Cameroon

Ensuring the wellness of families and communities by strengthening health systems around the world.

Program Start
2004

Key Technical Areas
HIV Prevention, Care, and Treatment
Population-based Surveys
Monitoring and Evaluation
Quality Improvement

Current Funders
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)
Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)

Current Projects

- **Technical Assistance for the Expansion of Option B+**
  ICAP is partnering with the Ministry of Health (MOH) to provide technical assistance to expand and improve HIV services for the prevention of mother-to-child transmission (PMTCT) in Cameroon. ICAP will support the scale up of antiretroviral therapy (ART) for pregnant women and their families as well as enhance the quality of programs. The approach will aim to: strengthen communities structures to increase HIV awareness and improve retention in care; enhance use of data to guide program improvement; and build capacity at all levels of the health system to coordinate HIV activities across the continuum of care. *(funded by the CDC through PEPFAR)*

- **Technical Assistance for HIV Prevention, Care, and Treatment Programs**
  ICAP is working with the MOH to enhance its PMTCT monitoring and evaluation (M&E) system to collect, analyze, and disseminate high-quality data. ICAP supports knowledge building of regional-level master trainers, who then train health facility staff on the use of M&E tools and on processes at the district and facility level to guide future planning of PMTCT scale-up and Option B+ integration. *(funded by PEPFAR through the CDC)*

- **Quality Improvement for Capacity Impact Project**
  ICAP is working with the MOH to support a quality improvement collaborative of 16 health facilities that are working together to improve turn-around time for the tests used to diagnose HIV in infants. *(funded by PEPFAR through HRSA)*

- **Population-based HIV Impact Assessment (PHIA)**
  ICAP is providing technical assistance and support to Cameroon’s Ministry of Health (MOH) to conduct a population-based HIV impact assessment to evaluate HIV prevalence, incidence, and access to prevention, care, and treatment services. The project aims to assess the impact of Cameroon’s HIV response at the national level to help guide and target future investments and programs. *(funded by PEPFAR through the CDC)*