

INFECTION PREVENTION AND CONTROL (IPC) AT A GLANCE

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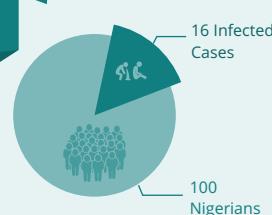


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Health Trust

Why it Matters

FACTS

16 out of every **100** Nigerians contract infections while receiving care*



OUR SOLUTION

DRASA institutionalizes local IPC systems to make health facilities safer and improve quality of care



Developing Nigeria's First IPC e-Learning Course

Partner: Nigeria Centre for Disease Control and Prevention (NCDC)



Nigeria's first self-paced online basic IPC course



300+ health professionals enrolled (and growing)



Free and accessible anytime, anywhere

Phase 2

Ongoing tracking of completion and engagement to plan towards phase 2

Supporting the First National Patient Safety & Care Quality Policy

Partner: Federal Ministry of Health & Social Welfare



Focus: Reduce medical errors, standardize care, improve infrastructure



Status: Policy launched and nationwide dissemination in public & private facilities ongoing



Promotes continuous training & transparency in patient care

Improving IPC in Lagos Primary Healthcare Centers (PHCs)

Partner: Lagos State Primary Health Care Board



Strengthened IPC capacity in **3** Local Government Areas (LGAs) & **7** PHCs



201 health workers trained



Online Community of Practice for ongoing mentoring & peer learning

Implementing a Diploma in Infection Prevention and Control (DIPC)

Partner: University of Lagos, Centre for Infection Control and Patient Safety



12-month, competency-based program (Basic-Intermediate-Advanced)



5 cohorts, **386** certified professionals



Operating across **6** geopolitical zones



Graduates driving evidence-based IPC in hospitals & clinics

Executing the Turn-A-State Orange (TASO) Model

Partner: NCDC and State Ministries of Health in the 3 states



Goal: Support state health authorities and build & mentor a skilled health workforce for sustainable IPC systems



Approach: Innovative financing & real-time data for decisions



Approval received from NCDC to implement across 3 states, 1 LGA per state



Identification of 10 facilities for implementation (primary, secondary and private) commenced with the States and NCDC

Supported Nigeria's COVID-19 Pandemic Response



Scope: 6 states supported (including Lagos, the pandemic epicenter)



4,019 health workers trained on IPC and pandemic response



21 guidelines & SOPs developed



39 isolation/quarantine facilities assessed



1,803

multi-sectoral personnel trained to limit virus spread

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