

Experience in Africa



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RTI maintains a corporate office in Nairobi, Kenya, which supports projects in the region. Our expertise includes economic growth, education, environmental management, governance, and health. Recent project examples include the following:

Botswana

Support for the HIV Response within the Civil Society for HIV Prevention that Targets Most-At-Risk Populations, USAID (2008–2013)

Democratic Republic of Congo

Package for Improving Education Quality, USAID (2009–2014)

Programme de Bonne Gouvernance, USAID/Development Alternatives International (2009–2014)

Access to Quality Basic Education Support Project, USAID/International Rescue Committee (2010–2011)

Ethiopia

Early Grade Reading Assessment (EGRA), USAID (2010)

Ghana

Technical Assistance for Administration of 2011 National Education Assessment Test, USAID (2011–2013)

Expansion of Oxytocin Use for Postpartum Hemorrhage Prevention, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation/PATH (2009–2012)

Guinea

Multi-Sectoral Interventions to Advance Democratic Governance, USAID (2007–2012)

Kenya

Indoor Residual Spraying (IRS) Project, USAID (2010–2013)

Maternal and Neonatal Technologies Evaluation Initiative, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation (2009–2011)

Monitoring and Evaluation of the Ripple Effect: Water Storage and Transportation Innovations to Improve Water Access to the Poor, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation (2008–2011)

Liberia

Excellence in Higher Education for Liberian Development, USAID (2011–2016)

Core Education Skills for Liberian Youth, USAID/Education Development Center (2009–2011)

Teacher Training Program, USAID/Academy for Educational Development (AED) (2009–2011)

Baseline Data Collection for Early Grade Math Assessments, The World Bank (2010)
EGRA Plus: Liberia, USAID (2008–2010)

Madagascar

Rural Access to New Opportunities for Health and Water Management (Ranon'ala), USAID/Catholic Relief Services (2010–2013)
SantéNet 2, USAID (2008–2013)

Malawi

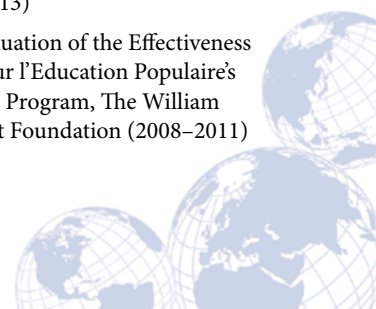
Teacher Professional Development Systems, USAID/Creative Associates International (CAI) (2010–2013)
Education Decentralization Support Activity, USAID/AED (2009–2011)

Mali

Education Decentralization Program, USAID/AED (2008–2014)

Improved Quality of Instruction to Reinforce Literacy and Numeracy in Grades 1–6, USAID (2008–2013)

Independent Evaluation of the Effectiveness of the Institut pour l'Éducation Populaire's Read-Learn-Lead Program, The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation (2008–2011)





Nigeria

Leadership, Empowerment, Advocacy and Development, USAID (2009–2014)

Northern Education Initiative, USAID/CAI (2009–2013)

Global Adult Tobacco Survey, Centers for Disease Control (CDC) Foundation (2011–2012)

2009 Nigeria Education Data Survey, USAID and DfID (2009–2011)

Rwanda

Twubakane Decentralization and Health Program, USAID/IntraHealth (2005–2010)

Senegal

Improving Education Quality, USAID (2010–2014)

Water and Sanitation Program, USAID (2009–2014)

Water and Development Alliance II, Coca-Cola Company/Global Environment & Technology Foundation (2011–2013)

Enabling Quality, Access, and Transparency in Education, USAID (2008–2013)

South Africa

Venue-Based Recruitment and HIV Prevention for Alcohol and Other Drugs Using Couples, U.S. National Institute of Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA) (2008–2013)

Women's Justice Empowerment Initiative, USAID (2008–2012)

Women-Focused HIV Prevention in the Western Cape, NICHD (2007–2012)

Education Support to Orphans and Vulnerable Children, USAID (2009–2011)

Evaluation Technical Assistance and Impact Evaluation of Pfizer Foundation's Global Health Partnerships, Pfizer Foundation (2008–2011)

Local Governance Support Program, USAID (2004–2010)

South Sudan

Building Responsibility for Delivery of Government Services Program, USAID/Winrock International (2009–2012)

Tanzania

Vector Control Scale-Up Program, USAID (2010–2015)

Strengthening HIV Strategic Health Management Information System Activities in Tanzania to Improve Informatics and Data Use within the Health Sector under PEPFAR, CDC (2010–2015)

Research Technical Assistance for Public Health Evaluation, CDC (2009–2014)

Malaria Control Program in Mainland Tanzania and Zanzibar, USAID (2006–2011)

Uganda

Supporting Public Sector Workplaces to Expand Action and Responses Against HIV/AIDS Project, USAID (2008–2013)

Expanding Access to Quality HIV Prevention, Care and Support Services in the Ugandan Military, DoD (2008–2011)

Strengthening Democratic Linkages, USAID/State University of New York (2007–2011)

Zimbabwe

Building Health Data Dissemination & Information Use Systems in Zimbabwe under PEPFAR, CDC (2010–2015)

Local Government Capacity Building, Department of State (2010–2012)

Regional

Neglected Tropical Diseases ENVISION Program (Cameroon, Guinea, Mali, Tanzania, and Uganda), USAID (2011–2016)

IRS 1 and 2 (Angola, Benin, Burkina Faso, Ethiopia, Ghana, Kenya, Liberia, Madagascar,

Malawi, Mali, Mozambique, Nigeria, Rwanda, Senegal, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia), USAID (IRS 1: 2006–2011; IRS 2: 2009–2014)

International Epidemiological Databases to Evaluate AIDS (Burundi, Cameroon, Democratic Republic of Congo, Rwanda), NIAID (2006–2012)

Neglected Tropical Diseases Control Program (Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Ghana, Mali, Niger, Sierra Leone, South Sudan, Togo, Uganda), USAID (2006–2012)

HIV Surveillance and Strategic Information in Foreign Military Populations (Botswana, Ethiopia, Gambia, Lesotho, Mozambique, South Sudan, Swaziland, Uganda), DoD (2005–2012)

Global Network for Women's and Children's Health Research (Democratic Republic of Congo, Kenya, Zambia), NICHD (2001–2012)

Data Capacity Assessment and Gap Closure Assistance (Ghana, Mozambique), USAID (2010–2011)

Learning Outcomes Research and Assessment Related Projects (Ethiopia, Ghana, Kenya, Mali, Rwanda, Zambia), USAID (2009–2011)

Monitoring of Learning Outcomes in Sub-Saharan Africa (Kenya, Mali, Senegal, Uganda), The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation (2008–2011)

Microbicide Trials Network, Magee-Women's Health Corporation (2008–2011)

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