

Technical Assistance

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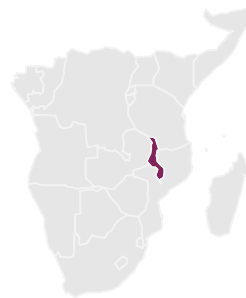
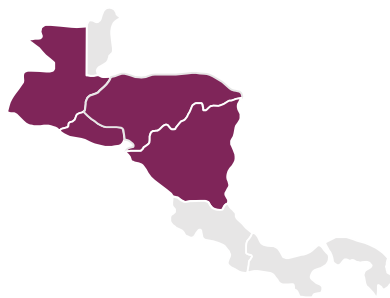
Women and Children First is experienced in providing technical assistance to partners seeking to support local communities to come up with answers to the problems facing women, children and young people. We offer a high quality package of short-term or long-term assistance. Our services can be tailored to your need and can be delivered as a sub-grantee and consultant.

Our services include:

1. Designing new community support tools
2. Implementing our tested and effective support tools:
 - [MNH tool](#) to increase maternal and newborn survival
 - [FP tool](#) to improve family planning uptake
 - [PMTCT tool](#) to promote HIV prevention activities during pregnancy, delivery and after birth.
3. Monitoring and evaluating the effect of support approaches

Value of our approach

We tailor and deliver services that build the capacity of our partner organisations in the design, implementation, management and evaluation of the community support tools. We strive for an integrated approach, tailored to the context, to increase sustainability. We are small, creative, and rigorously efficient, and have an excellent and experienced team.



Latin America

Partner
Health Poverty Action

Funder
EC (EUR2.2 million)

Dates
2015 – 2018

Challenge
Reproductive, maternal and newborn health

Number of communities supported
124 – 93,000 people

Services provided
Adaptation and training in implementation, management and evaluation of MNH tool

Number of people trained
24 NGO staff – cascaded to >150 volunteers

Malawi

Partner
MaiKhanda Trust

Funder
PACF (£150,000)

Dates
2017 – 2019

Challenge
Prevention of mother-to-child transmission of HIV

Number of communities supported
120 – 96,077 people

Services provided
Design and training in implementation, management and evaluation of PMTCT tool

Number of people trained
10 NGO staff – cascaded to >80 volunteers and community health workers

Myanmar

Partner
Health Poverty Action

Funder
UKAID (£1 million)

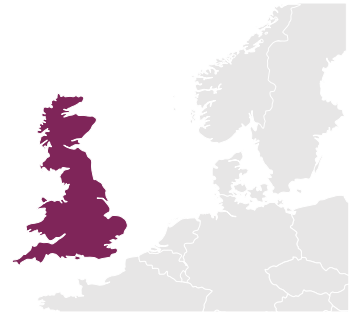
Dates
2015 – 2018

Challenge
Reproductive, maternal and newborn health

Number of communities supported
78 – 88,500 people

Services provided
Adaptation and training in implementation, management and evaluation of MNH tool

Number of people trained
48 NGO staff – cascaded to >150 volunteers and community health workers



Sierra Leone

Partner
The Welbodi Partnership

Funder
UKAID (£249,945)

Dates
2014 – 2018

Challenge
Maternal and newborn health

Number of communities supported
140 – 200,000 people

Services provided
Adaptation and training in implementation, management and evaluation of MNH tool

Number of people trained
4 NGO staff – cascaded to >75 volunteers

Ethiopia

Partner
Doctors for Africa CUAMM

Funder
CR and BLF (£705,982)

Dates
2017 – 2020

Challenge
Maternal, perinatal and newborn health and stillbirths

Number of communities supported
100 – 39,893

Services provided
Adaptation and training in implementation, management and evaluation of MNH tool

Number of people trained
20 NGO staff – cascaded to >100 community health workers

UK

Partner
University College London

Funder
NIHR (£100,000)

Dates
2017 – 2018

Challenge
Infant nutrition and feeding practices

Number of communities supported
4 – 2,000 people

Services provided
Design and training in implementation, and evaluation of infant nutrition and care practice tool

Number of people trained
4 volunteers

Assistance service components

- A. Community support tools and implementation materials
- B. The community support modular training course, developed in collaboration with WHO, which covers:
 - Design and adaptation
 - Implementation
 - Monitoring and evaluation
- C. Tailored short- and long-term backstopping support
- D. Community support conference and virtual network

Richard Horton –
Editor of the Lancet

“It’s not a drug. It’s not a vaccine. It’s not a device. It’s women, working together, solving problems, saving lives.”

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