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An evidence review of research on health interventions in humanitarian crises

2021 Update
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ANNEX 1: FINAL SEARCH STRATEGY BY DATABASE

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Annex 1: Final Search Strategy by Database 8
Annex 1: Final Search Strategy by Database 9
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MEDLINE


AND


Annex 1: Final Search Strategy by Database 10

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Annex 1: Final Search Strategy by Database 14
Filters: 5/1/2013 - 4/30/2021, Humans, English, Medline, Journal Articles

Global Health

((Humanitarian* or Disaster or Crisis or "Mass casualty incident" or “Mass fatality” or War or "Armed conflict" or Conflict or Genocide or "Ethnic cleansing" or "Natural disaster" or Epidemic or "Disease outbreak" or Mudslide or Earthquake or Flood* or Landslide or Volcano or “Tidal wave” or Tidalwave or Tsunami or Cyclone or "Cyclonic storm" or Hurricane or Typhoon or Drought or Famine or Starvation or “Humanitarian aid" or "Humanitarian relief” or “Humanitarian response" or “Humanitarian assistance” or “Relief work” or “Aid work" or “Disaster medicine" or Conflict-affected* or "Conflict affected*" or "Forced migrant*” or "Forced migration" or "Forcibly displaced" or Refugee* or Asylum or "Asylum seeker*" or "Internal* displace*” or IDP or “Displaced person*” or “Displaced population*”).ti,ab. or exp disasters/ or exp crises/ or exp war/ or exp conflict/ or exp natural disasters/ or exp drought/ or exp epidemics/ or exp starvation/ or exp famine/ or exp refugees/)

AND

((afghanistan or albania or algeria or “american samoa” or angola or argentina or armenia or azerbaijan or bangladesh or benin or belarus or belize or bhutan or bolivia or “bosnia and herzegovina” or botswana or brazil or bulgaria or “burkina faso” or burundi or cambodia or cameroon or "cabo verde" or “central african republic” or chad or china or colombia or congo or "costa rica" or “cote d’ivoire” or cuba or djibouti or “democratic republic of the congo” or "north korea” or dominica or “dominican republic" or ecuador or egypt or "el salvador” or eritrea or eswatini or ethiopia or “equatorial guinea” or fiji or gabon or gambia or georgia or ghana or grenada or guatemala or guinea or “guinea bissau” or guyana or haiti or honduras or india or indonesia or iran or iraq or jamaica or jordan or kazakhstan or kenya or kiribati or kosovo or “kyrgyz republic” or "laos" or lebanon or lesotho or liberia or libya or madagascar or malawi or maldives or mauritania or “marshall islands” or mexico or micronesia or moldova or mongolia or montenegro or morocco or mozambique or myanmar or namibia or nepal or nicaragua or niger or nigeria or “north macedonia” or pakistan or “papua new guinea” or paraguay or peru or philippines or “russian federation” or rwanda or samoa or “sao tome and principe” or senegal or serbia or “sierra leone” or "sovenon islands" or "sri lanka” or somalia or "south africa” or "south sudan" or "saint lucia” or “saint vincent and the grenadines” or sudan or suriname or “syrian arab republic” or tajikistan or tanzania or thailand or “timor leste” or togo or tonga or tunisia or turkey or turkmenistan or tuvalu or uganda or ukraine or uzbekistan or vanuatu or venezuela or vietnam or yemen or “west bank and gaza” or zambia or zimbabwe or refugee*).ti,ab. or exp afghanistan/ or exp albania/ or exp algeria/ or exp american samoa/ or exp angola/ or exp argentina/ or exp
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AND

("Communicable disease*" or "Infectious disease*" or Infection* or "Viral infection*" or "Viral disease*" or "Bacterial infection*" or "Bacterial disease*" or "Parasitic infection*" or "Parasitic disease*" or "Fungal infection*" or "Fungal disease*" or Vaccine* or Vaccination* or "Diarrheal disease*" or "Respiratory infection*" or Malaria or Tuberculosis or "Vaccine preventable disease*" or Measles or Meningitis or Cholera or Ebola or Typhoid or Dengue or Polio or WASH or WATSAN or "Fecal-oral disease*" or Water or "Water supply" or "Water source" or "Body of water" or "Water provision" or "Drinking water" or "Fresh water" or "Clean water" or "Potable water" or "Piped water" or "Public water" or "Private water" or "Domestic water" or "Ground water" or Aquifer* or "Bore well*" or "Water table*" or "Well water" or "Rain water" or "Water pollutant*" or "Water quality" or "Point of use water treatment" or Sanitation or "Sanitary engineering" or Drainage or Wastewater or "Waste water" or Sewage or Sludge or "Septic tank*" or "Waste treatment*" or "Excreta management" or "Waste disposal" or Garbage or Refuse or Trash or "Solid waste management" or Latrine* or "Pit latrine*" or Toilet* or "Open defecation" or Feces or

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Defecation or Stool or Hygiene or “Hygiene promotion” or “Hand hygiene” or “Hand washing” or Soap or Detergent or Disinfectant* or “Infection prevention and control” or Nutrition or Malnutrition or Under-nutrition or “Under nutrition” or Malnourished or Wasted or Wasting or Stunted or Stunting or Marasmus or “Protein-energy malnutrition” or “Severe acute malnutrition” or Starvation or Hunger or Famine or Kwashiorkor or “Nutritional deficiency” or “Nutritional disorder” or “Micronutrient deficiency” or “Mineral deficiency” or Scurvy or “Vitamin C deficiency” or Pellagra or “Niacin deficiency” or Beriberi or “Thiamine deficiency” or Goiter or “Iodine deficiency” or Anemia or “Supplementary feeding” or “Selective feeding” or “Therapeutic feeding” or “Community management of acute malnutrition” or CMAM or “Food fortification” or “Therapeutic food” or “Ready to use therapeutic food” or RUTF or “Ready to use supplementary food” or RUSF or “Lipid-based supplement” or “Fortified milk” or Vitamin* or “Vitamin mix” or “Micronutrient powder” or “Enriched food” or “Fortified food” or “Diet modification” or “Diet therapy” or “Diet treatment” or “Dietary modification” or “Nutrition therapy” or Breastfeeding or “Complementary food” or “Infant formula” or “Milk bank” or “Breast milk” or “Sexual Health” or “Reproductive Health” or “Adolescent Reproductive Health” or “Sex education” or “Minimum initial service package” or MISP or Maternal or “Maternal Health” or Newborn or Neonat* or “Newborn care” or “Perinatal care” or “Intrapartum care” or “Prenatal care” or “Antenatal care” or “Postnatal care” or “Postpartum care” or Pregnancy or Birth or “Safe delivery” or “Safe motherhood” or “Birth attendant” or Midwife or Midwifery or Obstetrics or “Emergency obstetric care” or “Emergency obstetric and neonatal care” or Emoc or Emonc or Miscarriage* or “Spontaneous abortion” or Stillbirth or Eclampsia or Pre-eclampsia or Pre-eclampsia or “Obstructed labor” or “Postpartum hemorrhage” or “Uterine hemorrhage” or Contraception or “Family planning” or “Birth interval” or “Birth spacing” or Abortion or “Induced abortion” or “Post abortion care” or “Human immunodeficiency virus” or HIV or “Acquired immune deficiency syndrome” or AIDS or “Sexually transmitted infection” or STI or “Sexually transmitted disease” or STD or “Prevention of mother to child transmission” or PMTCT or “Vertical transmission” or Chlamydia or Gonorrhea or Syphilis or “Human papillomavirus” or HPV or “Gender-based violence” or “Gender based violence” or “Violence against women” or “Intimate partner violence” or IPV or “Partner violence” or “Family violence” or “Domestic violence” or “Partner abuse” or “Sexual abuse” or “Sexual violence” or “Sexual crime” or “Sex crime” or Rape or “Sexual assault” or “Forced sex” or “Sexual exploitation” or “Sexual slavery” or “Sexual harassment” or “Sexual coercion” or “Physical violence” or Assault or Abuse or “Genital trauma” or “Genital injury” or “Vaginal trauma” or “Vaginal injury” or Fistula or “Menstrual hygiene” or “Menstrual hygiene management” or Wellbeing or Well-being or “Mental health” or Self-efficacy or Resilience* or Coping or Self-care or Self-help or “Social connectedness” or “Social cohesion” or “Social network” or “Stress reduction” or “Mental disorder” or “Mental illness” or “Mental disturbance” or “Psychiatric diagnosis” or “Psychiatric disease” or “Psychiatric disorder” or “Psychiatric illness” or “Psychological disorder” or Depression or “Depressive episode” or “Depressive state” or Suicide or Mania or Delusion or Psychosis or Anxiety or Hypervigilance or “Mental trauma” or Stress or Distress or “Post-traumatic stress disorder” or PTSD or “Substance use” or “Substance abuse” or “Substance dependence” or “Drug abuse” or “Drug addiction” or Somatization or Somatofobia or Schizophrenia or “Obsessive compulsive disorder” or Phobia or Neurosis or “Psychosocial support” or “Psychosocial intervention” or “Psychological support” or “Psychological intervention” or “Psychological first aid” or “Mental health support” or “Mental health intervention” or MHSS or “Social support” or “Community support” or “Family support” or Psychotherapy or Counseling or “Support group” or “Peer support” or “Community healing” or “Communal healing” or “Safe space” or “Child-friendly space” or Injury or “Traumatic
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ANNEX 2: DATA EXTRACTION TOOL

Lead author:___________________________________________
Year of publication:______________________________________

Population/setting

Country(ies) in which the study was conducted: ______________
Location within country(ies)
○ National sample
○ Regional or other sample (if selected, describe in next question)

Specify included area(s)
Answer if “regional or other sample” selected in previous question

Population type(s)

○ Refugee
○ Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs)
○ Emergency-affected (non-displaced)
○ Host community
○ Multiple population types (specify in next question)

Specify multiple population types
Answer with a list of included population types from the options in the previous question (i.e., refugee, IDP, emergency-affected, host community) only if multiple population types were included

Humanitarian crisis type(s)

○ Armed conflict
○ Natural disaster
○ Outbreak
○ Multiple humanitarian crisis types (specify in next question)

Specify multiple humanitarian crisis types
Answer with a list of included humanitarian crisis types from the options in the previous question (i.e., armed conflict, natural disaster, outbreak) only if multiple humanitarian crisis types were included
Humanitarian context type(s)
- Camp: refugee and internally displaced camps and settlements
- Urban: urban settings where refugees and internally displaced persons are hosted, or non-displaced crisis-affected populations reside
- Rural: rural settings where refugees and internally displaced persons are hosted, or non-displaced crisis-affected populations reside
- Multiple humanitarian context types (specify in next question)

Specify multiple humanitarian context types
Answer with a list of included humanitarian context types from the options in the previous question (i.e., camp, urban, rural) only if multiple humanitarian context types were included

Interventions

Type of intervention(s)
Briefly list the broad type of intervention(s) (e.g., health education, vaccination campaign, cash/voucher assistance, etc.)

Description of intervention(s)
Provide a more detailed description of the intervention(s)

Implementing agency type
- Government
- UN agency
- NGO
- Private sector
- Multiple implementing agency types (specify in next question)
- Unclear or not specified

Specify multiple implementing agency types
Service delivery / implementation site

- System-level
- Facility-based (excluding pharmacies)
- Pharmacies only
- Community-based
- Mobile/outreach
- Self-care
- Other (specify)

Description of “other” service delivery / implementation site

*Answer only if “other” was selected in the previous question*

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Personnel type(s) involved

- Health professional cadre(s) (specify in next question)
- Community health workers (CHWs) / community health volunteers (CHVs)
- Lay personnel
- Not specified
- Not applicable

Description of “other” personnel type(s)/health professional cadre(s)

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Part of a broader multi-sectoral program or intervention strategy

- Yes
- No

Description of broader multi-sectoral program or intervention strategy

*Answer only if “yes” was selected in the previous question*
Study details

Aim/objective of the study: ______________________________________________________

Study design

Study design

- Randomized controlled trial (RCT)
- Non-randomized / (quasi-)experimental study
- Cohort study
- Case-control study
- Mixed methods
- Economic evaluation (specify with description provided by author)
- Other (specify) __________________________

If RCT selected:

- Individual randomized
- Cluster (community/site) randomized

If economic evaluation selected: description provided by author

Add description only if economic evaluation is selected for study design

Study Period

Study start date: ____________________________________________________________

Study end date: ____________________________________________________________

Duration of participation (from recruitment to last follow-up): ______________________

Number of data collection interactions/rounds dates (if relevant): ____________________

Participants

Sample description

Describe specific inclusion/exclusion criteria or important characteristics about the study sample

Number of individuals/households enrolled by group: _____________________________
Number of individuals/households completing the study by group: _______________________

Outcomes and results

Outcome(s) measured
List the primary and, where relevant, secondary outcomes measured. Be sure to indicate which are primary outcomes vs. secondary outcomes.

__________________________________________________________________________

Results

Primary/first outcome:

- Indicator/outcome description: _______________________________________________

- Unadjusted point estimate and confidence interval/standard deviation (or summarize first key cost or qualitative finding): ________________________________

- Adjusted point estimate and confidence interval/standard deviation: ___________

Second outcome:

- Indicator/outcome description: _______________________________________________

- Unadjusted point estimate and confidence interval/standard deviation (or summarize second key cost or qualitative finding): ________________________________

- Adjusted point estimate and confidence interval/standard deviation: ___________

Third outcome:

- Indicator/outcome description: _______________________________________________

- Unadjusted point estimate and confidence interval/standard deviation (or summarize third key cost or qualitative finding): ________________________________

- Adjusted point estimate and confidence interval/standard deviation: ___________

If more than three, list additional outcomes:

Enter "N/A" if no more than 3 outcomes were measured

__________________________________________________________________________

Key take-away/conclusion: ________________________________________________

Additional notes (optional): ________________________________________________
## ANNEX 3: CRITICAL APPRAISAL STRATEGY AND TOOLS

### Overall Risk-Of-Bias Judgement Criterion

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### Critical Appraisal Tools for Experimental and Quasi-Experimental Studies

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**Individual or Cluster Randomized Trials (see Cochrane RoB 2 tool for randomized trials and RoB 2 tool for cluster randomized trials for additional guidance)**

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**Did the participants adhere to the assigned intervention?**


**Critical Appraisal Tools for Quantitative Studies Measuring Cost, Cost Efficiency, Cost-Effectiveness, Cost-Utility, Or Cost-Benefit of Interventions**

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Is the time horizon of costs clearly stated?

Are discount rates clearly stated and justified, or reason for not discounting clearly explained?

Is sensitivity analysis conducted and approach clearly described?

Do conclusions flow from data reported?

Are conclusions accompanied by appropriate caveats


Critical Appraisal Tool for Qualitative, Quantitative, and Mixed Methods Studies

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### Quantitative Studies

- Is the sampling strategy relevant to address the research question?
- Is the sample representative of the target population?
- Are the measurements appropriate?
- Is the risk of nonresponse bias low?
- Is the statistical analysis appropriate to answer the research question?

### Mixed Methods Studies

- Is there an adequate rationale for using a mixed methods design to address the research question?
- Are the different components of the study effectively integrated to answer the research question?
- Are the outputs of the integration of qualitative and quantitative components adequately interpreted?
- Are divergences and inconsistencies between quantitative and qualitative results adequately addressed?
- Do the different components of the study adhere to the quality criteria of each tradition of the methods involved?

