

**PATH AND ACCESS ACCELERATED**

# Transforming the Noncommunicable Disease Response

The PATH-Access Accelerated partnership contributes to



Stronger primary health care systems



Strengthened NCD supply chains



Better data-driven decision making



- Our work is leading to sustainable change. We are laying the foundation for national scale-up of quality NCD management by ministries of health.
- We are addressing the unmet need for NCD services and connecting people with the medicines and services they need.
- We have built a strong foundation for our vital partnership with ministries of health in Ghana, Kenya, and Vietnam, providing new data to improve decision making.
- We're introducing new mechanisms to engage stakeholders by supporting the formation of the first NCD supply chain technical working group in Kenya and an NCD commodity security technical working group in Ghana.

Our work creates catalytic change by improving access to prevention, treatment, and care for NCDs through local ownership and engagement that is guided by data and scalable to reach national coverage.

## Key achievements in 2020



**70,000+**

people screened for hypertension and diabetes in Vietnam as part of the Communities for Healthy Vietnam program.



**50,000+**

posters with COVID-19 and NCD messaging distributed in all 47 counties in Kenya.



**2,815**

health care workers in Kenya trained on COVID-19 infection prevention and control and managing people living with NCDs.



**6,757**

patients with hypertension and diabetes enrolled in the Kenya HMIS, allowing for better follow-up from health care workers and improved health outcomes.



**1.8m+**

people reached in Ghana with health information on NCDs and COVID-19.



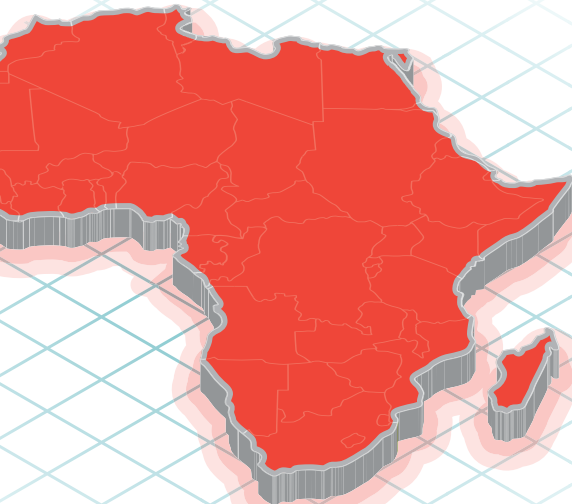
**3 countries**

developing roadmaps for action to address supply chain security based on supply chain assessments (Kenya & Ghana completed, Vietnam underway) across sectors, counties/regions, and tracer medicines.



**100+**

NCD stakeholders and local partners in Kenya and Ghana contributed to the NCD Navigator database to inform national policies and cross-sector investments.



## In 2021

We want to continue our momentum and partnership with ministries of health to focus on three essential components of health system resiliency for equitable NCD management, as well as ongoing COVID-19 response. These activities are catalytic in demonstrating, in close collaboration with the ministries and other stakeholders, the models of NCD service delivery that can be taken to scale to ensure national coverage.

## Equitable management of NCDs by linking to primary care:



Reach **300,000** people through the expansion of our community-based model in three provinces in Vietnam.



Reach more than **5,000** people through a small grants programs in Kenya and Ghana focusing on innovative use of digital tools to reach patients at the household level.



Train and mentor **1,600** health workers in Kenya to support tiered care and referrals across the health system, impacting more than **2 million** NCD service visits and reaching approximately **520,000** people per year with improved NCD care.



Guide the practice of **1,000** health care workers in Ghana using the updated NCD national strategy impacting more than **1 million** NCD services provided.



NCD landscape assessments conducted in Ghana and India identified priority areas for intervention in 2021 to increase NCD services and reach more people living with NCDs as both countries work to achieve universal health coverage.

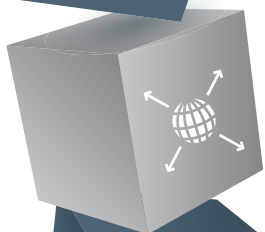
## Data-driven decision making to drive better coordination and collaboration across sectors:



Reach at least **2 million** people with NCD interventions using the NCD Navigator for decision making by 2022.



Scale up the NCD Navigator, a first-of-its-kind digital information system on NCD programming, in Kenya, with **80% of NCD stakeholders** inputting data, to inform development of the next national NCD strategy and prioritization and allocation of resources.



Scale up use of the NCD Navigator in Ghana from three provinces to national use.



Link the NCD Navigator with WHO NCD digital and data collection platforms at global, regional, and national levels.



Continue patient enrollment in the Kenya HMIS, **up by 6,757** in 2020, to improve patient outcomes and allow for regular follow up.

## Increased access to affordable NCD medicines through strengthened supply chains:



Reduce stockouts of three essential NCD medications by at least 5% in Ghana and Kenya through country capacity-building efforts.



Collaborate with Vietnam's Ministry of Health to implement recommendations from the ongoing supply chain assessment.



We are excited for the opportunity to amplify our work in Vietnam through a multi-company collaboration and to explore recommendations for strengthening the NCD response in India.