

Technical Assistance

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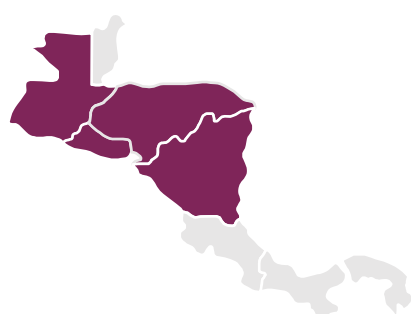
Women and Children First is experienced in providing technical assistance to partners seeking to support local communities to come up with answers to the problems facing women, children and young people. We offer a high quality package of short-term or long-term assistance. Our services can be tailored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

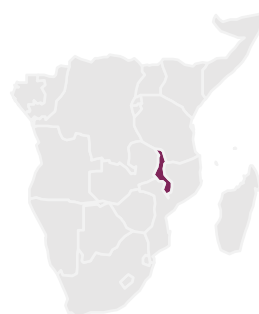
124 – 93,000 people

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

118 – 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

DFID (£249,945)

Dates

2014 – 2018

Challenge

Maternal and newborn health

Number of communities supported

100 – 100,000 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

124 – 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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