## ANNEX 4: LOCATIONS OF RESEARCH INCLUDED IN HHER2 PUBLICATIONS

Locations of Research Included in HHER2 by Region (Number of Articles) *

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*25 articles reported on evaluations of interventions in multiple countries, 9 of which included countries in multiple regions
Locations of Research Included in All HHER2 Publications

Locations of Research Included in Communicable Disease Control Publications
Locations of Research Included in Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene Publications

Locations of Research Included in Nutrition Publications
Locations of Research Included in Sexual and Reproductive Health Publications

Locations of Research Included in Mental Health and Psychosocial Support Publications
Locations of Research Included in Health Service Delivery Publications

Locations of Research Included in Health Systems Publications
## ANNEX 5: STUDY DESIGN AND OUTCOMES OF COMMUNICABLE DISEASE CONTROL INTERVENTION STUDIES

Study Design of Communicable Disease Intervention Studies in Humanitarian Crisis Settings, 2013-2021 (n=70)

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<th>Author (Year)</th>
<th>Study Setting &amp; Population</th>
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| **Abdullahi (2020)** | **Country:** Nigeria, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp and non-camp  
**Population:** Host community, internally displaced | **Description:** Active case finding (ACF) intervention for TB and testing for HIV with linkages to treatment  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel - healthcare workers not specified, community mobilizers, camp representatives  
**Part of broader program:** Yes - multi-stakeholder health improvement collaboration | **Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 1 year  
**Sample description:** Intervention - convenience sample among local government areas (LGAs) receiving ACF services  
Control - LGAs not receiving ACF services  
**Sample size:** 24 LGAs (12 intervention, 12 control) |
| **Aibana (2013)** | **Country:** Haiti, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Outbreak  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** 2-phase oral cholera vaccine (OCV) campaign with dissemination of health education information  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel - members of vaccination team and local media  
**Part of broader program:** Yes | **Study design:** Observational (pre-post cross-sectional surveys)  
**Study duration:** 7 months  
**Sample description:** Households in Bocozel, random selection  
**Sample size:** 1,329 HHs (811 pre-intervention, 518 post-intervention) |
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<td>2020</td>
<td>Liberia and Sierra Leone, regional sample</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Treatment with early third-generation cephalosporin antibiotic treatment (5-day course) in Ebola Treatment Units (ETUs)</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - health practitioners not specified</td>
<td>Yes - ETUs providing full-scope care for patients with suspected and confirmed Ebola virus disease (EVD)</td>
<td>Observatory (cohort study)</td>
<td>16 months</td>
<td>Patients admitted alive to 5 participating ETUs with confirmed EVD</td>
<td>424 patients (360 intervention, 64 control)</td>
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<td>Amabo</td>
<td>2019</td>
<td>Cameroon, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>Surveillance system for diarrheal disease</td>
<td>System-level</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - health personnel not specified, surveillance officer</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods (health registers, surveillance reports, key informant interviews)</td>
<td>2 years</td>
<td>Health staff from the district health office and camp health facilities who conducted epidemiological surveillance activities</td>
<td>138 surveillance reports, 10 key informant interviews (7 nurses, 2 clinicians, 1 logistician)</td>
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<td>Amani</td>
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<td>Cameroon, regional sample</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Reactive single dose oral cholera vaccine (OCV) 5-day mass vaccination campaign</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - vaccination team comprised of vaccinator, recorder, social mobilizer</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>5-day campaign, 2-year data review period</td>
<td>Overall - people &gt;1 year old, including pregnant women, in 9 high-risk health areas within 4 health districts; independent monitoring - rapid convenience assessment and Lot Quality Assessment Sampling from vaccine-eligible population</td>
<td>537,274 overall vaccine-eligible population; 4,685 independent monitoring sample</td>
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<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>2-round mass drug administration (MDA) for malaria in Ebola-impacted areas</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - health staff not specified and community health workers</td>
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<td>Observational</td>
<td>5 months</td>
<td>Random sampling of 1 health facility from each intervention (MDA) and control (non-MDA) chiefdom</td>
<td>48 health facilities (34 intervention, 14 control)</td>
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<td>Ashbaugh</td>
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<td>Suspected viral haemorrhagic fever (VHF) reported to the Integrated Disease Surveillance and Response (IDSR) passive surveillance system</td>
<td>System-level</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>Yes - ISDR is a national passive surveillance system for reportable diseases</td>
<td>Observational (retrospective analysis)</td>
<td>8 years</td>
<td>Active (MoH) and passive (IDSR) data for 4 EVD outbreaks that occurred after ISDR implementation</td>
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<td>Outbreak</td>
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<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Mass vaccination campaign of a single dose of oral cholera vaccine during a cholera outbreak</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>Yes - cholera outbreak response including WASH, case management, and surveillance activities</td>
<td>Observational (case-cohort)</td>
<td>2 months</td>
<td>Cases: Age &gt; 1 year at start of vaccination campaign who sought care at a cholera treatment centre; Cohort: Multistage random spatial sampling process divided among vaccinated and unvaccinated areas</td>
<td>Cases: 87 enrolled, 34 confirmed; Cohort: 898 enrolled (373 vaccinated, 525 unvaccinated), 858 completed follow up</td>
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<td>Camp and non-camp</td>
<td>Host community, refugee</td>
<td>Pre-emptive 2-dose oral cholera vaccine administration during a cholera outbreak</td>
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<td>Not specified</td>
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<td>Observational (retrospective analysis)</td>
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<td>Cholera patients seen at 41 cholera treatment facilities</td>
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<td>1 dose Ebola vaccine Phase III trial among frontline workers to assess vaccine immunogenicity</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>Yes - sub-study within the Phase III trial</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental study</td>
<td>17 months</td>
<td>Personnel working in Ebola or non-Ebola health facilities and services</td>
<td>1,271 enrolled (1,172 vaccinated, 99 non-vaccinated); 1,153 analysed (1,079 vaccinated, 74 non-vaccinated)</td>
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<td>Jordan and Lebanon, national sample</td>
<td>Armed Conflict</td>
<td>Camp and non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>National TB Program (NTP) tuberculosis detection and treatment program, with International Organization for Migration (IOM) support for services provided to Syrian refugees</td>
<td>System-level</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Observational (retrospective review)</td>
<td>3 years (Jordan), 1 year (Lebanon)</td>
<td>All TB cases (Lebanon and Jordan) and household contacts for Syrian refugee TB cases (Lebanon only)</td>
<td>Jordan: 1,124 overall (591 native Jordanians, 324 foreign-born non-Syrians, 209 Syrian refugees); Lebanon: 650 overall (297 native Lebanese, 214 foreign-born non-Syrians, 139 Syrian refugees)</td>
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<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Diagnosis and treatment of rifampicin-resistant TB (RR-TB)</td>
<td>Community-based, facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - directly observed therapy (DOT) conducted by nurses and community health workers</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (retrospective cohort)</td>
<td>5 years</td>
<td>Patients with confirmed TB at 10 TB diagnostic and treatment centres</td>
<td>1,535 patients</td>
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<td>Outbreak</td>
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<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Economic feasibility of administering preventive malaria treatment to all contacts of patients with Ebola virus disease (EVD), to prevent the onset of febrile malaria and subsequent admission to Ebola treatment units (ETUs)</td>
<td>System-level</td>
<td>N/A</td>
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<td>Economic evaluation (modelling analysis)</td>
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<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Large scale fractional-dose yellow fever vaccination campaign</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>1 year</td>
<td>Convenience sample of persons &gt; 2 years old who received fractional-dose vaccination at 6 sites (pregnant women excluded)</td>
<td>764 enrolled, 716 completed 1 month follow-up, 684 completed 1 year follow-up</td>
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<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Integration of child nutrition screening with polio vaccination campaign</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - vaccinators, nutrition screener, data collectors, supervisors, support staff</td>
<td>Yes - combined bivalent oral (bOPV) and inactivated polio vaccination (IPV) campaign</td>
<td>Observational (cross-sectional)</td>
<td>1 month</td>
<td>Children attending the vaccination campaign (6 weeks-59 months for vaccination, 6-59 months for nutrition screening) in 4 local government areas (LGAs)</td>
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<td>Sample size: 1,698,950 targeted for bOPV, 1,618,354 targeted for IPV, 725,509 targeted for nutrition screening</td>
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<td>Uganda, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp (rural)</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>Implementation of a large-scale intermittent preventive treatment of children (IPTc) program for malaria</td>
<td>Community-based, facility-based</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>17 months</td>
<td>Children aged 6 months-15 years (provision of dihydroartemisinin-piperaquine (DP) for malaria chemoprevention), systematic household sampling with random selection by age (malaria prevalence surveys), systematic household sampling (program coverage surveys)</td>
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<td>Sample size: 40,611 provided DP, 3,134 surveyed for malaria prevalence, 3,514 surveyed for program coverage</td>
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<td>3 strategies for prevention of Hepatitis B Virus (HBV) transmission, with universal HBV vaccination of infants in all options: 1. vaccine only, 2. HBIG after positive maternal rapid diagnostic test (RDT), 3. HBIG after positive maternal confirmatory test</td>
<td>Economic evaluation (cost-effectiveness analysis)</td>
<td>2 years</td>
<td>Pregnant women at clinic sites</td>
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<td>Doshi</td>
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<td>Democratic Republic of Congo, national sample</td>
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<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Field evaluation of measles vaccine effectiveness among children, using the case-based measles surveillance system</td>
<td>Observational (case-control)</td>
<td>3 years</td>
<td>Cases: children aged 12-59 months with confirmed measles and available vaccination history; Controls: children aged 12-50 months with a measles-like illness who tested negative for measles and available vaccination history</td>
<td>1,044 cases, 1,335 controls</td>
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<td>Franke</td>
<td>2018</td>
<td>Haiti, regional sample</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>2-dose vaccination campaign of a killed, bivalent, whole-cell oral cholera vaccine in setting with epidemic and endemic cholera</td>
<td>Observational (case-control study)</td>
<td>4 years</td>
<td>Cases: Patients with acute watery diarrhoea presenting to a cholera treatment facility; Controls: Matched to cases by age and location of residence</td>
<td>884 (178 cases, 706 controls)</td>
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<td>Gallandat (2020)</td>
<td>Democratic Republic of Congo and Haiti, regional sample</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Camp and non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Household spraying programs in cholera outbreaks</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - spraying agents</td>
<td>Yes - 3 independently occurring spraying programs were evaluated in this study</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>5 months</td>
<td>Household surveys: Participants were enrolled if an adult was present when the spraying team arrived and consented to participate; Key informant interviews: program coordinators and spraying agents</td>
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<td>Liberia and Sierra Leone, regional sample</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Mass drug administration (MDA) of artemunate-amodiaquine (ASAQ) during an Ebola virus disease (EVD) outbreak</td>
<td>Community-based, facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - health workers not specified</td>
<td>Yes - 2 MDAs of ASAQ were implemented in 8 of Sierra Leone’s 14 districts</td>
<td>Observational (cohort study)</td>
<td>1 year</td>
<td>1:1 nearest-neighbour matching without replacement was used for matched cohort analysis; Intervention: Patients admitted to the ETUs during the time period of ASAQ therapeutic effect and whose reported home residence was in a chiefdom that received the MDA were considered exposed to ASAQ; Control: All other patients were presumed not exposed to ASAQ</td>
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<td>Gargano (2017)</td>
<td>South Sudan, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp (rural)</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>Cost-effectiveness estimation of Haemophilus influenzae type B (Hib)-containing and pneumococcal conjugate (PCV) vaccination among refugee children aged &lt; 2 years</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Economic evaluation (modelling analysis)</td>
<td>1 year</td>
<td>Children aged &lt; 2 years living in Yida camp</td>
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Annex 5: Study Design and Outcomes of Communicable Disease Control Intervention Studies
| Gsell (2017) | **Country:** Guinea, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Outbreak  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Ring vaccination with rVSV-ZEBOV in response to an outbreak of Ebola virus disease  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel - epidemiological team, social mobilizers, others not specified  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational (feasibility study)  
**Study duration:** 5 weeks  
**Sample description:** Contacts and contacts of contacts identified within each ring (excluded if pregnant, breastfeeding, severely ill, or < 6 years old)  
**Sample size:** 1,659 contacts of contacts |

