



Members of a community group from Archers Post, Samburu County display a vegetable nursey made possible with the support of the American people through USAID. Access to water supply has made it possible for locals to grow nutritious foods to supplement local diets.

# KENYA

## **APHIAPLUS IMARISHA**

APHIAplus IMARISHA is currently in its 7<sup>th</sup> year of implementation. Since its inception in March 2012, the project has made significant progress in supporting improved health service delivery in Garissa, Isiolo, Mandera, Marsabit, Samburu, Tana River, Turkana and Wajir counties, as well as making an impact in addressing social determinants of health which greatly affect health outcomes in this region. The project has been responsive to specific county contexts as each of the counties has diverse communities within it with different socio-cultural and religious practices and norms which affect health in varying ways.

USAID recently approved a 15-month (April 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019) cost-extension application for Amref Health Africa in Kenya to provide quality HIV services while strengthening the health system for sustained impact and transitioning support for HIV services management to Garissa, Isiolo, Mandera, Marsabit, Tana River and Wajir counties.

### **OUR WORK**

Over the years, APHIAplus IMARISHA's implementation approach has changed to reflect the evolving priorities in the Kenya Country Operational Plans (COPs) and epidemiological profile of the country.

Following the PEPFAR PIVOT and re-clustering of the counties supported by specific activities, APHIAplus IMARISHA has narrowed its support to the six central support counties of Garissa, Isiolo, Mandera, Marsabit, Tana River and Wajir extending support to 84 HIV Testing Services (HTS), 71 Prevention of Mother to Child Transmission (PMTCT) and 61 antiretroviral therapy (ART) sites.

## ACHIEVEMENTS

From March 2012 to March 2018, APHIAplus IMARISHA has:

- Reached 1,230,566 individuals with counseling and testing services including 379,999 pregnant women.
- Newly enrolled 10,893 adults and children on HIV treatment.
- Offered 33,500 males with voluntary medical male circumcision services.
- Served 40,616 orphans and vulnerable children.
- Supported 143,656 people to access improved drinking water supply.
- Supported 122,403 people to gain access to improved sanitation facilities.
- Supported 442,833 children to receive the DPT3 vaccine before the age of 12 months.
- Supported 198,147 women of child bearing age to access the services of skilled birth attendants.

**BUDGET USD** 60,978,940

**DURATION** 2012 – 2019

ACTIVITY LOCATIONS Garissa, Isiolo, Mandera, Marsabit, Tana River and Wajir Counties

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