

TANZANIA ACTIVITY BRIEFER MAY 2020



For over five decades, the United States has partnered with the people of Tanzania to advance shared development objectives. The goal of USAID assistance is to help the country achieve self-reliance by promoting a healthy, prosperous, democratic, well-governed, and secure Tanzania. Through partnerships and investments that save lives, reduce poverty, and strengthen democratic governance, USAID's programs advance a free, peaceful, and prosperous Tanzania.

In Tanzania, USAID engages in activities across four areas:

- Economic growth, including trade, agriculture, food security, and natural resource management
- Democracy, human rights, and governance
- Education
- Global health

ECONOMIC GROWTH

OVERVIEW:

USAID supports Tanzania's economic development and goal to become a self-reliant, middle-income country by 2025. We partner with the government and people of Tanzania, the private sector, and a range of development stakeholders. Agriculture plays a vital role in Tanzania's economy, employing 65 percent of the workforce and contributing to nearly 30 percent of the economy. USAID strengthens the agriculture policy environment and works directly with actors along the production process to improve livelihoods and trade. At the same time, we strengthen the ability of rural communities to live healthy, productive lives through activities that improve

nutrition and provide access to clean water and better sanitation and hygiene. We also enhance the voices of youth and women in decision making by building leadership skills and access to assets, such as loans and land ownership rights. As Tanzania's natural resources are the foundation for the country's development, we work to protect globally important wildlife, remarkable ecosystems, and extraordinary natural resources.

AGRICULTURE AND FOOD SECURITY

ADVANCING NUTRITION

Advancing Nutrition works to strengthen the capacity of the Prime Minister's Office and the Tanzania Food and Nutrition Center to facilitate effective coordination and collaboration across relevant Ministries for the successful implementation of the National Multi-sectoral Nutrition Action Plan (NMNAP). The activity focuses on two Intermediate Results: (1) support integration of nutrition-sensitive and nutrition-specific components of the NMNAP across key line Ministries, 2) support the development of NMNAP II and its common results framework. Additionally, the activity works to provide targeted technical assistance to USAID's implementing partners.

Prime Partner: Helen Keller International

Total Funding: \$2.5 million

Duration: October 2019 - September 2023

Activity Locations: National

ALLIANCE FOR INCLUSIVE AND NUTRITIOUS FOOD PROCESSING (AINFP)

AINFP builds the capacity of the private sector and entrepreneurs to increase profitability through the processing of nutritious foods. The activity transfers knowledge to medium and small-scale food processors through one-on-one technical assistance, thereby creating a competitive food processing sector that improves the availability of safe, nutritious, and affordable food products. AINFP provides tailored business support services varying from training, optimizing factory layout, formulation of new food products, developing marketing strategies, acquiring business certifications, and providing technical assistance to apply for loans.

Prime Partner: TechnoServe Total Funding: \$1.5 million

Duration: March 2018 - March 2023

Activity Locations: SAGCOT

CAPACITY BUILDING IN AGRICULTURE

Capacity Building in Agriculture supports the Government of Tanzania to strengthen knowledge sharing and improve data collection and information dissemination in support of achieving economic growth and improving climate-smart approaches in the agriculture sector. To achieve ambitious policy priorities, key government actors and producers need technical assistance to enhance linkages between science, policy, and implementation. The activity provides a range of technical assistance programs and also collaborates with government actors to address the most pressing challenges for the growing agriculture sector.

Prime Partner: US Department of Agriculture

Total Funding: \$31.9 million

Duration: August 2015 – August 2020

Activity Locations: Nationwide

DEVELOPMENT CREDIT AUTHORITY (DCA)

DCA uses partial credit guarantees to mobilize local financing in Tanzania to encourage private lenders to extend financing to under-served borrowers in new sectors and regions. In Tanzania, USAID has a DCA portfolio that leverages \$50 million in finance for the agriculture sector.

Prime Partner: Multiple financial institutions

Maximum guarantee: \$50 million

Duration: Until 2027

Activity Locations: National, targets SAGCOT and Zanzibar

FEED THE FUTURE TANZANIA ADVANCING YOUTH

Advancing Youth empowers rural Tanzanian youth and educates them on viable business options for rural economies. Tanzanian youth have the potential to play a vital role in the economic development of their country. Still, for the 800,000 young people who enter the Tanzanian workforce each year, employment remains a challenge. The activity highlights the income-generating potential across agricultural and other rural value chains. It facilitates access to information, skills, and opportunities to ensure successful business start-ups and sustained employment. As a result, the activity will strengthen rural Tanzanian youth entrepreneurship, workforce readiness, leadership, and life skills for healthy.

Prime Partner: DAI Global LLC Total Funding: \$19.7 million

Duration: August 2017 – August 2022

Activity Locations: Iringa, Mbeya, and Zanzibar

FEED THE FUTURE TANZANIA AFRICA RISING

The Africa Rising Phase II program collaborates with the Feed the Future Tanzania Nafaka ("Grains") activity to address persistent constraints to smallholder agricultural productivity and rural wellbeing. Tanzania's agriculture sector holds the potential to increase incomes and improve livelihoods. With these goals in mind, Feed the Future aims to reduce poverty and improve nutrition by supporting Tanzanian-led plans. Nafaka and Africa Rising work together to introduce and promote improved and resilient varieties of food crops, spread sustainable agriculture practices, protect land and water resources to foster agricultural biodiversity, improve household nutrition, and introduce management technologies to reduce losses.