| Habib (2017) | **Country:** Pakistan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural and urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Community engagement and integrated maternal and child health and polio immunization campaigns: Arm A (control): Routine polio program activities; Arm B: additional interventions including community outreach and mobilization, provision of preventive maternal and child health services and routine immunization including oral polio vaccine (OPV); Arm C: all Arm B interventions with provision of inactivated polio vaccine (IPV)  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel - supervising medical officers, vaccinators, paramedics, facilitators, other healthcare providers not specified, community mobilizers  
**Part of broader program:** Yes - Pakistan national polio program | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial (cluster randomized)  
**Study duration:** 1 year  
**Sample description:** Healthy children aged 1 month-5 years who lived within the 3 study areas  
**Sample size:** Baseline: 387 clusters randomized (131 arm A, 127 arm B, 129 arm C); overall 87,984 children, 28,760 children arm A, 30,098 arm B, 29,126 arm C; endline: 360 clusters (116 arm A, 122 arm B, 122 arm C); overall 75,189 children 23,334 children arm A, 26,110 children arm B, 25,745 children arm C |
| Howard (2017) | **Country:** Pakistan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp (rural)  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** Addition of malaria prevention by indoor residual spraying (IRS) in higher-incidence settlements to routine malaria diagnosis and treatment by case management  
**Implementation site:** Community-based, facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel - health workers not specified, microscopist, refugee workers  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Economic evaluation  
**Study duration:** 5 years  
**Sample description:** Afghan refugees residing in settlements  
**Sample size:** Year 1 2,402,726 residents; year 5 1,236,325 residents |
| Ibraheem (2019) | **Country:** Iraq, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp (urban)  
**Population:** Internally displaced | **Description:** Treatment of scabies with single and combined topical medications  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Not specified  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)  
**Study duration:** 2 years  
**Sample description:** Patients aged >18 years with scabies who hadn’t received anti-scabies treatment, cluster sample from 7 camps and classified into 7 groups (1 control, 6 treatment)  
**Sample size:** 195 enrolled (30 for each treatment group, 15 control), 195 analysed |
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<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Reactive cholera vaccination campaign with oral inactivated bivalent whole-cell vaccine</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (case-control study)</td>
<td>Median stay at the cholera treatment unit was 3 days</td>
<td>Cases (vaccination effectiveness (VE) study): Residents of the study area who were eligible for the vaccination campaign and sought treatment with watery diarrhoea confirmed to have cholera; Cases (bias-indicator study): Residents of the study area who were eligible for the vaccination campaign and sought treatment with watery diarrhoea confirmed to not have cholera; Controls: individuals who did not seek treatment for diarrhoea</td>
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<td>Jia (2015)</td>
<td>Sierra Leone, regional sample</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Community cell phone Ebola Haemorrhagic Fever (EHF) syndromic surveillance</td>
<td>System-level</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>Yes - Moyamba District Community syndromic surveillance system</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>3 months</td>
<td>Sierra Leonean adults who own a cell phone</td>
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| Khan (2019) | **Country:** Bangladesh, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp (urban)  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** Vaccination with measles-rubella (MR) vaccine (children aged 6 months-15 years), oral polio vaccine (OPV) (children aged < 5 years), and oral cholera vaccine (OCV) (all > 1 year, with 2 doses for children 1-5 years)  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Not specified  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 1 week  
**Sample description:** Random cluster sample of Balukhali camp residents  
**Sample size:** 40,779 target population, 39,438 interviewed |
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| Kuehne (2016) | **Country:** Liberia, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Outbreak  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Mass drug administration (MDA) of artesunate/amodiaquine malaria chemoprevention (ASAQ-CP) distributed in 2 rounds during an Ebola outbreak  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel - distribution team not specified, community volunteers  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 3 months  
**Sample description:** Households that received the MDA (random selection of every 200th recipient)  
**Sample size:** 365 selected, 222 participated |
| Kunkel (2019) | **Country:** Democratic Republic of Congo, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Outbreak  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Health facility (HF)-based active case finding (ACF) surveillance system for control of Ebola Virus Disease (EVD) transmission  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - doctors and nurses  
**Part of broader program:** Yes | **Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 4 weeks  
**Sample description:** Health facilities (HFs) and records for all consultations  
**Sample size:** 113 HFs; 37,746 consultation records |
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<td>Guinea, national sample</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>National Call centre and local alert system for detection of new cases of Ebola Virus Disease (EVD)</td>
<td>System-level</td>
<td>Lay personnel - call centre operators and dispatch team</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>9 months</td>
<td>National viral haemorrhagic fever (VHF) database of all persons tested for EVD and all known, confirmed EVD cases</td>
<td>17,309 alert calls analysed</td>
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<td>Li (2016)</td>
<td>Sierra Leone, regional sample</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Community-based strategy to interrupt Ebola Virus Disease (EVD) transmission (widespread community-based education and field-operational intensified control measures)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - disease surveillance officers, contact tracers, support staff, social mobilizers</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>6 months</td>
<td>No inclusion/exclusion criteria reported</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
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<td>Logie (2014)</td>
<td>Haiti, regional sample</td>
<td>Environmental disaster</td>
<td>Camp and non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Internally displaced</td>
<td>FASY (Women Taking Action for Their Health) psychoeducational HIV/STI prevention sessions based on content from the Population Council’s All in One Curriculum: A Unified Approach to Sexuality, Gender, HIV and Human Rights Education</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - community health workers (CHWs)</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (cross-sectional survey)</td>
<td>1 month</td>
<td>Residents aged &gt; 12 months, cluster sampling with population proportional to size</td>
<td>5,248 surveys completed (3,993 in Boffa, 1,255 in Forecariah)</td>
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<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Mass vaccination campaign of 2-dose oral cholera vaccine (OCV) during a cholera epidemic</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - vaccination team not specified</td>
<td>Yes - cholera epidemic response</td>
<td>Observational (retroactive matched case-control)</td>
<td>8 months</td>
<td>Case: Acute flaccid paralysis (AFP) in a child aged &lt;15 years or any paralytic illness in a person of any age with polio suspected; Control: NPAFP controls: non-polio AFP control matched by age, date of onset of paralysis and region; neighbourhood controls: 2 asymptomatic household or neighbourhood contacts, matched by age</td>
<td>198 (99 cases and 99 NPAFP controls); 396 (132 cases and 264 neighbourhood controls)</td>
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<td>Mahamud (2014)</td>
<td>Somalia, national sample</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Camp and non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced), host community, internally displaced</td>
<td>Oral polio vaccination (OPV) through the Expanded Programme on Immunization, provided routinely through a network of health facilities and supplementary immunization activities</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>Yes - Expanded Programme on Immunization</td>
<td>Observational (descriptive diagnostic performance evaluation)</td>
<td>Not specified (samples collected during 2018-2019 outbreak)</td>
<td>Blood samples obtained by venous blood draw collected from suspected EVD patients</td>
<td>928 samples tested with both QuickNavi-Ebola and GeneXpert</td>
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<td>Martinez-Pino (2013)</td>
<td>Guinea, regional sample</td>
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<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Cholera rapid diagnostic test (RDT) use during a mass vaccination campaign during an outbreak</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - vaccination team not specified</td>
<td>Yes - cholera epidemic response</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>Not specified (participants recruited on 2 days and followed for maximum of 7 days)</td>
<td>residents aged &gt;= 1 year, systemic sampling method used at randomly selected vaccination sites</td>
<td>108 enrolled, 106 analysed</td>
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<td>Study design</td>
<td>Country: Somalia, national sample</td>
<td>Crisis type: Outbreak</td>
<td>Context type: Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Population: Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Description: Village Polio Volunteers (VPV) program for poliovirus surveillance</td>
<td>Implementation site: Community-based</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): Lay personnel - local trained volunteers</td>
<td>Part of broader program: No</td>
<td>Sample design: N/A</td>
<td>Sample size: N/A</td>
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<td>Metuge (2021)</td>
<td>Country: Cameroon, regional sample</td>
<td>Crisis type: Armed conflict</td>
<td>Context type: Non-camp</td>
<td>Population: Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Description: Community based surveillance (CBS) to identify outbreak prone diseases (OPD) compared to the District Health Service (DHS) facility-based surveillance</td>
<td>Implementation site: Community-based</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): Health professional cadre and lay personnel - medical doctors, nurses, community health workers (CHW)</td>
<td>Part of broader program: Yes</td>
<td>Study design: Observational</td>
<td>Study duration: 11 months</td>
<td>Sample description: N/A</td>
<td>Sample size: N/A</td>
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<td>Michel (2019)</td>
<td>Country: Haiti, regional sample</td>
<td>Crisis type: Outbreak</td>
<td>Context type: Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Population: Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Description: Case-area targeted response interventions (CATI) for cholera</td>
<td>Implementation site: Community-based</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): Health professional cadre and lay personnel - WaSH rapid response teams, nurses, auxiliary nurses</td>
<td>Part of broader program: Yes</td>
<td>Study design: Observational</td>
<td>Study duration: 3 years</td>
<td>Sample description: 10,428 suspect cases (including 2,144 cases with reported severe dehydration, 360 positive stool cultures, 3,343 complete CATIs)</td>
<td>Sample size: see above</td>
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| **O’Laughlin (2014)** | **Country:** Uganda, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp (rural)  
**Population:** Host community, refugee  
**Description:** 12-week communication intervention to improve linkage to HIV care  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel - research assistants  
**Part of broader program:** Yes - primary health centre based in refugee settlement  
**Study design:** Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)  
**Study duration:** 20 months  
**Sample description:** Refugees and Ugandan nationals partaking in routine voluntary clinic-based HIV testing, found to be HIV+ and with mobile phone access  
**Sample size:** 208 enrolled (101 intervention, 107 control) |
| **O’Laughlin (2020)** | **Country:** South Sudan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp (urban)  
**Population:** Internally displaced  
**Description:** Integration of immunization services into nutrition sites to improve children’s immunization status  
**Implementation site:** Community-based, facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel - vaccinators, community nutrition volunteers  
**Part of broader program:** Yes - Expanded Program on Immunization  
**Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 1 year  
**Sample description:** All children under 5 years seen at the outpatient therapeutic program (OTP) centres and during nutrition community outreaches, purposive sampling of OTP centres  
**Sample size:** 4,358 enrolled (1,646 sector 2, 2,712 sector 5) |
| **Oladeji (2019)** | **Country:** South Sudan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp (urban)  
**Population:** Internally displaced  
**Description:** Integration of immunization services into nutrition sites to improve children’s immunization status  
**Implementation site:** Community-based, facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel - vaccinators, community nutrition volunteers  
**Part of broader program:** Yes - Expanded Program on Immunization  
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<td>Camp and non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>Field performance of ImmunoCard STAT! (ICS-RV) rapid diagnostic test for rotavirus</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - surveillance clerks</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>7 months</td>
<td>Children aged &lt; 5 years hospitalized with acute diarrhoea</td>
<td>213 enrolled, 213 analysed</td>
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<td>Ousman (2019)</td>
<td>Democratic Republic of Congo, regional sample</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Healthcare worker (HCW) training in infection prevention and control (IPC), provision of IPC kits and mentoring on IPC compliance in non-Ebola health care facilities (HCFs)</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - IPC specialists</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (pre-post)</td>
<td>5 weeks</td>
<td>HCWs at 48 participating HCFs in 3 health zones</td>
<td>878 HCWs trained; 48 HCFs (5 hospitals, 20 medical centres, 23 health centres)</td>
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<td>Emergency-affected (non-displaced), host community, internally displaced</td>
<td>Neighbourhood-targeted and case-triggered use of a single dose of oral cholera vaccine (OCV) in 3 target areas</td>
<td>Community-based, facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - vaccinators, registrars, security guards, health promoters, team supervisors</td>
<td>Yes - broader cholera response</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>1 month</td>
<td>Neighbourhood-targeted coverage survey: random sample of households using by stratified spatial sampling; Case-triggered coverage survey: spatially random points selected within 350 meters of suspected case households, 1 person from household selected at random</td>
<td>neighbourhood-based coverage survey 371 households and 2,662 individuals; case-triggered coverage survey 390 individuals</td>
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| **Ratnayake (2016)** | **Country:** Sierra Leone, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Outbreak  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural and urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced)  
**Description:** Infection prevention and control  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel - HCWs, district health officials, community health officers, and community representatives  
**Part of broader program:** Yes  
**Study design:** Mixed methods  
**Study duration:** 3 weeks  
**Sample description:** HCWs surveyed at peripheral health units (PHUs)  
**Sample size:** 35 HCWs at 8 PHUs |
| **Rebaudet (2019)** | **Country:** Haiti, national sample  
**Crisis type:** Outbreak  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural and urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced)  
**Description:** Nationwide case-area targeted interventions (CATIs) cholera response strategy  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel - local Haitian staff and MOH response teams  
**Part of broader program:** Yes  
**Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 4 years  
**Sample description:** Weekly cholera alerts  
**Sample size:** 7,856 weekly alerts (31,306 notified CATIs) |
| **Routh (2017)** | **Country:** Haiti, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Outbreak  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural and urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced)  
**Description:** Government-conducted oral cholera vaccine (OCV) campaign  
**Implementation site:** Community-based, facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel - vaccinators, record-keepers, announcers, supervisors  
**Part of broader program:** Yes - broader cholera response  
**Study design:** Economic evaluation  
**Study duration:** 6 months  
**Sample description:** Non-pregnant residents aged >= 1 year  
**Sample size:** Target population 107,906 (20,917 in Cerca Carvajal, 86,989 in Petite Anse) |
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<td>Convalescent whole blood (CWB) to treat Ebola virus disease</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre</td>
<td>Yes - Ebola treatment centres</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental study (non-randomized trial)</td>
<td>5 months</td>
<td>Patients being treated for EVD at study facilities</td>
<td>69 patients enrolled (44 intervention, 25 control); 68 analysed (43 intervention, 25 control)</td>
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<td>Scobie (2014)</td>
<td>Fiji, national sample</td>
<td>Environmental disaster</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Targeted typhoid vaccination campaign following a cyclone</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - nurse vaccinators, village health workers, drivers</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>4 years</td>
<td>Persons aged &gt;= 2 years</td>
<td>16 targeted medical areas, target population of 65,294 persons</td>
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<td>Shanchol oral cholera vaccine (OCV) campaign</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (pre-post test)</td>
<td>16 months</td>
<td>Households in Maela camp at least 1 month before study</td>
<td>Baseline 271 HHs, 1st follow-up 187 HHs, 2nd follow-up 199 HHs</td>
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<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>GeneXpert Ebola assay for diagnosis of Ebola virus disease</td>
<td>Laboratory-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>4 months</td>
<td>Clinical venipuncture whole blood (WB) and buccal swab (BS) specimens</td>
<td>289 specimens received (218 WB, 71 BS); 275 specimens with valid GeneXpert and Trombley results for analysis (211 WB, 64 BS)</td>
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<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Contact tracing during an Ebola virus disease (EVD) outbreak</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - surveillance officers, contract tracers</td>
<td>Yes - Ebola containment efforts</td>
<td>Observational (retrospective analysis)</td>
<td>4 months</td>
<td>Probable and confirmed EVD cases and their contacts</td>
<td>449 cases, 2,525 contacts</td>
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<td>Haiti, regional sample</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
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<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Oral cholera vaccine (OCV) campaign during a cholera outbreak</td>
<td>Community-based, facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - vaccinators, registrars, announcers</td>
<td>Yes - comprehensive cholera prevention and care</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>37 months</td>
<td>Patients admitted to study hospital with acute watery diarrhoea</td>
<td>3,255 patients with acute diarrhoea (673 from vaccinated area, 2,582 outside vaccinated area); 70,000 residents in catchment area (52,357 vaccinated, 17,643 unvaccinated)</td>
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<td>Haiti, regional sample</td>
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<td>Addition of saccharomyces boulardii and bismuth subsalicylate (BS) to standard cholera treatment, with the following treatment arms: 1. S. boulardii capsule + placebo capsule, 2. S. boulardii capsule + 2 BS tablets, 3. 2 BS tablets + placebo capsule, 4. 2 placebo capsules</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - physician, nurse, recorder</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>1 month</td>
<td>Persons aged 12-89 years with onset of cholera symptoms for &lt;3 days and no medications taken to treat cholera, randomized to treatment arm</td>
<td>100 enrolled (26 arm 1, 25 arm 2, 25 arm 3, 24 arm 4), 100 analysed</td>
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<td>Study design and Outcomes of Communicable Disease Control Intervention Studies</td>
<td>Country: Haiti, regional sample</td>
<td>Crisis type: Environmental disaster, outbreak</td>
<td>Context type: Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Population: Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Description: Disinfection of CTC wastewater</td>
<td>Implementation site: Facility-based</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): N/A</td>
<td>Part of broader program: No</td>
<td>Study design: Quasi-experimental study (non-randomized trial)</td>
<td>Study duration: N/A</td>
<td>Sample description: N/A</td>
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<td>Crisis type: Outbreak</td>
<td>Context type: Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Population: Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Description: Chlorination of water supplies, hygiene promotion, and hygiene kit distribution</td>
<td>Implementation site: Community-based</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): Lay personnel - outreach workers</td>
<td>Part of broader program: Yes</td>
<td>Study design: Observational (cross-sectional study)</td>
<td>Study duration: 2 months</td>
<td>Sample description: Households with females over the age of 18 years living in Am Timan</td>
<td>Sample size: 395 survey respondents, 392 analysed</td>
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<td>Country: Sierra Leone, regional sample</td>
<td>Crisis type: Outbreak</td>
<td>Context type: Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Population: Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Description: 1-day active surveillance and health education for an Ebola virus disease cluster, with follow-up outreach</td>
<td>Implementation site: Community-based</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): Health professional cadre and lay personnel - surveillance officers, community health workers, ambulance personnel, district leaders</td>
<td>Part of broader program: Yes</td>
<td>Study design: Observational</td>
<td>Study duration: 3 months</td>
<td>Sample description: Laboratory-confirmed Ebola cases</td>
<td>Sample size: 50 cases</td>
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<td>Crisis type: Outbreak</td>
<td>Context type: Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Population: Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Description: Use of capillary blood samples as a collection specimen for the rapid diagnosis of Ebola virus disease</td>
<td>Implementation site: Facility-based</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): Health professional cadre - medical health personnel not specified, laboratory personnel</td>
<td>Part of broader program: Yes - Ebola treatment centre</td>
<td>Study design: Observational</td>
<td>Study duration: 2 months</td>
<td>Sample description: Patient presenting with symptoms compatible with the WHO case definition for EVD</td>
<td>Sample size: 60 blood samples analysed (60 capillary blood samples, 60 corresponding venous blood samples)</td>
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<td>Swanson (2018)</td>
<td>Liberia, national sample</td>
<td>Description: Contact tracing during an Ebola outbreak</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - contact tracers</td>
<td>Yes - Liberian Ministry of Health national task force</td>
<td>Observational (retrospective descriptive analysis)</td>
<td>14 months</td>
<td>Records for EVD case contacts in 6 counties</td>
<td>25,830 records for contact</td>
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<td>Theocharopoulous (2017)</td>
<td>Sierra Leone, regional sample</td>
<td>Description: Opening of an Ebola management centre (EMC) to improve geographic accessibility in Tonkolili district</td>
<td>System-level</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - doctors and nurses</td>
<td>Yes - EMC network in the region</td>
<td>Observational (retrospective cohort study)</td>
<td>7 months</td>
<td>Residents who were confirmed EVD cases referred or admitted to 1 of 3 EMCs</td>
<td>372 residents presented to an EMC (360 admitted, 12 dead on arrival), 249 admitted patients confirmed as EVD cases, 10 patients dead on arrival confirmed as EVD cases</td>
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<td>Thomson (2015)</td>
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<td>Description: Membrane filtration for detection of Vibrio cholerae for the measurement of biosand filter performance</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (descriptive field evaluation)</td>
<td>N/A (several months)</td>
<td>Biosand filters in the Artibonite Valley of Haiti</td>
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<td>Context type: Camp (urban)</td>
<td>Population: Refugee</td>
<td>Description: Active indicator-based community-based surveillance system (CBS) to detect epidemic prone disease early for rapid response</td>
<td>Implementation site: Community-based</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): Health professional cadre and lay personnel - surveillance workers, Epi Alert Team, Medical Response Team</td>
<td>Part of broader program: Yes</td>
<td>Study design: Observational</td>
<td>Study duration: 6 months</td>
<td>Sample description: All HHs in catchment areas</td>
<td>Sample size: average 97,340 HHs per CBS surveillance cycle (with average of 548,739 persons)</td>
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<td>Country: Sierra Leone, regional sample</td>
<td>Crisis type: Outbreak</td>
<td>Context type: Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Population: Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Description: Triage algorithm for admitted patients at an Ebola management centre, classifying patients as suspect or highly suspect and admitting to separate wards</td>
<td>Implementation site: Facility-based</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): Health professional cadre - not further specified</td>
<td>Part of broader program: Yes</td>
<td>Study design: Observational (descriptive evaluation)</td>
<td>Study duration: 3 months</td>
<td>Sample description: Records from all patients who fulfilled Ebola virus disease case definition and were admitted to the study EMC</td>
<td>Sample size: 433 admitted patients: 254 highly suspect and 179 suspect</td>
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<td>Xu (2020)</td>
<td>Myanmar, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp (rural)</td>
<td>Internally displaced</td>
<td>Directly-observed chloroquine-primaquine (CQ/PQ) treatment for uncomplicated acute Plasmodium vivax malaria</td>
<td>Community-based, facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - health clinic staff not specified, microscopists</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>33 months</td>
<td>Patients aged 3-59 years who presented with fever or history of fever within the last 48 h and symptoms suggestive of malaria to the 2 clinics serving the IDP settlements, found to have P. vivax</td>
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<td>No author listed (2014)</td>
<td>Kenya, regional sample</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Camp and non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Host community, refugee</td>
<td>Combined use of inactivated (IPV) and oral poliovirus (OPV) vaccines in a large-scale campaign in refugee camps and host communities</td>
<td>Community-based, facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - healthcare workers, volunteers</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>Not specified (study activities referenced in 2 consecutive months)</td>
<td>Children aged 0-59 months who lived in 5 refugee camps and surrounding communities, cluster sampling with convenience sample for nomadic families</td>
<td>1,286 households surveyed; information available for 2,161 children in 1,016 households</td>
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Outcomes of Communicable Disease Intervention Studies in Humanitarian Crisis Settings, 2013-2021 (n=70)

