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# PHIA PROJECT



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## DATA HIGHLIGHTS

As of May 19, 2016

### In Zimbabwe:

- More than **7,800** households have participated in ZIMPHIA
- More than **20,000** individuals, including over **4,800** children and adolescents ages 0-14, have received HIV counseling and testing

### In Malawi:

- More than **8,300** households have participated in MPHIA
- More than **16,000** individuals, including over **4,000** children and adolescents ages 0-14, have received HIV counseling and testing

## Supplies on Demand: Coordinating Logistics for the Multi-Country PHIA Project

PHIA survey teams are conducting thousands of interviews and HIV tests as they travel throughout Zimbabwe,

Malawi, and Zambia in 4x4 trucks loaded with supplies. Every single item the teams use, from butterfly needles and vacutainer tubes to clipboards and pens, has arrived in their hands through months of meticulously planned procurement, transport, and inventory management. As the project prepares to start new surveys in Uganda, Tanzania, Swaziland,



## In Zambia:

- More than **5,000** households have participated in ZAMPHIA
- More than **10,000** individuals, including over **2,800** children and adolescents ages 0-14, have received HIV counseling and testing

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and Lesotho, logistics are a central focus of activities.

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## PROJECT UPDATES

### Zimbabwe

- Partnered with ZIMSTAT, the national statistics agency, to conduct spot checks and quality assurance of household identification, household entry, consent and data collection procedures

### Malawi

- Expanded community mobilization efforts to include local radio spots and traditional dance and drama performances

### Zambia

- Completed data collection in Western and Northern Provinces
- Trained an additional 20 survey teams for phase-two deployment

### Uganda

- Began household listing of 523 enumeration areas nationwide
- Began recruiting field staff including nurses, clinical officers, laboratory technicians, interviewers
- First series of lab and interviewer trainings to begin in late May

### Tanzania

- Household listing to be completed by the end of May
- Preliminary laboratory training to be conducted in late May

### Swaziland

- Completed listing of all households in 289

enumeration areas

- Training of over 250 staff in laboratory and/or field survey procedures to begin in June

## Lesotho

- Survey received endorsement of Queen 'Masenate Mohato Seeiso
- Trainings to start in July



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