Prime Partner: International Institute of Tropical Agriculture

Total Funding: \$3 million

Duration: July 2016 – June 2020

Activity Locations: Iringa, Mbeya, and Morogoro

FEED THE FUTURE TANZANIA ENABLING GROWTH THROUGH INVESTMENT AND ENTERPRISE PROGRAM (ENGINE)

ENGINE increases private sector investment, leading to inclusive, broad-based economic growth in the Southern Agricultural Growth Corridor of Tanzania, plus Zanzibar. Tanzania's public and private sectors play significant, mutually reinforcing roles in driving economic development and growth. The activity's goal supports the implementation of policies that promote an investment enabling environment, improve the quality of business development services, and broaden access to finance. ENGINE works with local government authorities, private sector associations, business development service providers, financial institutions,

and micro, small, and medium-sized enterprises to facilitate regulatory reform, information sharing, and financing that support business growth and investment.

Prime Partner: International Executive Service Corps (IESC)

Total Funding: \$20.2 million

Duration: September 2016 – August 2020

Activity Locations: Iringa, Mbeya, Morogoro, and Zanzibar

FEED THE FUTURE TANZANIA LAND TENURE ASSISTANCE

Feed the Future Tanzania's Land Tenure Assistance activity clarifies and documents land ownership, increases local understanding of land use and land rights, and supports land use planning. While Tanzania's legal framework provides clear land tenure protections for men and women alike, village-level land tenure is frequently not secure and is often susceptible to outside interests. This dynamic presents a significant constraint to economic growth and investment, creates disputes, and disenfranchises vulnerable groups. As a result of the activity's interventions, district and village land institutions are empowered to carry forward land administration processes independently, with little or no outside financial support.

Prime Partner: DAI Global Total Funding: \$9.6 million

Duration: December 2015 – December 2021

Activity Locations: Iringa and Mbeya

FEED THE FUTURE TANZANIA MBOGA NA MATUNDA ("VEGETABLES AND FRUITS")

Mboga na Matunda (Vegetables and Fruits) makes the horticulture sector more competitive and inclusive while improving the nutritional status of Tanzanians. Smallholder farmers have limited access to domestic and regional markets as a result of constraints, such as disorganized and inefficient horticulture market systems. Farmers often have limited access to financial services and information, are not aware of market demands for specific crops or price trends, and subsequently plant low-value crops that yield minimal profits. Interventions encourage the adoption of innovations at the farm level and efficient business models at the market level, to create a more broad-based distribution of benefits for smallholder farmers, particularly women.

Prime Partner: Fintrac Inc. Total Funding: 20.2 million

Duration: January 2017 – June 2021

Activity Locations: Southern Agricultural Growth Corridor of Tanzania – Iringa, Mbeya,

Morogoro, Songwe, and Zanzibar

FEED THE FUTURE TANZANIA NAFAKA ("GRAIN")

Feed the Future Tanzania's Nafaka activity develops technologies and agricultural practices that improve productivity, competitiveness, and nutrition for targeted smallholder farmers; especially in the rice and maize market systems. In partnership with the Government of Tanzania, donor partners, civil society, and the private sector, USAID aims to improve smallholder farmer income and nutritional status. With these goals in mind, the Nafaka team works with existing actors throughout the maize and rice value chains who demonstrate a thorough and well-defined strategy, while increasing coverage to serve more communities and client enterprises.

Prime Partner: ACDI/VOCA

Total Funding: \$21,7 million

Duration: July 2016 – September 2021

Activity Locations: Ifakara, Iringa, Mbeya, Morogoro, Songwe, and Zanzibar

LISHE ENDELEVU ("SUSTAINABLE NUTRITION")

Lishe Endelevu works to reduce stunting in children and increase the proportion of children receiving a diet with a minimum acceptable frequency of feeding and diversity of foods. Despite progress and government support, undernutrition remains a significant problem in Tanzania. However, the Government of Tanzania has demonstrated its commitment to nutrition through sectoral and cross-cutting policies, frameworks, and structures. In support of this commitment, USAID will provide nutritional support to over 1.5 million women of reproductive age, 1.1 million children under age 5, and 330,000 adolescent girls 15-19 years of age in Dodoma, Iringa, Morogoro, and Rukwa regions.

Prime Partner: Save the Children International

Total Funding: \$19.7 million

Duration: October 2018 – September 2022

Activity Locations: Dodoma, Iringa, Morogoro, and Rukwa

PARTNERSHIP FOR INCLUSIVE AGRICULTURAL TRANSFORMATION IN AFRICA (PIATA)

Through the Partnership for Inclusive Agricultural Transformation in Africa (PIATA), USAID promotes lucrative markets for improved crop seed. The goal of the activity is to expand small farmers' access to improved seeds allowing them to increase yields and profitability. To achieve this goal, PIATA partners with local and national levels of governments to streamline regulatory processes, allowing businesses to produce and distribute high-quality seeds to farmers across Tanzania.

Prime Partner: Alliance for a Green Revolution in Africa (AGRA)

Total Funding: \$1 million

Duration: October 2019 - September 2022

Activity Locations: Iringa, Njombe, Ruvuma, Mbeya, Songwe, Rukwa, and Katavi

PEACE CORPS

USAID supports Peace Corps by providing rigorous and extended technical training to Peace Corps Volunteers so they can contribute to Feed the Future's goals and objectives, such as poverty reduction through increased economic productivity. The work includes enhanced technical training for Peace Corps staff and host-country counterparts. This technical training prepares volunteers and local counterparts to monitor and track Feed the Future activities, thereby achieving a synergy that enhances the development impact of the USAID contribution to the Feed the Future effort. The activity also trains Peace Corp volunteers to accurately track activities, collect data, and report on the outputs and outcomes of their work in food security.