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| Abdullahi (2020) | • TB lab testing results in intervention LGAs  
• Change in TB case notifications  
• Comparative interrupted time series analysis of notification rates | **TB lab testing results:** # people tested baseline 15,996, intervention 28,321; # people tested positive (B+) baseline 1,806, intervention 2,726; positive yield baseline 11.3%, intervention 9.6% (50.9% change in cases detected)  
**Change in TB case notifications:** all forms of TB intervention +552 (+16.5%), control -66 (-6.3%); B+ TB intervention +847 (+45.1%), control -73 (-9.2%)  
**Notification rates (95% CI):** all forms TB incidence rate ratio (IRR) 1.136 (1.072-1.204, p<0.001); bacteriologically positive TB IRR 1.141 (1.058-1.229, p=0.001) | High |
| Aibana (2013) | • Knowledge of cholera transmission  
• Knowledge of means of avoiding cholera  
• Knowledge of means of water treatment  
• % always treating water  
• % wash hands with soap and water >4 times a day | **Post- vs. pre-intervention OR (95% CI):**  
Transmission knowledge: 1.91 (1.52-2.40, p<0.0001)  
Avoidance knowledge: 1.83 (1.46-2.30, p<0.0001)  
Water treatment knowledge: 2.75 (2.16-2.50, p<0.0001)  
Always treat water: 1.62 (1.28-2.05, p<0.0001)  
Wash hands >4/day: 1.30 (1.03-1.64, p=0.03) | High |
| Aluisio (2020) | • Observed mortality during ETU care  
• Mortality likelihood by odds ratio (conditional logistic regression) and relative risk (bootstrap analysis) | **(95% CI):**  
**Observed mortality:** overall mortality 57.5%; mortality intervention 54.7% (49.6-59.8), control 73.4% (61.5-82.7) (p<0.005)  
**Mortality likelihood:** OR=0.48 (0.32-0.71, p=0.01), RR=0.82 (0.64-1.16, p=0.11) | Low |
| **Amabo (2019)** | **Simplicity** (standardized case definition correctly stated by key informants [expected ≥80%], disease notification sheet is easy to fill in and available [≥80%], next level of data transmission is clearly defined [≥80%], cases are easy to recognize based on case definition [≥80%]; average time spent filling in disease notification report [≤10 min]) | **Simplicity** score = 2 (simple if >=4): Standardized case definition correctly stated by key informants = 20%; Disease notification sheet easy to fill in & available = 100%; Next level of data transmission clearly defined = 100%; Cases are easy to recognize by case definition = 70%; Average time spent filling in disease notification report = 35 min | Moderate |
| | | **Flexibility** score = 1 (flexible if >=1): IDSR report sheet allows for notification a disease/event other than diarrheal disease = Yes | |
| | Data quality (% unknown or blank responses on weekly notification sheets [≤10%]; case definitions used; clear hardcopy of surveillance forms available; % weekly surveillance forms signed twice [≥80%]) | **Data quality** score = 2 (data quality good if >=3): % ‘unknown’ or ‘blank’ responses on weekly notification sheets =3%; Case definitions used = No; Clear hardcopy of surveillance forms available = Yes; % weekly surveillance forms signed twice = 0% | |
| | Acceptability (completeness of surveillance forms ≥90%; timeliness of surveillance forms ≥80%; % personnel participating in surveillance ≥80%; % key informants that consider surveillance activities part of their routine work ≥90%) | **Acceptability** score = 3 (acceptable if ≥1): Completeness of surveillance forms ≥90% = Yes; Timeliness of surveillance forms ≥80% = No; % personnel participating in surveillance ≥80% = Yes; % key informants that consider surveillance activities part of their routine work ≥90% = Yes | |
| | Sensitivity (% suspected cases identified when reviewing logbooks and reported to next level [≥80%]) | **Sensitivity** score = 1 (sensitive if = 1): % suspected cases identified when reviewing logbooks and reported to next level = 100% | |
| | Representativeness (% weekly reports sent by camp’s surveillance sites [≥90%]) | **Representativeness** score = 1 (representative if = 1): (% weekly reports sent by camp’s surveillance sites from 2014 to 2015 = 100% | |
| | Timeliness (% reports transmitted to district on time [≥80%]) | **Timeliness** score = 0 (reactive if = 1): % weekly reports transmitted to district on time from 2014 to 2015 = 66% | |
| | Stability (availability of a focal person for surveillance; % personnel trained for disease surveillance [≥80%]; % surveillance reports archived [≥80%]; availability of revised Integrated Disease Surveillance Guide & other data collection tool) | **Stability** score = 1 (stable if ≥3): Availability of a focal person for surveillance = Yes; % personnel trained for disease surveillance = 70%; % surveillance reports archived =70%] Availability of revised Integrated Disease Surveillance Guide and other data collection tool = No | |
| **Amani (2021)** | Vaccination coverage: overall and independent monitoring | **Vaccination coverage**: overall 99.9%, independent monitoring 97.2% | Unclear |
| | Vaccination management: wastage rate | **Wastage rate**: 0.0011% | |
| | Cholera incidence | **Cholera incidence**: regional level baseline 10.5 cases per week, endline 9.3 cases per week; Garoua baseline 5.3, endline 2.1; | |
| Aregawi (2016) | Intervention coverage (MDA chiefdoms)  
| Change from pre-MDA period to post-MDA period (MDA and non-MDA chiefdoms, cited by weeks 1-4): # of suspected malaria cases tested with rapid diagnostic testing (RDT), RDT test positivity rate (TPR), total malaria (clinical + confirmed) cases, proportion of malaria cases among all outpatients, proportion of malaria cases among all inpatients, Ebola alerts | Intervention coverage: round 1 87%, round 2 96%  
% change in post-MDA weeks (95% CI, *=statistically significant):  
# of suspected malaria cases tested with RDT: MDA chiefdoms round 1 week 1 -43* (-38 to -48), week 2 -41*, week 3 -36*, week 4 -6; round 2 week 1 -39*, week 2 -16*, week 3 -31*, week 4 +23; non-MDA chiefdoms round 1 week 1 -23* (-17 to -30%), week 2 -11*, week 3 -50*, week 4 -44*; round 2 week 1 -43*, week 2 -44*, week 3 -36*, week 4 -51*  
RDT TPR: MDA chiefdoms round 1 week 1 -6*, week 2 -35%* (-32 to -38), week 3 -25*, week 4 -29*; round 2 week 1 -22*, week 2 -35*, week 3 -34*, week 4 -34*; non-MDA chiefdoms round 1 week 1 -8*, week 2 +4, week 3 +8, week 4 +16*; round 2 week 1 -14*, week 2 +17, week 3 -7, week 4 +6  
Total malaria cases: MDA chiefdoms round 1 week 1 -45* (-39 to -52), week 2 -43*, week 3 -42*, week 4 -10; round 2 week 1 -36*, week 2 -20, week 3 -3, week 4 +25; non-MDA chiefdoms round 1 week 1 -9*, week 2 -2, week 3 -33*, week 4 -26*; round 2 week 1 -14*, week 2 +17, week 3 -7, week 4 +6  
Outpatient malaria proportion: MDA chiefdoms round 1 week 1 -33* (-29 to -38), week 2 -57*, week 3 -44*, week 4 -33*; round 2 week 1 -52*, week 2 -60*, week 3 -67*, week 4 -46*; non-MDA chiefdoms round 1 week 1 -33* (-25 to -40), week 2 -2, week 3 -22*, week 4 -3; round 2 week 1 -37*, week 2 -20*, week 3 -31*, week 4 -27*  
Inpatient malaria proportion: MDA chiefdoms round 1 week 1 -24* (-12 to -35), week 2 -16* (-0.4 to -31), week 3 +16, week 4 +24; round 2 week 1 -2, week 2 -70, week 3 -16, week 4 +28 | Unclear |

Annex 5: Study Design and Outcomes of Communicable Disease Control Intervention Studies
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| Ashbaugh (2017) | • EVD cases: active (MoH) and passive (IDSR) reporting for each outbreak  
• Assessment of delay in reporting: reporting lags  
• EVD cases (suspected, probable, and confirmed): active overall 416; 2007 264; 2008 32; 2012 52; 2014 68; passive overall 438; 2007 265; 2008 32; 2012 63; 2014 78  
• Reporting lags: 3 week delay in passive reporting from occurrence of index case in 2014 outbreak |
| Azman (2016) | • EVD cases: active (MoH) and passive (IDSR) reporting for each outbreak  
• Assessment of delay in reporting: reporting lags  
• EVD cases (suspected, probable, and confirmed): active overall 416; 2007 264; 2008 32; 2012 52; 2014 68; passive overall 438; 2007 265; 2008 32; 2012 63; 2014 78  
• Reporting lags: 3 week delay in passive reporting from occurrence of index case in 2014 outbreak |
| Azman (2016) | • Vaccine effectiveness: adjusted hazard ratio, medically attended non-cholera diarrhoea risk, test-negative design, adjusted estimate in matched case-control design  
• Vaccine effectiveness (95% CI):  
  Adjusted hazard ratio: 87.3% (70.2-100.0)  
  Medically attended non-cholera diarrhoea risk: 17.6% (-48.7 to 67.1)  
  Adjusted vaccine effectiveness (test-negative design): 75.9% (-89.2 to 97.7)  
  Direct vaccine effectiveness (matched case-control): 36.5% (-401.7 to 89.4)  
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| Bekolo (2016) | • Proportion of patients with severe disease  
• Odds of developing severe disease between patients having received 2 vaccine doses and unvaccinated patients  
• Proportion of patients who died  
• Odds of death in patients with severe disease  
• Proportion of patients with severe disease: overall 47.3%, 1 dose 37.5%, 2 doses 16.2%  
• Odds of developing severe disease (95% CI): adjusted OR 0.22 (0.11-0.44)  
• Proportion of patients who died: overall 1.5%, 1 dose 0%  
• Odds of death in patients with severe disease (95% CI): adjusted OR 4.76 (2.33-9.77)  
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<td>ETU admission costs • ETU admission costs • Average cost-effectiveness ratio (ACER): cost per ETU admission averted for each country in wet and dry seasons • Probability of ETU admission • Probability of EVD infection in ETU</td>
<td>ETU admission costs: patient without EVD $1685, EVD patients who survive $6627, EVD patients who die $2359 ACER: cost saving, probability of cost savings &gt;=99% for all countries and both seasons; highest savings in children &lt;5 years old Probability of ETU admission: Liberia: wet season &lt;5 years old -29%, 5-14 years -24%, &gt;=15 years -11%; dry season &lt;5 years -13%, 5-14 years -10%, &gt;=15 years -4%; Sierra Leone: wet season &lt;5 years old -33%, 5-14 years -27%, &gt;=15 years -10%; dry season &lt;5 years -15%, 5-14 years -11%, &gt;=15 years -4%; Guinea: wet season &lt;5 years old -36%, 5-14 years -26%, &gt;=15 years -10%; dry season &lt;5 years -17%, 5-14 years -11%, &gt;=15 years -4% Probability of EVD infection in ETU: -83% for all countries, seasons, and age groups</td>
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<td>Casey (2019)</td>
<td>Vaccine response: seropositivity at 1 month and 1 year follow-up among all participants, participants who were seronegative at baseline, participants who were seropositive at baseline</td>
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<td>Chamla (2018)</td>
<td>bOPV and IPV vaccination coverage, with comparison of LGAs with and without integration of nutrition screening • Nutrition screening: overall and by LGA • Proportion of children screened found to have Severe Acute Malnutrition (SAM) • Proportion of SAM cases enrolled in treatment</td>
<td>Vaccination coverage: bOPV 98%, IPV 91% (LGAs with and without nutrition screening OR 0.85, 95% CI 0.55-1.29, p=0.42) Nutrition screening: overall 48.5%, Jere 56.6%, Konduga 22.8%, Mafa 80.0%, Maiduguri 47.1% Proportion of children screened with SAM: overall 3.7%, Jere 4.0%, Konduga 5.5%, Mafa 8.5%, Maiduguri 2.6% Proportion of SAM cases enrolled in treatment: overall 47.5%, Jere 34.9%, Konduga no data, Mafa 31.6%, Maiduguri 68.8%</td>
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| Coldiron (2017) | • # of children receiving DP  
• Proportion of children receiving DP: card- or verbally-confirmed receipt  
• 6-month malaria incidence: incidence rate ratio (IRR) from baseline to endline  
• Malaria prevalence: parasitemia by microscopy or PCR  
• Adverse events following DP provision  

