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DATA HIGHLIGHTS

as of December 17, 2015

In Zimbabwe:

- More than 2,400
 households participated in ZIMPHIA
- More than 4,700

 individuals, including
 1,100 children
 under 14, received HIV
 counseling and testing
- Overall response rates are on target

In Malawi, within the first month of data collection:

 Over 650 households participated in MPHIA

There's an App for That

Using Tablets for PHIA Data Collection

After weeks of training and preparation, PHIA survey teams are on the ground in Zimbabwe and Malawi, equipped



with tablet computers and wearing brightly colored tshirts emblazoned with survey logos. Over the next six months, they will interview adults and children from approximately 15,000 randomly selected households in each country using pre-programmed tablets and portable blood testing equipment.

Read more.

Almost 450
 individuals received HIV counseling and testing

VIDEO

"Knock, Knock, Knock," a song by Zimbabwean recording artists encouraging ZIMPHIA participation is airing regularly on national radio.



Click to listen to "Knock, Knock, Knock" on YouTube.

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PROJECT UPDATES

Zimbabwe

- Trained 200 field staff including satellite lab techs, nurses, interviewers, team leaders, supervisors and drivers in September
- Began ZIMPHIA data collection with 12 field teams in October, and scaled to full 20 teams in November
- Held a national launch for ZIMPHIA in September; provincial launches for Mashonaland Central and Matabeleland North were held in October

Malawi

- Trained 200 field staff including satellite lab techs, nurses, interviewers, team leaders, supervisors and drivers in October
- Held a national launch for MPHIA in October
- Held a zonal launch in Zomba (Southeast Zone) in November
- Began MPHIA data collection in Zomba with 20 field teams in November

Zambia

- Completed interviewer training for 250 field staff in November
- Held a national launch for ZAMPHIA in November
- Began field practice on December 1

PHIA IN THE NEWS

- Association of Schools and Programs of Public Health: Columbia's ICAP Leads
 Population-based HIV Impact Assessment
- Zimbabwe Daily: Zero Infections is Not a Pipe Dream

 Malawi 24: Malawi to Conduct HIV Impact Survey















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