Prime Partner: Peace Corps Total Fundina: \$500.000

Duration: March 2018 – March 2021

Activity Locations: Dodoma, Iringa, Kilimanjaro, Mbeya, Njombe, Ruvuma, Shinyanga, Singida, and

Tanga

SERA BORA ("BETTER POLICIES")

Sera Bora seeks to accelerate Tanzania's adoption of more effective policies and programs to

drive broad-based agricultural sector growth, improve household food security and nutrition, and reduce poverty. Despite rapid economic growth, poverty has declined only slowly, at about 0.5 percentage points per year between 2001/01 and 2017/18. A reduction in poverty slower than the economic growth rate implies that growth has not sufficiently reached those who are the most vulnerable. The activity achieves its goal by promoting increased use of practical evidence and sound analysis in inclusive agriculture and nutrition policy-making and design.

Prime Partner: Michigan State University

Total Funding: \$6.5 million

Duration: January 2020 – December 2024

Activity Locations: Southern Agricultural Growth Corridor of Tanzania (SAGCOT)

ENERGY

EAST AFRICA ENERGY PROGRAM (EAEP)

EAEP aims to expand the availability of affordable and reliable electricity, increase on-grid electricity access, accelerate private sector investment, and improve the enabling environment and overall sustainability of the power sector in East Africa. Historically, Tanzania has depended on hydropower plants that were heavily affected by shortages of rain due to climate change effects in the late 1990s. Other factors that affected the energy sector include poor sector planning, under-investment, non-reflective tariff, and inefficiency in power utilities. EAEP addresses these challenges by supporting the optimization of energy projects, increasing new power connections, addressing loss reduction, and improving utility efficiency.

Prime Partner: RTI International

Total Funding: \$5.75 million (Tanzania funding)
Duration: December 2018 - November 2022

Activity Locations: National

ENERGY REGULATORY PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM (ERPP)

The ERPP enhances the Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority's ability to oversee Tanzania's energy sector by strengthening its technical capabilities to regulate electricity and natural gas subsectors. By engaging regulators from the U.S. and Tanzania, the U.S. National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) provides a practical perspective and platform for information sharing for regulators to discuss lessons learned and common challenges. Together, these regulators identify solutions and encourage the adoption of international best practices in Tanzania. NARUC interventions complement and support existing donor-funded programs.

Prime Partner: U.S. National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners

Total Funding: \$1.75 million Duration: July 2017 - July 2022 Activity Locations: National

ENERGY UTILITY PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM (EUPP)

EUPP strengthens the capacity of energy companies, government entities, and other organizations to effectively manage and operate energy systems, run financially viable businesses, design energy solutions, and integrate different types of energy resources into the economy. The activity is providing technical assistance support to the Tanzania Electric Supply Company, Tanzania Petroleum Development Corporation, Zanzibar Electricity Corporation,

and the Ministry of Energy through utility partnership programs, workshops, and an executive exchange.

Prime Partner: United States Energy Association (USEA)

Total Funding: \$2 million Duration: July 2017 - July 2022 Activity Locations: National

ENVIRONMENT

ENDANGERED ECOSYSTEM – NORTHERN (EENT)

Human population growth, unregulated land use, and overuse of resources pose an increasing threat to Tanzania's northern rangelands, as well as to the people and wildlife that depend on the landscape. A key strategy of the activity is to improve local governance of lands and natural resources through policy reform and institutional capacity building. As part of these efforts, EENT strengthens governance and natural resource management in at least 13 local institutions, including four community wildlife management areas and numerous designated communal grazing areas.

Prime Partner: The Nature Conservancy

Total Funding: \$12.3 million

Duration: September 2015 – September 2020 Activity Locations: Northern Tanzania Rangelands

INTERNATIONAL TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (ITAP)

ITAP addresses wildlife trafficking in Tanzania that threatens the country's rich biodiversity. East Africa, including Tanzania, has emerged as a major hub for wildlife trafficking due to its unique wildlife and relatively well-developed transportation infrastructure. As a result, well-armed poachers and highly organized trafficking syndicates have decimated populations of target species such as elephants, rhinos, big cats, and pangolins. In response to these challenges, ITAP trains Tanzanian wildlife-focused law enforcement on conducting effective wildlife crime investigations, assists in strengthening Tanzanian regulations to prevent illegal trade of wildlife, and improves information sharing between conservation and anti-trafficking efforts

Prime Partner: U.S. Department of the Interior - International Technical Assistance Program

Total Funding: \$1.8 million Duration: May 2015 – May 2020 Activity Locations: Nationwide

LANDSCAPE CONSERVATION IN WESTERN TANZANIA

The Landscape Conservation in Western Tanzania activity works to protect endangered chimpanzee populations, safeguard their habitat through effective land use planning, and empower local communities by supporting more productive livelihoods in the Gombe-Masito-Ugalla ecosystem. The ecosystem contains over 90 percent of Tanzania's estimated 2,200 chimpanzees. This important population of chimpanzees is facing increasing threats due to habitat loss and fragmentation from illegal logging, settlement expansion, and conversion of habitat for economic and agricultural purposes. As a response to these challenges, the activity's interventions include natural resource management, environmental education, land use planning, family planning, and sustainable development.