# of children receiving DP: 40,611  
Proportion of children receiving DP (95% CI): distribution 1 93.7% (91.3-95.5), distribution 2 95.1% (92.4-96.9), distribution 3 95.3% (93.0-96.9)  
6-month malaria incidence (95% CI): children <5 years IRR 0.73 (0.69-0.77), children 5-14 years IRR 0.70 (0.67-0.72), persons >= 15 years IRR 1.49 (1.42-1.56)  
Malaria prevalence (95% CI): March 12.9% (10.6-15.8), May 12.5% (10.0-16.0), July 16.4% (13.8-19.3), September 25.3% (22.1-28.8)  
Adverse events: 57 reported during the study period, 28 judged as probably or definitely related to DP (8/18 after distribution 1, 18/31 after distribution 2, 2/7 after distribution 3)  |
| Devine (2017)   | • Total cost  
• Incremental cost  
• Total infections  
• Infections averted  
• Incremental cost effectiveness ratio (ICER)  

Total cost, in USD: vaccine only 21,673.15, HBIG after RDT 47,477.10, HBIG after confirmatory test 40,553.86  
Incremental cost, in USD: HBIG after RDT 25,803.95, HBIG after confirmatory test --  
Total infections: vaccine only 64, HBIG after RDT 28, HBIG after confirmatory test 41  
Infections averted: HBIG after RDT 36, HBIG after confirmatory test --  
Incremental cost effectiveness ratio (ICER): HBIG after RDT 716.78, HBIG after confirmatory test extended dominance  |
| Doshi (2015)    | • Measles vaccine effectiveness (VE): by age category and year  

VE (95% CI): children 12-59 months 80% (74-85), children 12-23 months 80% (66-88), children 24-59 months 81% (74-86); 2010 86% (70-93), 2011 76% (65-84), 2012 75% (61-84)  |

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<td>- 2-dose vaccine effectiveness across 4 years of follow-up&lt;br&gt; - 1-dose vaccine effectiveness over 24 months&lt;br&gt; 2-dose vaccine effectiveness: 76% (95% CI 59-86, p&lt;0.0001)&lt;br&gt; 1-dose vaccine effectiveness: decreased log-linearly with each month since vaccination (p=0.0004)</td>
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<td>Gallandat (2020)</td>
<td>- # of surfaces positive for V. cholerae&lt;br&gt; - # of households with change in # of V. cholerae contaminated surfaces&lt;br&gt; - # of surfaces with high contamination (&gt;5,000 CFU/cm²) of V. cholerae&lt;br&gt; - # of surfaces positive for E. coli&lt;br&gt; # of surfaces positive for V. cholerae (before spraying, 30 min after, 24 hours after): Program A - 25, 8, 16; Program B - 40, 25, 39; Program C - 22, 11, 33&lt;br&gt; # of households with change in # of V. cholerae contaminated surfaces: decrease in 93% at 30 mins, increase in 71% from 30 mins to 24 hours&lt;br&gt; # of surfaces with high contamination of V. cholerae (before spraying, 30 min after, 24 hours after): Program A - 9, 4 (p&lt;0.001), 5 (p=0.007 compared to before, p=0.064 compared to 30 mins after); Program B - 16, 10 (p=0.014), 13 (p=0.804 compared to before, p=0.008 compared to 30 mins after); Program C - 13, 5, 10 (p=0.062 comparing before, 30 mins after and 24 hours after)&lt;br&gt; # of surfaces positive for E. coli (before spraying, 30 min after, 24 hours after): Program A - 20, 8 (p&lt;0.001), 18 (p=0.879 compared to before, p&lt;0.001 compared to 30 mins after); Program B - 35, 23 (p=0.005), 31 (p=0.018 compared to before, p=0.132 compared to 30 mins after); Program C - 16, 10 (p=0.010), 12 (p=0.515 compared to before, p=0.008 compared to 30 mins after)&lt;br&gt; HHs with decreased # surfaces positive for E. coli before vs. 30 min after spraying: 10 (71%)&lt;br&gt; HHs with increased # surfaces positive for E. coli 30 min vs. 24 hrs after spraying: 10 (71%)</td>
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| Garbern (2019)      | • Mortality in EVD patients: by chiefdoms with and without MDA, by presumed ASAQ exposure, matched cohort analysis  
                   | • Mortality in EVD patients (matched cohort analysis)                                       | Mortality in EVD patients (95% CI): Patients from chiefdoms with MDA 57.1% (49.5-64.5), patients from chiefdoms without MDA 57.8% (51.6-63.8), patients with presumed ASAQ exposure 45.5% (25.1-67.5)  
                   | **Matched cohort analysis of mortality:** Presumed ASAQ exposure 45.5%, presumed not exposed 72.7%, risk difference 27.2% (relative risk 0.63, 95% CI 0.37-1.07, p=.086) | Low                                                      |
| Gargano (2017)      | • Estimated impact of Hib-containing and PCV vaccination on pneumonia cases, associated deaths, and medical visit costs under base-case scenarios: no vaccination, 1- and 2-dose Hib-containing vaccine or PCV, and 1-dose or 2-dose combined Hib-containing vaccine and PCV  
                   | • Incremental cost-effectiveness ratio (ICER): cost per Disability-Adjusted-Life-Year (DALY) averted expressed in 2013 US dollars  
                   | Estimated impact of vaccination: no vaccination pneumonia cases 507, associated deaths 37, medical cost US $6,232; 1-dose Hib-containing vaccination pneumonia cases prevented 30, associated deaths prevented 2, medical costs reduced $400; 2-dose Hib-containing vaccination pneumonia cases prevented 33, associated deaths prevented 3, medical costs reduced $400; 1-dose PCV pneumonia cases prevented 98, associated deaths prevented 7, medical costs reduced $1,100; 2-dose PCV pneumonia cases prevented 105, associated deaths prevented 8, medical costs reduced $1,300; 1-dose combined pneumonia cases prevented 118, associated deaths prevented 8.5, medical costs reduced $1,500; 2-dose combined pneumonia cases prevented 125, associated deaths prevented 9.1, medical costs reduced $1,500  
                   | Cost per DALY averted: 1-dose HIB-containing vaccination $211; 2-dose Hib-containing vaccination $310; 1-dose PCV $148; 2-dose PCV $210; 1-dose combined $125; 2-dose combined $209 | High                                                    |
| Gsell (2017)        | • Proportion of eligible contacts of contacts vaccinated  
                   | • Proportion of vaccinated contacts reporting adverse events  
                   | • Ebola cases reported among vaccinated contacts (tracked for 21 days following vaccination)  
                   | Proportion of eligible contacts of contacts vaccinated: Ring C100 88%, ring C101 91%, ring C102 88%, ring C103 100%  
                   | **Proportion of vaccinated contacts reporting adverse events:** 6-17 year olds 17%, >=18 year olds 36%; no severe adverse events causally related to the vaccine  
<pre><code>               | Ebola cases reported among vaccinated contacts: none | Unclear                                              |
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<td>OPV coverage, IPV coverage (arm C only), Difference in EPI vaccinations, Proportion of unvaccinated children, Proportion of fully vaccinated children</td>
<td><strong>Coverage (95% CI):</strong> OPV coverage: arm A 75% (74-77), arm B 82% (81-83), arm C 84% (83-85) (p&lt;0.0001) IPV coverage: round 1 92.2% (90.6-93.6), round 3 94.3% (93.0-95.3) Difference in proportion of EPI vaccinations received among children aged &lt;60 months: Arm B 9% (7-11), arm C 11% (9-13) (p&lt;0.0001) Proportion of unvaccinated children: baseline 42% in each arm; endline arm A 36% (32-40), arm B 28% (25-31), arm C 27% (24-30) Proportion of fully vaccinated children: baseline 22% in each arm; endline arm A 25% (22-27), arm B 32% (29-35), arm C 34% (31-37) (p&lt;0.0001)</td>
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<td>Howard (2017)</td>
<td>Cases and deaths prevented by IRS, DALYs averted, Incremental cost-effectiveness ratio (ICER) per DALY averted for IRS addition</td>
<td><strong>Cases and deaths prevented:</strong> estimated total 67,988 vivax cases, 18,578 falciparum and mixed-infection cases, 132 deaths <strong>DALYs averted:</strong> 0.147 per case prevented, overall 12,725 DALYs averted <strong>ICER per DALY averted:</strong> US$266</td>
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<td>Proportion of patients cured at week 4, Relative risk, Risk reduction (attributable risk)</td>
<td><strong>Proportion of patients cured at week 4:</strong> group 1 (Permethrine 10%) 83.3%, group 2 (crotamiton 10%) 76.7%, group 3 (Sulfur 10%) 80%, group 4 (Permethrine 10% + Sulfur 10%) 93.3%, group 5 (crotamiton 10% + Sulfur 10%) 86.7%, group 6 (crotamiton 10% + Permethrine 10%) 90%, group 7 (control) 26.7% <strong>Relative risk:</strong> group 1 2.7, group 2 2.5, group 3 2.6, group 4 3.1, group 5 2.8, group 6 3 <strong>Risk reduction:</strong> group 1 0.56, group 2 0.5, group 3 0.53, group 4 0.66, group 5 0.6, group 6 0.63</td>
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<td>VE Study: vaccinated, self-report 63% (8-85, ( p=0.031 )); self-reported 1 dose 67% (-62 to 93, ( p=0.17 )); self-reported 2 doses 62% (6-85, ( p=0.036 )); proof of vaccination (card or registry record) 58% (13-80, ( p=0.020 ))</td>
<td><strong>Total # of suspect and confirmed cases:</strong> 129 suspect and 49 confirmed</td>
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<td>Bias-Indicator Study: vaccinated, self-report 18% (-208 to 78, ( p=0.77 )); self-reported 1 dose -153% (-1237 to 52, ( p=0.28 )); self-reported 2 doses 28% (-174 to 81, ( p=0.63 )); proof of vaccination (card or registry record) -21% (-238 to 57, ( p=0.72 ))</td>
<td>Average # of suspected and confirmed cases: 4.16 (SD 3.76) suspect, 1.58 (SD 1.43) confirmed</td>
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<td>% alerts reporting suspect cases: 34% (n=76)</td>
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<td>% alerts reporting mortality: 65.92% (n=147)</td>
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<td>Average # EHF mortalities reported: 6.42 (SD 3.91, 95% CI 5.88-6.94)</td>
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<td>Coverage rate (95% CI): MR 38% (38-39); OPV dose 1 75% (74-76); OPV dose 2 88% (88-89); OCV dose 1 94% (93-94); OCV dose 2 92% (91-92)</td>
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<td># of vouchers for pre-packaged medication pack distributed</td>
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<td>Reported compliance and adherence: household members who received sufficient ASAQ-CP, household members who initiated ASAQ-CP, household members who adhered to the full course of ASAQ-CP</td>
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<td>90% (85-94), 99%(98-100) (round 1 and 2)</td>
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<td>Estimation of the effectiveness of MDA: risk difference (%) of self-reported fever episodes in the month prior to round 2 compared to the month prior to round 1</td>
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<td>4.9% (2.7-7.1, p&lt;0.001), 0.6% (-1.1 to 2.2, p&lt;0.001)</td>
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<td>Kunkel (2019)</td>
<td># of consultations reviewed by ACF teams</td>
<td>Impact of HF-based ACF visits on HF-EVD awareness</td>
<td>37,746 consultations reviewed, 690 suspected EVD case, 358 alert cases, 2 cases validated as suspected EVD cases</td>
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<td>Adjusted odds of good awareness of EVD by previous ACF visit to HF (ref: no prior visit): 2nd or 3rd visit 4.4 (95% CI 2.0-10.8, p=0.0005); 4th + visit 15.0 (95% CI 3.5-84.3, p=0.0007)</td>
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<td>Sensitivity of the national call centre database</td>
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<td>Proportion of new confirmed cases from registered contacts % (new confirmed cases/all registered contacts)</td>
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<td>% confirmed EVD died in the community</td>
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<td>Districts with at least 1 security incident or other form of incompliance to EVD control measure (number per week)</td>
<td>Districts/week with 1+ incompliance form: nationwide 2.7, pilot communities 0</td>
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| Luquero (2013) | • OCV coverage: round 1, round 2, fully vaccinated (2-dose), >= 1 dose, dropout rate between doses  
• Surveillance of adverse events | OCV coverage % (95% CI):  
Round 1: Boffa 89.4% (86.4-91.8), Forecariah 87.7% (84.2-90.6)  
Round 2: Boffa 79.8% (75.6-83.4), Forecariah 82.9% (76.6-87.7)  
Fully vaccinated: Boffa 75.8% (71.2-79.9, deff=10.1), Forecariah 85.9% (69.8-80.9, deff=5.0)  
>= 1 dose: Boffa 93.3% (91.1-95.0, deff=5.9), Forecariah 94.9% (91.8-96.9, deff=3.7)  
Dropout rate: Boffa 15.2% (12.2-18.7), Forecariah 13.6% (9.7-18.7)  
Adverse events: 48 patients (15 per 100,000 vaccinated) reported symptoms that were linked with the vaccine; no patient was transferred to a hospital and no deaths were reported | Low |
| Mahamud (2014) | • Vaccine effectiveness of OPV against type 1 wild poliovirus (WPV1): at least 1 dose, categorical analysis (1-3 and 4+ doses compared to 0) | Vaccine effectiveness (95% CI):  
At least 1 dose: NPAFP controls: 70% (37-86); neighbourhood controls: 95% (84-98)  
Categorical analysis: NPAFP controls: 1-3 dose recipients 59% (2-83), 4+ dose recipients 77% (46-91); neighbourhood controls: 1-3 dose recipients 92% (72-98), 4+ dose recipients 97% (89-99) | Unclear |
| Makiala (2019) | • Sensitivity of the QuickNavi-Ebola Assay compared to GeneXpert  
• Specificity of the QuickNavi-Ebola Assay compared to GeneXpert  
• Negative (NPV) & positive (PPV) predictive values  
• Agreement rate of QuickNavi-Ebola and GeneXpert | Test statistics (95% CI):  
Sensitivity: 85% (75.26-92.00)  
Specificity: 99.8% (99.15-99.97)  
NPV: 98.6% (846/858)  
PPV: 97.1% (68/70)  
Agreement rate: 98.5% (914/928) | Unclear |
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| Michel (2019) | • CATI effectiveness according to response promptness  
• CATI effectiveness according to response intensity | **Adjusted estimate of CATI effectiveness (95% CI):**  
Of response promptness [days to 1st complete CATI vs >7 days] on outbreak size: 3-7 days 50% (9-72, p=0.0222); 2 days 68% (40-83, p=0.0004); <=1 day 76% (59-86, p<0.0001)  
**Of response promptness [days to 1st complete CATI vs >7 days] on outbreak duration:** 3-7 days 53% (29-69, p=0.0004); 2 days 27% (-22 to 56, p=0.2322); <=1 day 61% (41-75, p<0.0001)  
**Of the response intensity [# complete CATIs/week vs <0.25 complete CATIs] on outbreak size:** 0.25 to 0.5 complete 45% (-17 to 74, p=0.1206); 0.5 to 1 complete 70% (42-84, p=0.0003); >=1 complete 59% (11-81, p=0.0235)  
**Of the response intensity [# complete CATIs/week vs <0.25 complete CATIs] on outbreak duration:** 0.25 to 0.5 complete 1% (-45 to 32, p=0.9759); 0.5 to 1 complete 57% (30-74, p=0.0007); >=1 complete 73% (49-86, p<0.0001) | Low |
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| O'Laughlin (2014) | • Clients tested: total and refugees by SOC period, early intervention period (first 40 days), extended intervention period (128 days), total intervention period  
• HIV prevalence among those tested | **(95% CI):**  
**% of total eligible clients tested:** total SOC 6.7%, (5.8-7.7), early intervention 25.4% (24.2-26.7), extended intervention 19.8% (19.1-20.5), total intervention 21.3% (20.7-21.9); refugees SOC 87.4% (82.1-91.7), early intervention 75.7% (73.3-78.1), extended intervention 67.0% (65.2-68.8), total intervention 69.8% (68.3-71.2)  
**HIV prevalence among those tested:** SOC 3.3% (1.3-6.8), early intervention 3.9% (2.9-5.2), extended intervention 4.7% (3.9-5.6), total intervention 4.5% (3.8-5.2) | Low |
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<td>Dropout rate: sector 2 OTP centre 12%, PHC centre 35% (odds ratio 0.45, 95% CI 0.36-0.55, p&lt;0.05); sector 5 OTP centre 8.9%, PHC centre 27% (odds ratio 0.27, 95% CI 0.20-0.35, p&lt;0.05)</td>
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<td>Severe dehydration: sensitivity 85.0 (62.1-96.8), specificity 100.0 (87.7-100), PPV 100.0 (80.5-100), NPV 90.3 (74.2-98.0)</td>
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<td>Some dehydration: sensitivity 69.2 (38.6-90.9), specificity 97.6 (87.4-99.9), PPV 90.0 (55.5-99.7), NPV 91.1 (78.8-97.5)</td>
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<td>No dehydration: sensitivity 86.8 (71.9-95.6), specificity 100 (94.9-100), PPV 100 (89.4-100), NPV 93.4 (85.3-97.8)</td>
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| Ousman (2019)   | IPC score by HCF type | Mean IPC score by HCF type (SD):  
|                 |                   | Hospitals: baseline 8 (2.82), endline 50 (11.92) (p<0.001)  
|                 |                   | Medical centres: baseline 4 (1.29), endline 39 (15.57) (p<0.001)  
|                 |                   | Health centres: baseline 4 (1.20), endline 36 (14.28) (p<0.001)  
|                 |                   | All HCFs: baseline 4.41 (1.88), endline 39.51 (14.87) (p<0.001)  
| Parker (2017)   | Estimated vaccine coverage | Estimated vaccine coverage (95% CI):  
|                 |                   | Neighbourhood-targeted campaign: overall 69% (64-74), Kator 70% (63-77), Northern Juba 60% (52-68), Gumbo 69% (63-75)  
|                 |                   | Case-triggered interventions: 51% (42-60)  
| Ratnayake (2016) | Proportion of correct IPC behaviours within the domains of pre-screening, donning, screening, doffing and consultation | Baseline to follow-up risk ratio (95% CI):  
|                 |                   | Pre-screening:  
|                 |                   | Patient went directly, or HCW-directed patient, to screening area: 0.53 (0.37-0.77)  
|                 |                   | Attendant washed hands: 0  
|                 |                   | Screener asked patient to wash hands: 1.45 (1.16-1.80)  
|                 |                   | Patient washed hands on direction from HCW: 1.49 (1.19-1.86)  
|                 |                   | Patient washed hands directly or washed on direction from HCW: 1.27 (0.95-1.71)  
|                 |                   | Donning:  
|                 |                   | Wore rubber boots or covers: 1.51 (1.14-1.99)  
|                 |                   | Wore face shield or mask: 1.27 (1.03-1.58)  
|                 |                   | Completed in correct order: 8.94 (0.84-95.61)  
|                 |                   | Took off /did not wear jewellery: 0.83 (0.72-0.97)  
|                 |                   | Wore new gloves: 2.56 (1.37-4.79)  
|                 |                   | Continued to wear gloves: 0.75 (0.6-0.94)  
|                 |                   | Screening:  
|                 |                   | No other HCWs were in screening area: 2.54 (0.69-1.07)  
|                 |                   | Stood 1.5 m from patient: 4.09 (0.83-1.48)  
|                 |                   | Sat sideways to patient: 2.3 (1.34-3.95)  
|                 |                   | Held digital thermometer 5-6 cm from patient: 0.23 (0.12-0.43)  

