobile
- World Vision - Comm Care platform
- MOH Malawi - cStock & CCM
- Malaria Consortium – upSCALE (CommCare)
- ONA, HSPH - OpenSRP
- Terre Des Hommes and Government of Burkina Faso – leDA platform
- PSI - HNQIS/Malaria Case Surveillance

Group Reflections

Question 1: Reflecting on the activities and discussions of the past four days, what are the things that stand out in your minds. Something that you learned, excited you, were surprised by?

Question 2: Is there anything that you would like the sponsors of this workshop to consider for the future?

Instructions

- Break into stakeholder groups by table
 1. Ministries of Health
 - 1a. DRC
 - 1b. Ethiopia
 - 1c. Nigeria
 - 1d. Mozambique
 - 1e. South Africa
 - 1f. Others – Malawi, Tanzania, Uganda, Zimbabwe
 2. USAID
 3. WHO
 4. UNICEF
 5. NGOs, Digital Partners, Others
 6. MCSP Home Office

Did we achieve our desired results?

Participants will leave the workshop with...

- **New information, tools and approaches** to improve the availability, accessibility and quality of routine child health and nutrition data and strengthen their HMIS/HIS
- **Country action plans** addressing gaps in the availability, quality and use of routine child health/nutrition data and strengthening national and subnational HMIS/HIS
- **Technical support needs** included in country action plans
- **Opportunities for cross-country exchanges** identified
- **New contacts** established with fellow child health, nutrition, HMIS/HIS and digital health experts
- **Global investments in child health, nutrition and HMIS/HIS** informed by country needs and best practices

Global Child Health Landscaping

- Why? Fragmentation of child health programming and of global leadership
- Report: Putting the child back together



Thank You!