Prime Partner: The Jane Goodall Institute

Total Funding: \$19.9 million

Duration: November 2018 – November 2023

Activity Locations: Kigoma and Katavi

PROMOTING TANZANIA'S ENVIRONMENT, CONSERVATION, AND TOURISM (PROTECT)

PROTECT addresses the dynamics that threaten biodiversity conservation and inhibit private sector-led tourism growth by strengthening Tanzanian organizations that are at the forefront of wildlife and conservation policy reform and implementation. Tanzania is endowed with abundant natural resources and has prioritized protecting its rich biodiversity by placing more than 32 percent of its land area under protection. PROTECT has a five-year, \$4.5 million grants program that provides targeted support to conservation stakeholders, government institutions, and civil society organizations. Supported interventions include using private sector investment in wildlife tourism and supporting local partners to implement conservation activities.

Prime Partner: RTI International Total Funding: \$19.1 million

Duration: April 2015 – December 2020

Activity Locations: Nationwide

SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS AND RUAHA-KATAVI PROTECTION (SHARPP)

SHARPP contributes to the protection of East Africa's largest elephant population and establishes coordinated management of critical habitat corridor linkages between protected areas. The protection of these elephants relies on addressing a set of interconnected problems, including poor land-use planning practices, weak governance, ineffective or inappropriate management of areas of high biodiversity value, as well as the ongoing poaching of elephants for ivory. To achieve its objectives, the activity maps and identifies main threats to key habitats and species, using that information to inform strategic interventions, landscape-level planning, and better habitat management.

Prime Partner: Wildlife Conservation Society Total Funding: \$7.6 million

Duration: September 2014 – September 2022

Activity Locations: Iringa, Katavi, Mbeya, Njombe, Rukwa, Singida

USIMAMIZI ENDELEVU WA MALIASILI ("RESILIENT NATURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT")

Usimamizi Endelevu wa Maliasili conserves biodiversity and builds the resilience of communities and ecosystems through improved governance of natural resources and empowering communities to hold institutions entrusted with managing natural resources accountable. Located in the southern rift valley of the eastern Afromontane, the ecosystem is resource-rich but suffers from poor management of the land, wildlife, forests, water, and mineral resources. To address these challenges, the activity supports communities to develop and implement inclusive land-use plans, by-laws, and other natural resource management governance processes and tools. Communities are empowered to hold institutions accountable and improve local government capacity to effectively manage natural resources.

Prime Partner: Lawyers' Environmental Action Team (LEAT)

Total Funding: \$1.99 million

Duration: March 2020 - March 2025

Activity Locations: Rukwa

WATER AND SANITATION

ENTREPRENEURSHIP FOR RESILIENT VILLAGE WATER SYSTEMS (WATER AND DEVELOPMENT ALLIANCE)

The Entrepreneurship for Resilient Village Water Systems activity provides safe water access to 70,000 rural Tanzanians through the installation of community-managed solar-powered water systems. Currently, these villages rely on antiquated water point technology, leading to expensive fuel costs and frequent breakdowns. These points are often poorly-maintained due to poor financial management and lack of local technical expertise. A critical sustainability component of the project is to provide the villages with three years of technical support to train and develop water service entrepreneurs to perform operations and maintenance tasks. Improving sustainable water access for these communities will improve health outcomes and unlock economic growth opportunities.

Prime Partner: Ohio State University

Total Funding: \$2.4 million (USAID: \$688,070)

Duration: March 2018 – June 2020

Activity Locations: Dodoma, Kilimanjaro, Mara, Mwanza, Singida and Tabora

WATER RESOURCES INTEGRATION DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVE (WARIDI)

WARIDI improves the management of Tanzania's water resources, improves sanitation, creates livelihoods in water and sanitation services, and promotes resilient communities in the face of a changing climate. Tanzania's health, economy, and food security depend on sustainably managed water resources. However, water scarcity is increasing and reliable access to safe drinking water and sanitation services remain beyond the reach of many people. The activity promotes integrated water resources management and service delivery. As a result, the activity expects improved governance and increased access to sustainable multiple-use water, sanitation, and hygiene services.

Prime Partner: Tetra Tech ARD Total Funding: \$48 million Duration: July 2016 – June 2021

Activity Locations: Iringa, Mbeya, Morogoro, Njombe, and Pwani

DEMOCRACY, HUMAN RIGHTS, AND GOVERNANCE

OVERVIEW:

Even though Tanzania still ranks above some neighboring countries in terms of transparency, accountability, and civil rights, rapid democratic declines in recent years pose an ongoing concern. Our programs support Tanzanian-led efforts to counter closing civic and political space, bolster freedom of expression, improve the advocacy and communication capabilities of local organizations, promote transparency and accountability, and strengthen human rights among vulnerable populations.

BORESHA HABARI ("IMPROVE NEWS")

Boresha Habari supports an open, inclusive environment in which media and civil society provide accurate and impartial information that promotes participation, inclusion, and accountability. The activity works to increase independent, reliable, and data-driven

information in the public sphere, engage citizens in well-informed public discussion, and bolster safety and security measures for media stakeholders as the environment for professional journalists becomes increasingly hostile. A core focus of the activity is the engagement and empowerment of women and youth to elevate their voices, influence, and issues in the public sphere. The activity also increases the professionalism and financial sustainability of community radio stations throughout the country.