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<td>Removed gloves: 4.09 (1.34-12.49)</td>
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<td>Washed gloved or ungloved hands: 2.58 (1.0-6.66)</td>
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<td>Removed face shield or goggles: 0.21 (0.05-0.94)</td>
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<td>Completed in correct order: 6.64 (2.09-21.14)</td>
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<td>(95% CI): Exhaustiveness of CATI response: higher for red alerts vs orange 2.52 (2.22-2.86, p&lt;0.0001), increased during study period 1.43 (1.39-1.48, p&lt;0.0001), tended to decrease when alert far from department capital 0.94 (0.88-1, p=0.06)</td>
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| Sahr (2017) | - Time to recovery  
- Ct values  
- Odds of survival | **Time to recovery (SD):** intervention 10.6 days (3.4), control 12.23 days (4.8)  
**Ct values (SD):**  
**Recovered patients:** intervention on admission 23.37 (5.0), 24 hours after transfusion 29.99 (5.9) (p<0.01); control on admission 31.97 (8.4), 24 hours after admission 31.25 (7.5)  
**Deceased patients:** intervention on admission 21.77 (4.9), 24 hours after transfusion 24.4 (5.4); control on admission 23.69 (3.5), 24 hours after admission 22.98 (4.1)  
**Odds of survival:** 2.3 (95% CI 0.8-6.5, p=0.09) | Unclear |
| Scobie (2014) | - Typhoid vaccination coverage of target population  
- Typhoid incidence risk ratio (IRR): post-campaign (2011) compared to pre-campaign (2008-9) by division and sub-division, with vaccination level details | **Vaccination coverage:** overall 98% (range 84-115%), Northern division 100%, Western division 103%, Central division 94%, Eastern division 98%  
**IRR (95% CI):** overall 1.01 (0.89-1.14), Northern 0.80 (0.67-0.96), Western 1.37 (1.09-1.72), Central 1.14 (0.88-1.49), Eastern -- | Low |
| Scobie (2016) | - Cholera and WaSH knowledge  
- WaSH practices  
- Vaccine knowledge, attitudes, and practices | **Reported as baseline %, 1st follow-up %, 2nd follow-up %**  
**Have heard of cholera:** 81%, 81%, 91%  
**Knew watery diarrhoea was a symptom of cholera:** 52%, 45%, 52%  
**Knew 2+ means of cholera transmission:** 61%, 59%, 82%  
**Knew 2+ means of cholera prevention:** 62%, 78%, 80%  
**Would go to camp clinic for cholera treatment:** 97%, 99%, 100%  
**Would use oral rehydration for cholera treatment:** 0%, 7%, 6%  
**Had heard about cholera prevention and treatment from others or media:** 83%, 82%, 92%  
**Reported receipt of materials to prevent cholera:** 91%, --, --  
**Knew about boiling or treating drinking water for cholera prevention:** 53%, 66%, 53%  
**Reported camp public tap as primary HH drinking water source:** 67%, 77%, 70%  
**Reported boils or treats drinking water:** 19%, 44%, 69%  
**Reported boiling or treating drinking water w/in last 24 hours:** 12%, 29%, 61% | Low |
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<td>Proportion of registered contacts with exposure information available: 85%</td>
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| **Severe (2016)** | Frequency of positive cholera culture in patients admitted with diarrhoea  
- Proportion of patients with positive cholera culture from within vaccination area compared to outside the vaccination area  
- Prevalence of culture-confirmed cholera, comparing vaccinated and unvaccinated residents |

**Summary:**  
- **Frequency of positive cholera culture in patients admitted with diarrhoea:** 55%  
- **Proportion of patients with positive cholera culture from within vaccination area compared to outside the vaccination area:** admissions from within vaccination area 21%, admissions from outside the vaccination area 79% (p<0.001)  
- **Prevalence of culture-confirmed cholera:** vaccinated residents 0.034%, unvaccinated residents 2.09% (p<0.001) |

| **Sheele (2015)** | Average time in the study  
- Maximum reported hours of hospital stay  
- Stool frequency  
- Stool volume |

**Summary:**  
- **Average time in the study:** arm 1 34.2 hours, arm 2 33 hours, arm 3 19.8 hours, arm 4 26.4 hours  
- **Maximum reported hours of hospital stay:** Kruskal-Wallis test statistic 10.87 (p=0.012)  
- **Stool frequency:** Chi-square 0.41 (p=0.9382)  
- **Stool volume:** Chi-square 4.66 (p=0.1981) |

| **Sozzi (2015)** | Degree of reduction in turbidity (NTU)  
- Degree of reduction in total suspended solid (TSS)  
- Degree of reduction in thermotolerant coliforms (CFU per 100 mL) |

**Summary:**  
- **Protocol A (low pH)**  
  - **Turbidity (NTU; mean):** raw wastewater 805, treated effluent 15, removal 98.2%  
  - **Thermotolerant coliforms (CFU per 100 ml; mean):** raw wastewater $1.75 \times 10^{-4}$, treated effluent 5, removal 99.97%  
  - **COD (mg O2/l; mean):** raw wastewater 17,080, treated effluent 131, removal 99.2%  
  - **Total suspended solids (mg/l; mean):** raw wastewater 1,155, treated effluent 112, removal 90.5%  
- **Protocol B (high pH)**  
  - **Turbidity (NTU, mean):** raw wastewater 430, treated effluent 23, removal 91.3% |
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<td>Stehling-Ariza (2016)</td>
<td>Mean number of days in the community after onset of Ebola symptoms</td>
<td>Mean number of days in the community after onset of Ebola symptoms: before intervention 4.0 days (3.2-4.7), after intervention 2.9 days (1.6-4.3) (p=0.15).</td>
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<td>Case fatality ratio</td>
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<td>Proportion of case investigations with identification of epidemiologic link to a prior Ebola case</td>
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| Strecker (2015) | Test statistics: sensitivity, specificity, and negative likelihood ratio of tests using capillary blood samples compared with tests using venous blood samples | **Test statistics (95% CI):**  
**Sensitivity:** 86.8% (71.9-95.6)  
**Specificity:** 100% (84.6-100)  
**Negative likelihood ratio:** 0.13 (.06-.30) | Unclear | |
| Swanson (2018) | Positive predictive value (PPV): proportion of traced contacts who were identified as potential cases, by geography and epidemic phase  
Sensitivity  
Characteristics among contacts completing monitoring compared to potential cases: adjusted odds ratio (aOR) | **PPV:** overall 1.4%, urban 1.1%, rural 3.0%, phase 1 4.7%, phase 2 1.6%, phase 3 0.5%, phase 4 0.0%  
**Sensitivity:** overall 3.6%, phase 1 4.5%, phase 2 4.5%, phase 3 2.0%, phase 4 0%  
**Characteristics among contacts completing monitoring compared to potential cases:** aOR (95% CI)  
**Geographic residence:** urban (compared to rural) 0.52 (0.38-0.70, p<0.05)  
**Epidemic phase:** phase 2 (compared to phase 1) 0.19 (0.12-0.28, p<0.05), phase 3 (compared to phase 1) 0.07 (0.04-0.12, p<0.05)  
**Exposure types per contact:** slept or ate in same household 2.16 (1.59-2.94, p<0.05), direct physical contact with body 1.76 (1.21-2.54, p<0.05), touched bodily fluids 1.52 (1.13-2.05, p<0.05), manipulated clothes or objects: 1.33 (0.99-1.80) | Low | |
| Theocharopoulos (2017) | Median transport time from cases’ residences to EMCs: comparison of district and distant EMCs  
Median time from symptom onset to admission | **Median transport time:** district EMC 1 hour, distant EMCs 5 hours (p<0.001)  
**Median time to admission:** district EMC 3 days, distant EMCs 6 days (p<0.001) | Low | |
| Thomson (2015) | Removal efficiency of V. cholerae and total coliform in source water as an indicator of V. cholerae in field biosand filters  
Time in operation (affects removal efficiency of total coliform and V. cholerae) | **Average removal of V. cholerae:** 80 ± 31%  
**Average removal of total coliform:** 63 ± 68% coliform underestimated V. cholerae concentration in 90% of samples; total coliform removal efficiency underpredicted V. cholerae removal efficiency (n = 16)  
**Time in operation/Average percent removal for V. cholerae filters:**  
4-day old = 65 ± 24%, 1-month = 92 ± 8%, 3-month = 96 ± 3%, and 1-year 97 ± 3% | Unclear | |
| Van Boetzelaer (2020) | • Positive Predictive Value (PPV)  
• Usefulness  
• Timeliness  
• Simplicity  
• Flexibility  
• Acceptability  
• Representativeness  
• Stability | **PPV:** overall range 41.7%-100%, AWD 88.8% (2,528/2,848), acute jaundice syndrome (53.2% (364/684), acute flaccid paralysis (AFP) 100% (28/28), dengue 70% (21/30), diphtheria (suspected) 41.7% (177/425), measles (suspected) 73.7% (101/137), meningitis (suspected) 50% (1/2)  
**Usefulness:** 21 probable (RDT positive) cholera cases identified by HF-based surveillance; 2 alert responses activated for suspected AWD clusters identified by CBS  
**Timeliness:** ID of suspected case - notification of epidemiologist: HF surveillance 1 hour, CBS within 8 hours (at end of working day)  
ID of suspected case - notification of Epi Alert Team or Medical Response Team: HF surveillance 2 hours, CBS within 8 hours (at end of working day)  
Notification of Epi Alert Team - MSF response: HF surveillance 1-12 hours, CBS 1-12  
**Notification of epidemiologist - EWAR reporting:** HF surveillance 1 hour, CBS 1 hour  
**EWAR reporting - WHO JAT investigation:** HF surveillance 1-5 days; CBS 1-5 days  
**Simplicity:** system was complex and required 354 staff in 10 different roles  
**Flexibility:** dengue added to surveillance list after increase in cases; CBS designed with built-in flexibility for periodic rotation of WaSH indicators  
**Acceptability:** all HHs in catchment areas consented to CBS inclusion & monthly HH visits  
**Representativeness:** exhaustive, including all HHs in catchment area; coverage during holidays was 85.2-86.7% and >90% in other surveillance cycles  
**Stability:** No interruptions reported | **Low** |
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| Vogt (2015) | Test statistics: positive predictive value (PPV), negative predictive value (NPV), sensitivity, specificity, positive likelihood ratio, negative likelihood ratio | Test statistics (95% CI):  
**PPV:** 76.0% (70.2-81.1)  
**NPV:** 53.6% (46.0-61.1)  
**Sensitivity:** 69.9% (64.1-75.3)  
**Specificity:** 61.1% (53.1-68.8)  
**Positive likelihood ratio:** 1.8 (1.5-2.2)  
**Negative likelihood ratio:** 0.5 (0.4-0.6)  
| Low |
| Walker (2015) | Sensitivity of the RDT compared to PCR: by CT score, quantitative result of the RDT  
Specificity of the RDT compared to PCR: by CT score  
Positive predictive value (PPV) of RDT by CT score  
Negative predictive value (NPV) of RDT by CT score | Results by CT score (95% CI):  
**Sensitivity:** CT≥2 100.0% (78.2-100.0), CT≥4 100.0% (78.2-100.0), CT≥6 100.0% (78.2-100.0), CT≥8 73.3% (44.9-92.2), CT=10 40.0% (16.3-67.7)  
**Specificity:** CT≥2 92.2% (85.8-96.4), CT≥4 93.1% (86.9-97.0), CT≥6 96.6% (91.4-99.1), CT≥8 98.3% (93.9-99.8), CT=10 99.1% (95.3-100.0)  
**PPV:** CT≥2 62.5% (40.6-81.2), CT≥4 65.2% (42.7-85.6), CT≥6 79.0% (54.4-93.8), CT≥8 84.6% (54.5-97.6), CT=10 85.7% (42.2-97.6)  
**NPV:** CT≥2 100.0% (96.6-100.0), CT≥4 100.0% (96.6-100.0), CT≥6 100.0% (96.6-100.0), CT≥8 96.6% (91.5-99.1), CT=10 92.7% (86.7-96.6)  
| Unclear |
| Xu (2020) | Cumulative incidence of recurrent parasitemia in P. vivax patients treated with CQ/PQ  
Cumulative hazard of recurrence between 3-13 years old and >14 years old groups  
Fever clearance with CQ/PQ treatment | Cumulative incidence of recurrent parasitemia (95% CI): day 3 0, day 7 1.46 (0.05-2.87), day 14 1.84 (0.23-3.45), day 28 2.60 (0.68-4.51)  
Cumulative hazard of recurrence between 3-13 years old and >14 years old groups: p=0.9494  
Fever clearance: 90% febrile at treatment initiation, 7.2% 24 hours after treatment, 0.36% 48 hours after treatment  
| Low |
| No author listed (2014) | Vaccine coverage rate: by campaign (November - OPV only, December - OPV+IPV) and community type | Vaccine coverage rate (95% CI):  
**Overall:** November 97.2% (95.4-98.3), December 93.3 (91.2-95.0)  
**Camps:** November 97.2% (95.4-98.3), December 92.8% (90.2-94.8)  
**Host community:** November 97.3 (95.0-98.5), December 95.8% (93.5-97.3)  
| Unclear |
## ANNEX 6: STUDY DESIGN AND OUTCOMES OF WATER, SANITATION, AND HYGIENE INTERVENTION STUDIES

