

THE LATEST FROM ZVANDIRI **APRIL TO JUNE 2019**



64,145

children, adolescents and young people living with HIV received Zvandiri services across 51 districts of Zimbabwe, through home visits, support groups and ART refill groups, clinic visits and MHealth



Led by 1,042 trained, mentored CATS,

integrated in 613 health facilities, supervised by Nurses and Primary Counsellors, with technical assistance from 49 Zvandiri Mentors and 42 Zvandiri interns.



HTS



4,822 children, adolescents and young people tested for HIV through index case finding



Diagnosed



linked and initiated on

1,646 self-test kits distributed to

16 -24 year olds by CATS



used the self-test to screen for HIV



of those received confirmatory testing at the

screened HIV positive



confirmed HIV



linked to ART

DIFFERENTIATED SERVICE DELIVERY



73% required standard care

27% required enhanced care

risk of common mental conditions

46% with depression, 33% anxiety, 12% trauma, 5% substance abuse, 4%psychosis



Mentorship, onsite & e-supervision for districts to

identify, support and refer children, adolescents and young people with mental health conditions

VIRAL LOAD MONITORING

1,250 children, adolescents and young people bled for



50%

received their results

virologically suppressed

Scale up of mental health services for young mothers children as well as children, adolescents and young people in Chipinge and Chimanimani post Cyclone Idai

MENTAL HEALTH

CATS-led mental health screening for **1427** CLIENTS

Continuation of the adolescent HIV and mental health trial to measure the feasibility and effectiveness of a CATS-led mental health intervention, in partnership with the Friendship Bench and MoHCC



Capacity strengthening of CATS to provide **Problem Solving** Therapy in partnership with Friendship Bench



SOCIAL PROTECTION CATS led identification and referral of

159 protection &



17.407 welfare cases



344 CATS working alongside case care workers and social welfare officers to promote the identification, referral and response for children at risk of harm

TB

Pilot of CATS-led, community based active case finding in Mashonaland West.



119 CATS trained to screen for TB, mobilise for IPT and refer to TB services.



137 screened positive for TB



4 diagnosed with TB



18 commenced



99.4% of their babies are



53% of Young Mothers found to have common mental conditions and referred for enhanced counselling

Operations research completed and 177 mother baby pairs assessed to explore the clinical and psychosocial status of HIV positive young mums and their babies

2.8% of babies found to have developmental delays and referred for management

DISABILITY



169 children identified and referred for disability services













27 visual challenges



reported learning challenges



12 mobility challenges

PMTC1



72 trained and mentored Young Mentor Mothers supporting 1170 pregnant or breastfeeding young mothers In 38 health facilities.

97 % of the young mothers have undetectable viral loads.



A Day in the Life of A **Young Mentor Mother**

- film documentation of the Young Mentor Mother program completed



Collaborative development, pilot and finalization of YMMs training curriculum and **YM Support Group** curriculum with MOHCC

CATS HEALTH

843 CATS Health Assessments



90% bled for Viral Load in last 12 months



92% virologically suppressed



3 deaths - PCP, meningitis, drowning accident



733 screened for TB



21% screened positive



74% received follow up investigations



7diagnosed with TB and put on TB treatment

49 referred for IPT and 23 put on treatment



ADVOCACY and EVENTS



Rehearsals and recordings of **two songs** for release in November 2019

Participation of CATS in the orientation training of in-coming junior parliamentarians and the launch of the **27th Session** of the Junior Parliament

Youth participation at the **OVC Task Force Conference on The essential role of OVC programming in HIV epidemic control,**Washington DC

Participation in the **Women Deliver Conference** in Canada

Digital Solution Co-creation workshop with SHM Youth Mentors from Cape Town and CATS in Harare and Buhera

Co-hosting of the **IAS Scientific Symposium** with the Ministry of Health and Child Care and IAS

Youth participation in the **Global Fund Replenishment Fund meetings** and media tour in Canada, the USA and Paris

Youth participation in the **National Validation Committee** for Dual Elimination of PMTCT and Syphilis, Zimbabwe

MEDIA and **TECHNOLOGY**

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6 U Reporters responded to 199 cases received via U-report dashboard



11040 U Reporters responded to 2 polls

Revised Zvandiri implementation tools and 'The Hub' app reviewed with MoHCC for finalisation

Continued strengthening of ZVAMODA for real team data capturing and case management of Zvandiri clients





13 episodes of the Zvandiri Radio Show broadcast on ZiFM

5 episodes were streamed live, reaching a total of 6885 viewers



Radio Show presenters included 6 Zvandiri Mentors, 20 adolescents and **6 young mothers** 18 vox pops were submitted by young reporters.



Beyond Zimbabwe



ESWATINI

- CATS' mentorship and supervision survey conducted in 10 health facilities
- 30 active CATS AND 47 inactive CATS reached with the survey.
- WHO and MOH meeting with Africaid Frontline and Cango to consider scale up of the model
- 1242 CAYPLHIV reached by 48 CATS.

RWANDA

- MoU Signed with local IP Dream Village & Rwanda Biomedical Centre (RBC) facilitating for the adoption of Zvandiri.
- Baseline Assessment for Dream Village and 10 Health Facilities. Trained 20 CATS and subsequent attachment to Health Facilities (June 2019).
- Mentorship planned July 2019

MOZAMBIQUE

- CATS' mentorship and supervision survey conducted in 4 health facilities
- 19 active CATS and 14 inactive CATS reached with the survey.
- 1297 CAYPLHIV reached by 33 CATS

NIGERIA

 Planning for site visit to Zvandiri in August 2019, by The Institute of Human Virology (IHV), CDC and MoH.

GHANA

- Planning for future partnership –
 Sourcing funding through Global Fund to implement Zvandiri locally.
- Planning for site visit to Zvandiri in August/September 2019.

CAMEROON

 Sharing of Zvandiri at the MOH-WHO paediatric and adolescent TWG meeting.

DRC

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NAMIBIA

- MOU with MOH in place awaiting signing with Namibia Attorney General.
- Baseline assessment and CATS training to follow after signing of MOU.

UGANDA

• 57 YAPS trained – More YAPS being trained. First Mentorship Scheduled for September 2019.

TANZANIA

- CATS' mentorship and supervision survey conducted in 7 health facilities
- 59 active CATS and 23 inactive CATS reached with survey.
- ♦ 66 CATS supporting 2362 ALHIV

MALAWI

 MOH interested in adopting the model; Communication underway with local IP, One Community (OC).

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