Prime Partner: fhi 360 and Internews

Total Funding: \$9.7 million

Duration: August 2017 – August 2022

Activity Locations: Dar es Salaam, Zanzibar, Iringa, Mbeya, Morogoro, Arusha, Manyara,

Dodoma, Tanga, Mtwara, Mwanza, and Kigoma

DATA-DRIVEN ADVOCACY

Data-Driven Advocacy improves and accelerates the ability of Tanzanian civil society organizations to influence human rights issues through the strategic use of better data and information. Data-Driven Advocacy engages a wide variety of sectoral issues, including land rights, gender-based violence, health and education rights, and the inclusion of marginalized populations, including women and youth. The activity's approach builds the technical capacity of rights-focused organizations and networks to engage with the Government of Tanzania on priority issues using advocacy methods based on accurate and reliable evidence.

Prime Partner: Freedom House Total Funding: \$8.7 million

Duration: August 2017 – August 2022

Activity Locations: Dar es Salaam, Arusha, Mwanza, Dodoma, and Zanzibar

TUSHIRIKI PAMOJA ("PARTICIPATE TOGETHER")

Tushiriki Pamoja improves the reach and capacity of relevant institutions and organizations in Tanzanian to advance the transparency of, participation in, and inclusiveness of political and electoral processes. The activity also seeks to enhance internal processes within target institutions and organizations to promote equitable participation of women, youth, and persons with disabilities. By promoting dialogue, civic and voter education, systematic elections observation, and collaboration among citizen networks, parties, coalitions, and government stakeholders, this activity lays the foundation for more inclusive and transparent democratic processes in Tanzania.

Prime Partner: Consortium for Elections and Political Process Strengthening

Total Funding: \$11.1 million

Duration: November 2017 – November 2022

Activity Locations: Dar es Salaam, Dodoma, Iringa, and Zanzibar

WANAWAKE WANAWEZA ("WOMEN CAN")

The Wanawake Wanaweza activity advances women's political leadership and participation in decision-making and builds a cadre of interested, diverse, and capable women political leaders. This program includes a particular focus on young women and women living with disabilities. Interventions include identifying and training women political aspirants and candidates by targeting their specific needs for successful political nominations. Wanawake Wanaweza will also support the formation of networks that can provide long-term mentoring to women representatives.

Prime Partner: UN Women Total Funding: \$500,000

Duration: February 2019 – December 2023

Activity Locations: Nationwide

EDUCATION

OVERVIEW:

USAID's education portfolio supports improving student learning outcomes in reading, writing, and arithmetic, for grades one through four. To achieve this objective, USAID is working at the national, district, and ward levels to build the policy development and institutional capacity of Tanzanian government institutions. This support includes working with key stakeholders to develop teacher guides, student materials and then training teachers and school administrators to use them. Through our education portfolio, USAID develops coaching and mentoring support for teachers and engages communities to prioritize education for children and youth. USAID also supports data collection that enables teachers, school administrators, and the government to make decisions based on sound evidence and research. USAID also supports increasing adolescent girls' enrollment and retention in secondary schools in Tanzania.

HESABU NA ELIMU JUMUISHI ("ARITHMETIC AND INCLUSIVE EDUCATION")

The Hesabu na Elimu Jumuishi activity improves arithmetic instruction for children in the early grades and addresses the need for inclusive education for children with disabilities. Despite progress in advancing equity and access to education in Tanzania, basic reading and math skills remain a daily struggle for many students. Working closely with the Tusome Pamjoa activity, Hesabu na Elimu Jumuishi provides technical assistance, instructional materials, and student aids to schools and classrooms. The assistance improves lifelong learning skills, and the mastery of early grade arithmetic.

Prime Partner: RTI International Total Funding: \$13.5 million

Duration: October 2019 – January 2021

Activity Locations: Zanzibar, Mtwara, Morogoro, Ruvuma, and Iringa

TUSOME PAMOJA ("LET'S READ TOGETHER")

Tusome Pamoja improves the quality of early grades basic skills instruction, strengthens skills delivery systems, and increases engagement of parents and communities in education. Despite making progress in access to education, there are few corresponding advances in Tanzania's educational quality, particularly in the early grades. In response to these challenges, Tusome Pamoja works with the Government of Tanzania to identify and build on existing education initiatives. The activity trains first and second-grade teachers in early grade reading instruction to strengthen students' reading, writing, and arithmetic. The interventions developed through this activity are then replicated by the government to benefit the country as a whole.

Prime Partner: RTI International Total Funding: \$67 million

Duration: January 2016 – January 2021

Activity Locations: Zanzibar, Mtwara, Morogoro, Ruvuma, and Iringa

WAACHE WASOME ("LET THEM LEARN")

Waache Wasome increases adolescent girls' participation and retention in secondary school. Its programming is rooted in the principle of empowering girls to create and achieve goals for

their future, while addressing the social/gender norms, economic barriers, and violence that constrain their ability to remain and excel in school. The activity builds the agency, knowledge, and protective assets of secondary school girls; increases family commitment and capacity to invest in girls' education; fosters a girl-friendly and supportive school environment; and provides alternative education pathways for girls who have dropped out of secondary school due to pregnancy and/or marriage.

Prime Partner: World Education, Inc./Bantwana Initiative

Total Funding: \$10.5 million

Duration: December 2016 – September 2021

Activity Locations: Arusha and Mara

GLOBAL HEALTH

OVERVIEW:

The United States and Tanzania have collaborated for decades to address the leading health concerns in the country through supporting quality integrated services, health systems strengthening, and healthy behaviors. These efforts support Tanzania's commitment to improving health outcomes and health care services, focusing on efficiency, effectiveness, and accountability. USAID's work with the Government of Tanzania includes programs to address HIV, malaria, tuberculosis, family planning, reproductive health, global health security, and maternal, newborn, and child health.