### Study Design of Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene Intervention Studies in Humanitarian Crisis Settings, 2013-2021 (n=21)

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| Aibana (2013) | **Country**: Haiti, regional sample  
**Crisis type**: Outbreak  
**Context type**: Non-camp (rural)  
**Population**: Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description**: 2-phase oral cholera vaccine (OCV) campaign with dissemination of health education information  
**Implementation site**: Community-based  
**Personnel type(s)**: Lay personnel - members of vaccination team and local media  
**Part of broader program**: Yes | **Study design**: Observational (pre-post cross-sectional surveys)  
**Study duration**: 7 months  
**Sample description**: Households in Bocozel, random selection  
**Sample size**: 1,329 HHs (811 pre-intervention, 518 post-intervention) |
| Ali (2019) | **Country**: Pakistan, regional sample  
**Crisis type**: Environmental disaster  
**Context type**: Non-camp (rural)  
**Population**: Emergency-affected (non-displaced) | **Description**: Post-flood shallow well cleaning, well improvement, and water treatment and hygiene awareness  
**Implementation site**: Community-based  
**Personnel type(s)**: N/A  
**Part of broader program**: No | **Study design**: Observational (pre-post assessment)  
**Study duration**: 5 years  
**Sample description**: Village wells  
**Sample size**: wells tested: 2,348 pre-cleaning, 2,380 post-clean emergency phase, 150 tested 4-5 years later |
| Anu Rajasingham (2020) | **Country**: Ethiopia, regional sample  
**Crisis type**: Environmental disaster, outbreak  
**Context type**: Non-camp (urban)  
**Population**: Not specified | **Description**: Technical assistance to improve chlorination of drinking water and monitor quality  
**Implementation site**: Community-based, system-level  
**Personnel type(s)**: Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program**: No | **Study design**: Observational (descriptive evaluation)  
**Study duration**: 1 month  
**Sample description**: N/A  
**Sample size**: 179 water points (various types) |
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<td>Djimeu</td>
<td>Angola, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Multiple (displaced and non-displaced)</td>
<td>Social and economic development health and water, sanitation, and waste management projects</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)</td>
<td>1 year</td>
<td>Children &lt;5 years of age</td>
<td>1,373 children (674 ASAF, 699 non-ASAF)</td>
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<td>Gallandat</td>
<td>Democratic Republic of Congo and Haiti, regional sample</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Camp and non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Household spraying programs in cholera outbreaks</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - spraying agents</td>
<td>Yes - 3 independently occurring spraying programs were evaluated in this study</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>5 months</td>
<td>Household surveys: Participants were enrolled if an adult was present when the spraying team arrived and consented to participate Key informant interviews: program coordinators and spraying agents</td>
<td>households surveyed: 14 (5 program A, 5 program B, 4 program C), surface samples: 418, key informant interviews: 18</td>
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<td>Hashmi</td>
<td>Thailand, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp (rural)</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>Monthly household visits by a nurse with mother-infant pairs when infant was 3-9 months old, with assessment of appropriate infant feeding and WaSH practices as well as counselling on appropriate behaviours via ‘The Healthy Baby Flipbook’</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - nurse</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Observational (cohort study)</td>
<td>6 months</td>
<td>Mother-infant pairs with term, healthy infants aged 2 months</td>
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<td>Husain (2015)</td>
<td>Ethiopia, regional sample</td>
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<td>Camp</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>Pilot study of a novel handwashing bag (HWB)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - Environmental Health Agents (EHAs)</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>6 months</td>
<td>Households in refugee camps</td>
<td>Baseline 211, endline 222</td>
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<td>Kanagasabai (2021)</td>
<td>Liberia, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-campus (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency-affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>WaSH renovations, mentoring, and supply chain improvements</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Mixed methods (pre-post intervention and cost analysis)</td>
<td>3 years</td>
<td>Liberia Government Hospital and St. Timothy (2 county hospitals)</td>
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<td>Lantagne (2013)</td>
<td>Haiti, regional sample</td>
<td>Environmental disaster</td>
<td>Non-campus (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Emergency-affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>5 household water treatment and safe storage (HWTS) programs: (1) Aquatabs + training, (2) Aquatabs only, (3) ceramic filters + training, (4) biosand filters + training, (5) Klorfasil chlorine powder</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - CHWs</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental</td>
<td>9 months</td>
<td>Households affected by the Haiti earthquake</td>
<td>Acute phase: 363, Recovery phase: 218</td>
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<td>Michel (2019)</td>
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<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Non-campus (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Case-area targeted response interventions (CATI) for cholera</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - WaSH rapid response teams, nurses, auxiliary nurses</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>3 years</td>
<td>10,428 suspect cases (including 2,144 cases with reported severe dehydration, 360 positive stool cultures, 3,343 complete CATIs)</td>
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<td>Ratnayake (2016)</td>
<td>Sierra Leone, regional sample</td>
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<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Infection prevention and control</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - HCWs, district health officials, community health officers, and community representatives</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>3 weeks</td>
<td>HCWs surveyed at peripheral health units (PHUs)</td>
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<td>Rayner (2016)</td>
<td>Haiti, regional sample</td>
<td>Environmental disaster, outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency-affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Household drinking water filter distribution programs (biosand, ceramic, or Sawyer filters)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>1 month</td>
<td>Households reached by organizations operating filter distribution programs in Haiti between 2010 and 2014</td>
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<td>Scobie (2016)</td>
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<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp</td>
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<td>Shanchol oral cholera vaccine (OCV) campaign</td>
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<td>Not specified</td>
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<td>Observational (pre-post test)</td>
<td>16 months</td>
<td>Households in Maela camp at least 1 month before study</td>
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<td>Country: Bangladesh, regional sample</td>
<td>Crisis type: Armed conflict</td>
<td>Context type: Camp (urban)</td>
<td>Population: Refugee</td>
<td>Description: 3 source water chlorination interventions (bucket, in-line, and piped water chlorination)</td>
<td>Implementation site: Community-based, system-level</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): Lay personnel - trained chlorination agents</td>
<td>Part of broader program: No</td>
<td>Study design: Mixed methods</td>
<td>Study duration: 18 months</td>
<td>Sample description: People who used water from water sources of interest</td>
<td>Sample size: Water point observation: 29, Water testing: 516, HH surveys: 487</td>
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<td>Sikder (2020b)</td>
<td>Country: Bangladesh and Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC), regional sample</td>
<td>Crisis type: Armed conflict (both), outbreak (DRC)</td>
<td>Context type: Camp (urban) in Bangladesh, non-camp (urban) in DRC</td>
<td>Population: Refugee (Bangladesh); host community, refugee (DRC)</td>
<td>Description: Delivering drinking water by truck</td>
<td>Implementation site: System-level</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): Lay personnel - truckers, local and international NGO staff, government staff, geologist, and hydrologist</td>
<td>Part of broader program: No</td>
<td>Study design: Mixed methods</td>
<td>Study duration: 18 months</td>
<td>Sample description: KIIIs with staff, FGDs with users, collection and distribution point observations, household surveys, water quality tests</td>
<td>Sample size: 17 Collection Point Observations, 16 Distribution Point Observations, 472 HH surveys, 505 Water Quality Tests, 4 FGDs with users, 9 KIIIs with staff, 13 KIIIs with truckers</td>
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<td>Membrane filtration for detection of Vibrio cholerae for the measurement of biosand filter performance</td>
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<td>Households with at least 1 child aged 5-12 in Sharia camp</td>
<td>80 households recruited, 71 completed</td>
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<td>Yates</td>
<td>Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC), Haiti, Senegal, and Sierra Leone, regional sample</td>
<td>Multiple (outbreaks, endemic disease, food crisis)</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Chlorine dispenser system (including hardware, dispenser refills, community education, and supply chain of chlorine refills)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - local promoters</td>
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<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>2.5 years</td>
<td>Households at the 10 dispenser sites</td>
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| Aibana (2013)    | • Knowledge of cholera transmission  
• Knowledge of means of avoiding cholera  
• Knowledge of means of water treatment  
• % always treating water  
• % wash hands with soap and water >4 times a day | **Post- vs. pre-intervention OR (95% CI):**  
**Transmission knowledge:** 1.91 (1.52-2.40, p<0.0001)  
**Avoidance knowledge:** 1.83 (1.46-2.30, p<0.0001)  
**Water treatment knowledge:** 2.75 (2.16-2.50, p<0.0001)  
**Always treat water:** 1.62 (1.28-2.05, p<0.0001)  
**Wash hands >4/day:** 1.30 (1.03-1.64, p=0.03) | High          |
| Ali (2019)       | • Bacteriological risk and contamination before and after cleaning  
• Stages of bacteriological analysis before and after rehabilitation                  | **Bacteriological risk before, after cleaning (2010):** low risk 0%, 88%; intermediate risk 2%, 12%; high risk 17%, 0%; very high risk 81%, 0%  
**Bacteriological contamination before, after cleaning:** contaminated 85%, 20%  
**Stages of bacteriological analysis:**  
**Before rehabilitation:** 0 UFC/100ml = 202 wells, 1-10 UFC/100ml = 182 wells, 11-50 UFC/100ml = 570 wells, >50 UFC/100ml = 1394 wells  
**After rehabilitation:** 0 UFC/100ml = 2098 wells, 1-10 UFC/100ml = 87 wells, 11-50 UFC/100ml = 75 wells, >50 UFC/100ml = 120 wells | Low          |
| Anu Rajasingham (2020) | • Samples with detectable free residual chlorine (FRC) | **Samples with detectable FRC, % (n):** centralized and decentralized chlorination water points: all 69% (67); tapstand - piped network 86% (31); donkey cart 60% (28); truck-filling station 100% (3); underground tank (Birkat) - piped network 45% (5); HH Jerry can 62% (38) | Unclear      |
| Djimeu (2014)    | • Height-for-age Z-scores (HAZ)                                                   | **Average treatment effect of ASAF on HAZ (SE):** FEM 0.3255 (0.037, p<0.01), PSM 0.335 (0.155, p<0.05), WLS 0.28445 (0.046, p<0.01) | Unclear      |
| Gallandat (2020) | • # of surfaces positive for *V. cholerae*  
• # of surfaces with high contamination (>5,000 CFU/cm²) of *V. cholerae*  
• # of surfaces positive for *E. coli*  
# of surfaces positive for *V. cholerae* (before spraying, 30 min after, 24 hours after):  
Program A - 25, 8, 16; Program B - 40, 25, 39; Program C - 22, 11, 33  
# of households with change in # of *V. cholerae* contaminated surfaces: decrease in 93% at 30 mins, increase in 71% from 30 mins to 24 hours  
# of surfaces with high contamination of *V. cholerae* (before spraying, 30 min after, 24 hours after):  
Program A - 9, 4 (p<0.001), 5 (p=0.007 compared to before, p=0.064 compared to 30 mins after); Program B - 16, 10 (p=0.014), 13 (p=0.804 compared to before, p=0.008 compared to 30 mins after); Program C - 13, 5, 10 (p=0.062 comparing before, 30 mins after and 24 hours after)  
# of surfaces positive for *E. coli* (before spraying, 30 min after, 24 hours after):  
Program A - 20, 8 (p<0.001), 18 (p=0.879 compared to before, p<0.001 compared to 30 mins after); Program B - 35, 23 (p=0.005), 31 (p=0.018 compared to before, p=0.132 compared to 30 mins after); Program C - 16, 10 (p=0.010), 12 (p=0.515 compared to before, p=0.008 compared to 30 mins after)  
HHs with decreased # surfaces positive for *E. coli* before vs. 30 min after spraying: 10 (71%)  
HHs with increased # surfaces positive for *E. coli* 30 min vs. 24 hrs after spraying: 10 (71%) | Unclear |
|-----------------|-------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Hashmi (2019)   | • Proportion of exclusively breastfed infants  
• Handwashing among mothers who had prepared the family meal the day prior to interview  
• Adequate dietary diversity  
• Appropriate meal amount  
• Minimum acceptable diet  
• Safe disposal of infant stool  
Proportion of exclusively breastfed infants: 3 months 42%, 5 months 65%  
Handwashing among mothers who had prepared the family meal the day prior to interview: 3 months 94%, 6 months 100%, 9 months 100%  
Adequate dietary diversity: 6 months 5%, 8 months 58%, 9 months 90%  
Appropriate meal amount: 6 months 10%, 9 months 100%  
Minimum acceptable diet: 6 months 0%, 8 months 47%, 9 months 90%  
Safe disposal of infant stool: 6 months 16%, 9 months 100% | High |