AFYA BORA, MTOTO IMARA ("BETTER HEALTH, HEALTHY CHILD")

The Afya Bora, Mtoto Imara activity mobilizes focused HIV testing, care, support, and treatment for children, using a family-centered approach. Since HIV advances faster in children than in adults, children commonly die before their HIV status is known by their caregivers. Evidence shows that children and adolescents who know their HIV status and are on antiretroviral treatment live longer and healthier lives. This activity increases the provision of quality integrated family-centered HIV services for infants, children, and adolescents; strengthens targeted active-case finding, linkage to treatment, retention, and viral suppression for infants, children, and adolescents; and expands local human resources and health system capacity to provide quality integrated family-centered HIV care for infants, children, and adolescents.

Prime Partner: Baylor College of Medicine Children's Foundation Tanzania

Total Funding: \$12 million

Duration: March 2018 – March 2022

Activity Locations: Lake and Southern Highlands

BORESHA AFYA ("IMPROVE HEALTH): LAKE/WESTERN ZONE

The Boresha Afya: Lake/Western Zone activity increases access to high-quality health services through a package encompassing malaria, reproductive, maternal, newborn, child, and adolescent health services. While Tanzania has made progress in improving health outcomes related to immunization, maternal-child health, malaria prevention, and tuberculosis treatment, there is still much room for improvement. The activity expects to achieve integrated service delivery, management, and institutionalized organizational systems in 80 percent of target areas.

Prime Partner: Jhpiego Total Funding: \$59.2 million Duration: October 2016 – September 2021

Activity Locations: Mwanza, Kagera, Mara, Shinyanga, Geita, Kigoma, Simiyu and Zanzibar

BORESHA AFYA ("IMPROVE HEALTH): NORTH/CENTRAL ZONE

Boresha Afya: North/Central Zone works to improve the health status of Tanzanians by increasing the availability of quality integrated health services centralized around HIV service provision. The underutilization of available HIV/health services and social services alike constrains health outcomes in Tanzania, and customized case management for infants, adolescents, women, and their families remains limited. This activity mitigates several challenges facing regions with high tuberculosis prevalence, unmet needs for family planning, and gender imbalances, all of which undercut national gains in the HIV response.

Prime Partner: Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation (EGPAF)

Total Funding: \$93 million (5 percent cost share inclusive)

Duration: October 2016 – December 2021

Activity Locations: Arusha, Dodoma, Kilimanjaro, Manyara, Singida, and Tabora

BORESHA AFYA ("IMPROVE HEALTH): SOUTHERN ZONE

Boresha Afya: Southern Zone improves access to health services, expands the availability of integrated health services within facilities, and increases access to health services at the community level. This activity responds to the poor access to maternal/child health, family planning, malaria, tuberculosis, and HIV services for Tanzanian citizens, especially for women and youth. To achieve its objectives the activity plans, implements, and monitors service delivery while improving the availability of gender and youth health services. In addition, the program implements numerous models for integrating services in facilities, and engages with communities to bring health care closer to those in need.

Prime Partner: Deloitte Consulting Limited

Total Funding: \$145 million

Duration: October 2016 – December 2021

Activity Locations: Iringa, Njombe, Morogoro, Lindi, Mtwara, and Ruvuma

COMMUNITY HEALTH AND SOCIAL WELFARE SYSTEMS STRENGTHENING PROGRAM (CHSSP)

CHSSP collaborates with the Government of Tanzania in controlling the HIV epidemic through a systems strengthening approach. While the Government of Tanzania remains committed to responding to and mitigating the effects of HIV/AIDS, gaps in human resources, domestic financing, health infrastructure, and the supply chain for commodities continue to be a challenge. CHSSP works with the Government of Tanzania to strengthen the country's health and social welfare system to ensure that there are human resources to provide services at the community level in 81 councils. The program helps to control Tanzania's HIV epidemic by expanding social services to vulnerable populations, with a special focus on adolescent girls and young women, most vulnerable children, and people living with HIV.

Prime Partner: John Snow, Inc. (JSI)

Total Funding: \$36 million

Duration: November 2014 – November 2020

Activity Locations: Dar es Salaam, Dodoma, Mbeya, and Mwanza

GLOBAL HEALTH SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

The Global Health Supply Chain Management activity procures and supplies quality materials

needed for Tanzania's health sector in the most efficient possible manner. The activity supports the procurement of quality products in the right quantities at the right time. These commodities include HIV/AIDS, malaria, and contraceptive commodities, such as malaria bed nets or lab reagents, which the activity delivers to the Medical Stores Department (MSD) of Tanzania. To achieve efficiency and economies of scale, USAID orders materials in bulk for all USAID missions world-wide, which subsequently reduces prices and ensures that money is not wasted. By delivering the procured materials to the Medical Stores Department, the activity uses the Government of Tanzania's distribution systems to deliver materials across Tanzania instead of employing or creating new structures.

Prime Partner: Chemonics
Total Funding: \$141.9 million

Duration: April 2015 – November 2020

Activity Locations: Nationwide

GLOBAL HEALTH SUPPLY CHAIN TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

The Global Health Supply Chain Technical Assistance activity develops effective, efficient, and sustainable health supply chains to improve the availability of essential medicines and improve the overall health status of Tanzanians. Although Tanzania has made several improvements to its public sector supply chain, the consistent availability of health commodities for family planning, malaria, HIV/AIDS, tuberculosis, and maternal, newborn, and child health remains challenging. This lack of availability results in frequent stock-outs within health facilities, caused by factors ranging from insufficient use of available logistics data, operational inefficiencies, and weak systems of accountability. The activity works closely with the Global Health Supply Chain Management program, described earlier, to address these issues by providing strategic planning assistance, improving the delivery of health commodities, and broadening supply chain system management.

Prime Partner: PricewaterhouseCoopers Public Sector LLP

Total Funding: \$24.3 million

Duration: June 2016 – June 2021

Activity Locations: Nationwide

HEBU TUYAJENGE ("LET'S DISCUSS CONSTRUCTIVELY")

Hebu Tuyajenge engages people living with HIV (PLHIV) via Tanzania's National Council of People Living with HIV in Tanzania. According to UNAIDS, adult HIV prevalence in Tanzania is estimated at 4.7 percent, with regional HIV prevalence ranging from 0.2 percent (Zanzibar) to 15.4 percent (Njombe). The activity addresses these challenges by focusing on increasing HIV testing, treatment, and family planning services among adolescents and PLHIV. HIV-positive individuals and groups are engaged in the design, implementation, and monitoring of HIV activities in communities.

Prime Partner: The National Council of People Living with HIV in Tanzania (NACOPHA)

Total Funding: \$17.5 million

Duration: December 2019 - December 2024 Activity Locations: 65 District Councils

HUMAN RESOURCES FOR HEALTH DEPLOYMENT AND RETENTION

This public-private partnership provides technical assistance to local private health facilities, organizations, and entrepreneurs involved in the Lake Zone's health sector. As a result, the

private health sector can absorb and retain trained health personnel. The activity also provides technical assistance to key government ministries responsible for the deployment of trained health personnel in the public health sector. The implementing partner has created a tool, known as WISN-POA, which helps officials at the local and national levels determine the kind and number of personnel needed at public health facilities. The government is integrating the tool into existing government data systems.

Prime Partner: Touch Foundation

Total Funding: \$3 million

Duration: April 2019 - April 2022

Activity Locations: Lake Zone and National Level

KIZAZI KIPYA ("NEW GENERATION")

Kizazi Kipya enables Tanzanian orphans and vulnerable children, young people affected by HIV, and their caregivers to utilize age-appropriate HIV-related services for improved care, health, nutrition, education, protection, livelihoods, and psychosocial wellbeing. The activity generates demand for HIV services, reduces barriers to access and uptake of HIV services, and ensures tracking to reduce the number of people living with HIV who discontinue treatment.

Prime Partner: Pact

Total Funding: \$163.6 million

Duration: June 2016 – June 2021

Activity Locations: 25 regions of mainland Tanzania and Zanzibar

MEETING TARGETS AND MAINTAINING EPIDEMIC CONTROL (EPIC)

The Meeting Targets and Maintaining Epidemic Control activity is a five-year global initiative that provides strategic technical assistance and service delivery to achieve HIV epidemic control. The activity promotes the management of national HIV programs by improving HIV case finding, prevention, treatment, programming, and viral load suppression. Tanzania has committed to the UNAIDS 90-90-90 goals to achieve epidemic control. The strategic plan recognizes that a sub-section of the population in Tanzania is at increased HIV risk. EPIC focuses on addressing the HIV epidemic among key populations, adolescent young girls, and women. The activity seeks to break through remaining, persistent barriers to the 90-90-90 goals and promote self-reliant management of national HIV programs.

Prime Partner: fhi 360

Total Funding: \$135 million

Duration: April 2019 – April 2024

Activity Locations: Dar es salaam, Dodoma, Arusha, Kilimanjaro, Njombe, Iringa, Morogoro,

Shinyanga

MKAPA FELLOWS PROGRAM (MFP)

The Mkapa Fellows Program develops and implements sustainable approaches to recruitment, deployment, and management of health-related human resources. Tanzania is faced with a chronic shortage of health professionals that has undermined the achievement of national strategic health goals, including HIV epidemic control. The Government of Tanzania reported its official workforce vacancy rate in the health sector at about 56 percent. The activity addresses this shortage through the delivery of quality HIV and reproductive, maternal, and child health services, and facilitates effective transitioning of contracted health care workers into the Government of Tanzania's human resource systems.

Prime Partner: Benjamin William Mkapa Foundation

Total Funding: \$33.7 million

Duration: February 2020 – February 2025

Activity Locations: Iringa, Njombe, Morogoro, Lindi, Mtwara, Ruvuma, Arusha, Dodoma, Singida, Manyara, Kilimajaro, Kagera, Mara, Geita, Kigoma, Mwanza, Shinyanga and Simiyu

OKOA MAISHA DHIBITI MALARIA ("SAVE LIVES, END MALARIA")

The Okoa Maisha Dhibiti Malaria activity works with the Government of Tanzania to strengthen malaria surveillance and monitoring, moving the country toward malaria elimination. On mainland Tanzania, more than 16 percent of all outpatient visits are attributable to malaria, resulting in approximately 6.6 million clinical and confirmed malaria cases annually. With 93 percent of people on the mainland residing in malaria-endemic areas, the disease remains a significant contributor to maternal, newborn, and under-five mortality. This activity institutionalizes malaria surveillance and monitoring at all government levels and maximizes the epidemiological impact of implemented malaria interventions.

Prime Partner: RTI International Total Funding: \$19.5 million

Duration: August 2018 – August 2023 Activity Locations: Mainland and Zanzibar

VECTORLINK

Vectorlink implements indoor residual spraying operations to reduce the prevalence of malaria in Tanzania. The activity furthers the goal of the National Malaria Control Program, Zanzibar Malaria Elimination Program, and PMI to reduce malaria-associated mortality and morbidity in selected districts. As a result of the activity, 1.8 million people (per year) will be protected from malaria, including pregnant women and children under the age of five.

Prime Partner: Abt Associates Total Funding: \$50 million Duration: July 2018 – June 2023

Activity Locations: Kagera, Zanzibar, Geita, Mwanza, Mara, and Kigoma

PUBLIC SECTOR SYSTEMS STRENGTHENING

The Public Sector Systems Strengthening activity strengthens the existing Government of Tanzania systems at national and local levels to improve service delivery across social service sectors, including health and education. Health system challenges in Tanzania impede the achievement of national development goals and include, but are not limited to, the shortage of healthcare workers, health commodity stock-outs, and insufficient financing. The activity uses a dynamic approach to create durable information systems and data use management at the lower local government and facility level, to increase the availability of financial resources — and changing the way money is allocated to facilities, and to use of evidence to prioritize which facilities receive and distribute the health care workforce for efficient service delivery.

Prime Partner: Abt Associates Total Funding: \$62 million

Duration: August 2015 – July 2020

Activity Locations: Dodoma, Iringa, Kagera, Kigoma, Lindi, Mara, Mbeya, Morogoro,

Mtwara, Mwanza, Njombe, Rukwa, and Shinyanga.

RESULTS-BASED FINANCING (RBF)

The Results-Based Financing activity is part of USAID's contribution to the Global Financing Facility— a financing platform intended to raise funds for countries with significant funding gaps for the Every Woman Every Child movement (reproductive, maternal, newborn, child and adolescent health). RBF supports the Government of Tanzania's national maternal child health program (One Plan II), uses incentives to improve the quality of services at participating health facilities, and encourages enhanced support from regional and council health management teams. RBF improves accessibility, utilization, and quality of health services through increased accountability and responsiveness.

Prime Partner: World Bank Total Funding: \$49.9 million Duration: July 2015 – July 2020

Activity Locations: Shinyanga, Geita, Mwanza, Tabora, Pwani, Simiyu, Kagera and Kigoma

SUSTAINING HEALTH OUTCOMES THROUGH THE PRIVATE SECTOR (SHOPS PLUS)

SHOPS Plus seeks to harness the full potential of the private health sector and catalyze public-private engagement to improve health outcomes, particularly in family planning, HIV/AIDS, and maternal and child health. Some of the activity's interventions include supporting commercial insurance companies to provide coverage for the poor and working with financial institutions to increase financing to private health facilities. SHOPS Plus also advocates for changes in policy and regulations that allow the private health sector to operate more productively and invest in providing health services and commodities.

Prime Partner: Abt Associates Total Funding: \$7 million

Duration: October 2015 – September 2020

Activity Locations: Nationwide

TULONGE AFYA ("LET'S TALK ABOUT HEALTH")

Tulonge Afya works to improve the health status of Tanzanians, especially of women and youth, through the promotion of positive health practices in households and communities. In Tanzania, disease prevalence remains disproportionately high for women and youth. This activity addresses these challenges by taking on sociocultural norms and supporting the adoption of healthier behaviors. In doing so, the Tulonge Afya identifies drivers of behavior directly tied to health and uses social and behavior change communications to improve healthy behaviors.

Prime Partner: fhi 360 Total Funding: \$44.7 million Duration: April 2017 – April 2022 Activity Locations: Nationwide

USAID SOCIAL ENTERPRISE ACTIVITY (USESA)

USESA works to improve health status and sustain economic growth in Tanzania by preventing the spread of disease, particularly HIV/AIDS, and unwanted pregnancies. Tanzania experiences a generalized HIV epidemic with a national prevalence of estimated at 4.7 percent. There is a significant unmet need for family planning, with only 38 percent of married women using a modern form of contraception. USESA adopts social enterprise approaches and tools to transition DUME condoms and Flexi family planning products to full cost recovery

and ensure sustainability without donor support by 2024. The project targets middle-income audiences with the ability to pay full commercial value for the products.

Prime Partner: T-MARC Tanzania Total Funding: \$19 million

Duration: January 2017 – December 2024

Activity Locations: Urban Tanzania with focus on the country's many commercial hubs (Dar

es Salaam, Arusha, Mwanza, Dodoma, Kilimanjaro, Kahama, Iringa and Mbeya)

VOLUNTARY MEDICAL MALE CIRCUMCISION (VMMC)

Under AIDSfree, USAID is working with the National AIDS Control Program (NACP) to rapidly expand the provision of high-quality, client-centered voluntary medical male circumcision as a core component of comprehensive HIV prevention services. The goal of the program is to increase circumcision prevalence to 80 percent of males aged 10-34 years. It provides technical support to NACP in the development of monitoring and evaluation tools and key guidelines and policies. Since 2009 the program has provided over 400,000 VMMCs in over 500 health facilities across the three regions.

Prime Partner: Jhpiego Total Funding: \$ 12.8 million

Duration: - September 2014 - March 2020

Activity Locations: Iringa, Njombe, Singida, Morogoro and Tabora Regions