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<th>Study Author and Year</th>
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| Husain (2015)         | Hanging bags: MV1 95.1%, MV2 93.5%, MV3 98.1%, endline 71.8%  
Households having bags with water: MV1 83.9%, MV2 66.2%, MV3 66.7%, endline 38.4%  
Respondents primarily using HWB, endline only (95% CI): 45.9% (39.2-52.8)  
Respondents using HWB at last handwash, endline only (95% CI): 36.4% (30.1-43.2)  
Durability (probability of 3-month functional time): 68%  
Durability (mean bag survival time): 2.73 months |
| Kanagasabai (2021)    | Baseline overall HH compliance (before intervention, 2016): 36% (LGH Bomi), 86% (St. Timothy)  
HH compliance during renovations (during intervention, 2017): 61% (LGH Bomi), 64% (St. Timothy)  
After WaSH improvements (after intervention, 2018): 89% (LGH Bomi), 88% (St. Timothy) |
| Lantagne (2013)       | Effective use (<1 CFU/100 mL), % (n):  
DSI Aquatabs Safe Storage: acute phase 63% (58), recovery phase 46% (77)  
HRC Aquatabs: acute phase 13% (13)  
FilterPure Ceramic Filter: acute phase 20% (29), recovery phase <1% (6)  
CWH Biosand Filter: acute phase 8% (19), recovery phase 28% (6)  
Effective use (<10 CFU/100 mL):  
DSI Aquatabs Safe Storage: acute phase 49% (58), recovery phase 41% (77)  
HRC Aquatabs: acute phase 10% (13)  
FilterPure Ceramic Filter: acute phase 12% (29), recovery phase 11% (6)  
CWH Biosand Filter: acute phase 20% (19), recovery phase 18% (6) |
### Michel (2019)

- CATI effectiveness according to response promptness
- CATI effectiveness according to response intensity

#### Adjusted estimate of CATI effectiveness (95% CI):

**Of response promptness [days to 1st complete CATI vs >7 days] on outbreak size:**
- 3-7 days: 50% (9-72, p=0.0222)
- 2 days: 68% (40-83, p=0.0004)
- <=1 day: 76% (59-86, p<0.0001)

**Of response promptness [days to 1st complete CATI vs >7 days] on outbreak duration:**
- 3-7 days: 53% (29-69, p=0.0004)
- 2 days: 27% (-22 to 56, p=0.2322)
- <=1 day: 61% (41-75, p<0.0001)

**Of the response intensity [# complete CATIs/week vs <0.25 complete CATIs] on outbreak size:**
- 0.25 to 0.5 complete: 45% (-17 to 74, p=0.1206)
- 0.5 to 1 complete: 70% (42-84, p=0.0003)
- >=1 complete: 59% (11-81, p=0.0235)

**Of the response intensity [# complete CATIs/week vs <0.25 complete CATIs] on outbreak duration:**
- 0.25 to 0.5 complete: 1% (-45 to 32, p=0.9759)
- 0.5 to 1 complete: 57% (30-74, p=0.0007)
- >=1 complete: 73% (49-86, p<0.0001)

### Ratnayake (2016)

- Proportion of correct IPC behaviours within the domains of pre-screening, donning, screening, doffing and consultation

#### Baseline to follow-up risk ratio (95% CI):

**Pre-screening:**
- Patient went directly, or HCW-directed patient, to screening area: 0.53 (0.37-0.77)
- Attendant washed hands: 0
- Screener asked patient to wash hands: 1.45 (1.16-1.80)
- Patient washed hands on direction from HCW: 1.49 (1.19-1.86)
- Patient washed hands directly or washed on direction from HCW: 1.27 (0.95-1.71)

**Donning:**
- Wore rubber boots or covers: 1.51 (1.14-1.99)
- Wore face shield or mask: 1.27 (1.03-1.58)
- Completed in correct order: 8.94 (0.84-95.61)
- Took off /did not wear jewellery: 0.83 (0.72-0.97)
- Wore new gloves: 2.56 (1.37-4.79)
- Continued to wear gloves: 0.75 (0.6-0.94)

**Screening:**
- No other HCWs were in screening area: 2.54 (0.69-1.07)
- Stood 1.5 m from patient: 4.09 (0.83-1.48)
- Sat sideways to patient: 2.3 (1.34-3.95)
- Held digital thermometer 5-6 cm from patient: 0.23 (0.12-0.43)

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| Rayner (2016) | Doffing:  
Removed any light PPE: 2.54 (1.32-4.88)  
Removed gloves: 4.09 (1.34-12.49)  
Washed gloved or ungloved hands: 2.58 (1.0-6.66)  
Removed face shield or goggles: 0.21 (0.05-0.94)  
Completed in correct order: 6.64 (2.09-21.14)  
Consultations:  
Washed hands before treating patient: 0.63 (0.18-2.21)  
Washed hands after treating patient: 0.91 (0.5-1.65)  
Put on new gloves before treating patient: 0.97 (0.85-1.1)  
Did not remove gloves after treating patient: 1.51 (0.55-4.12)  
Stood 1.5 m from patient: 1.18 (0.92-1.51) |
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| | Overall turbidity [median (lower, upper quartiles)]: Untreated stored 0.64 (0.23, 2.33), direct-from-filter 0.39 (0.1, 1.37)  
Overall total coliform (geometric mean): untreated stored 1,451, direct-from-filter 42, treated 356  
Overall E. coli (geometric mean): untreated stored 39.2, direct-from-filter 1.2, treated 3.0 |
| Rebaudet (2019) | Exhaustiveness of CATIs in response to cholera alerts: adjusted odds ratio  
Intensity of CATIs in response to cholera alerts: adjusted incidence ratio  
Quality of CATIs in response to cholera alerts: adjusted incidence ratio |
| | (95% CI):  
Exhaustiveness of CATI response: higher for red alerts vs orange 2.52 (2.22-2.86, p<0.0001), increased during study period 1.43 (1.39-1.48, p<0.0001), tended to decrease when alert far from department capital 0.94 (0.88-1, p=0.06)  
Intensity and quality of CATI response: higher for red alerts vs orange 1.85 (1.72-1.98, p<0.0001), increased over study period 1.22 (1.20-1.25, p<0.0001), greater in more populated communes 1.02 (1.01-1.02, p<0.0001) |
| Scobie (2016) | Cholera and WaSH knowledge  
WaSH practices  
Vaccine knowledge, attitudes, and practices | Reported as baseline %, 1st follow-up %, 2nd follow-up %  
**Have heard of cholera:** 81%, 81%, 91%  
**Knew watery diarrhoea was a symptom of cholera:** 52%, 45%, 52%  
**Knew 2+ means of cholera transmission:** 61%, 59%, 82%  
**Knew 2+ means of cholera prevention:** 62%, 78%, 80%  
**Would go to camp clinic for cholera treatment:** 97%, 99%, 100%  
**Would use oral rehydration for cholera treatment:** 0%, 7%, 6%  
**Had heard about cholera prevention and treatment from others or media:** 83%, 82%, 92%  
**Reported receipt of materials to prevent cholera:** 91%, --, --  
**Knew about boiling or treating drinking water for cholera prevention:** 53%, 66%, 53%  
**Reported camp public tap as primary HH drinking water source:** 67%, 77%, 70%  
**Reported boils or treats drinking water:** 19%, 44%, 69%  
**Reported boiling or treating drinking water w/in last 24 hours:** 12%, 29%, 61%  
**Reported washing hands on >=3 types of occasions:** 49%, 50%, 67%  
**Reported using soap to wash hands:** 66%, 77%, 85%  
**Observed soap at hand-washing station:** 84%, 90%, 95%  
**Observed covered drinking water container with spigot:** 73%, 63%, 65%  
**Observed residual chlorine in HH drinking water sample:** 8%, 4%, 2%  
**Observed E. coli in HH drinking water sample:** 39%, 49%, 34%  
**Could name >=2 diseases prevented by vaccines:** 50%, 52%, 68%  
**Heard of cholera vaccine:** 39%, 94%, 93%  
**Concerns about HH adults receiving vaccines:** 4%, 2%, 2%  
**Concerns about HH children receiving vaccines:** 7%, 5%, 1%  
**HH member received any vaccine:** 86%, 86%, 96%  
**Child aged <15 years received polio drops:** 97%, 98%, 100%  
**Child aged <15 years received measles injection:** 95%, 94%, 95%  
**Knew cholera prevented by vaccine:** 11%, 30%, 39% | Low |
### Sikder (2020a)

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| FCR 0.2 mg/L, n (%)               | Bucket chlorination —, in-line chlorination 4 (44%), piped water chlorination 2 (20%) |
| E. coli CFU/100 mL < 10, n (%)    | Bucket chlorination 0 (0%), in-line chlorination: 8 (89%), piped water chlorination 10 (100%) |
| Turbidity (NTU, mean (SD))        | Bucket chlorination 7.9 (14.5), in-line chlorination 2.7 (2.9), piped water chlorination 2.5 (1.0) |
| pH (mean (SD))                    | Bucket chlorination 6.6 (0.6), in-line chlorination 8.0 (0.4), piped water chlorination 8.4 (0.6) |
| E. coli CFU/100 mL Geometric mean (geometric SD) | Bucket chlorination 451.0 (6.5), in-line chlorination 1.5 (2.4), piped water chlorination 3.9 (2.9) |
| Queueing time (minutes, mean (SD)) | Bucket chlorination 0 (0), in-line chlorination 1.5 (0.8), piped water chlorination 3.9 (2.9) |

### Sikder (2020b)

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| FCR (mg/L) at water collection points | Program 1 --, Program 2 0.45, Program 3 1.80 |
| FCR (mg/L) at water distribution points | Program 1 0.96, Program 2 0.38, Program 3 0.84 |
| Number of households with ≥0.2 mg/L FCR | Program 1 158 (98%), Program 2 67 (39%), Program 3 86 (63%) (p<0.001) |

| E. coli (CFU/100 mL) at water collection points (SD) | Program 1 548 (733) before chlorination, Program 2 <1 after chlorination, Program 3 <1 after chlorination |
| E. coli (CFU/100 mL) at water distribution points (SD) | Program 1 3 (8), Program 2 1 (2), Program 3 11 (23) |

| Number of households with ≤1 E. coli CFU/100 mL | Program 1 120 (75%), Program 2 122 (70%), Program 3 88 (64%) (p=0.154) |
| Number of households with <10 E. coli CFU/100 mL | Program 1 138 (86%), Program 2 156 (90%), Program 3 107 (78%) (p=0.017) |

### Water access:

* Distance between HHs and distribution points: program 1 354 m, program 2 167 m, program 3 28.1 m
* Reported queueing time significantly below rec max of 30 min

### Water Quantity/Quality

* Water quantity significantly lower than rec min of 15 L/(person day)
* Distribution point FCR significantly greater than rec min of 0.2 mg/L only in program 1
* Turbidity was significantly lower than the rec max of 5 NTU in programs 1 and 3

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<td>Sozzi (2015)</td>
<td>Degree of reduction in turbidity (NTU) • Degree of reduction in total suspended solid (TSS) • Degree of reduction in thermotolerant coliforms (CFU per 100 mL)</td>
<td><strong>Turbidity (NTU; mean):</strong> raw wastewater 805, treated effluent 15, removal 98.2% <strong>Thermotolerant coliforms (CFU per 100 mL; mean):</strong> raw wastewater $1.75 \times 10^4$, treated effluent 5, removal 99.97% <strong>COD (mg O$_2$/l; mean):</strong> raw wastewater 17,080, treated effluent 131, removal 99.2% <strong>Total suspended solids (mg/l; mean):</strong> raw wastewater 1,155, treated effluent 112, removal 90.5%</td>
<td><strong>Turbidity (NTU, mean):</strong> raw wastewater 430, treated effluent 23, removal 91.3% <strong>Thermotolerant coliforms (CFU per 100 mL, mean):</strong> raw wastewater $4.98 \times 10^4$, treated effluent 106, removal 99.52% <strong>COD (mg O$_2$/l, mean):</strong> raw wastewater 17,080, treated effluent 149, removal 99.1% <strong>Total suspended solids (mg/l, mean):</strong> raw wastewater 1,077, treated effluent 38, removal 92.9%</td>
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<td>Spina (2018)</td>
<td>Water chlorination: mean FRC and % of HHs with safe FRC levels (≥0.2 mg/L) in water storage containers • Reach of hygiene promotion messages • Receipt of hygiene kit distribution and hygiene behaviour • Water sources, transport, and storage</td>
<td><strong>(95% CI):</strong> <strong>Households with safe FRC level in stored drinking water:</strong> 43% (38-48) <strong>Median FRC values in HH storage containers:</strong> 0.1 (range: 0.1-3) <strong>Reach of messages:</strong> 388 HHs (99%, 97-100) <strong>Receipt of kits:</strong> 390 HHs (99%, 98-99) <strong>Water sources for households:</strong> private wells 269 HHs (69%, 64-73), in-home taps 141 HHs (36%, 31-41), river 13 HHs (3%, 2-6), multiple sources 29 HHs (7%, 5-10) <strong>Water transport:</strong> primarily using 20L containers 389 HHs (99.2%, 98-100) <strong>Households with safe FRC level in stored drinking water:</strong> among all 167 (43%, 38-48), among HHs with empty container at time of refill: 104 (65%, 57-73), among HHs with quarter-filled container at refill 20 (26%, 17-38), among HHs who refilled within last 6 hours 81 (60%, 51-68) <strong>HHs who collected water from private wells:</strong> 125 (46%, 40-53) <strong>HHs who collected from in-home taps:</strong> 40 (34%, 26-43)</td>
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| Thomson (2015)  | Removal efficiency of V. cholerae and total coliform in source water as an indicator of V. cholerae in field biosand filters | **Average removal of V. cholerae:** 80 ± 31%  
**Average removal of total coliform:** 63 ± 68%  
Coliform underestimated V. cholerae concentration in 90% of samples; total coliform removal efficiency underpredicted V. cholerae removal efficiency (n = 16)  
**Time in operation/Average percent removal for V. cholerae filters:** 4-day old = 65 ± 24%, 1-month = 92 ± 8%, 3-month = 96 ± 3%, and 1-year 97 ± 3% | Unclear |
| Watson (2019)   | Proportion of key handwashing occasions that were accompanied by handwashing with soap (HWWS): (1) after using the toilet, (2) before eating, (3) before preparing food, (4) before serving food to another person and, (5) after cleaning another child's feces  
Additional indicators of intervention compliance also measured: proportion of households reporting toy cheats, proportion of households which had used at least 1 soap, proportion of households with toy soap that was wet on inspection | **Effect of intervention on HWWS, risk ratio (95% CI):** 3.94 (1.59-9.79, p=0.003)  
Household toy cheats: 3% (n = 1)  
Households finishing at least 1 soap: 97% (n = 32)  
Households with toy soap wet on inspection: 85% (n = 17) | Moderate |
| Yates (2015)    | Reported use with dispensers  
Confirmed use with dispensers  
Confirmed correct use with dispensers  
Effective use with dispensers | **Reported use:** Haiti - sustained: 12%; Sierra Leone - initial, sustained: 17%, 22%; DRC - initial, sustained: 52%, 9%; Senegal - initial, sustained: 92%, 97%  
**Confirmed use:** Haiti - sustained: 9%; Sierra Leone - initial, sustained: 11%, 18%; DRC - initial, sustained: 34%, 5%; Senegal - initial, sustained: 79%, 87%  
**Confirmed correct use:** Haiti - sustained: 7%; Sierra Leone - initial, sustained: 10%, 15%; DRC - initial, sustained: 32%, 4%; Senegal - initial, sustained: 60%, 70%  
**Effective use:** Haiti - sustained: 5%; Sierra Leone - initial, sustained: 10%, 10%; DRC - initial, sustained: 28%, 0%; Senegal - initial, sustained: 63%, 81% | Unclear |
ANNEX 7: WASH ADDENDUM

Background

The methods presented in the body of the report yielded 21 articles that met inclusion criteria for the Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene (WaSH) topic area. Upon reviewing the draft findings for the WaSH topic area, expert reviewers noted articles that were potentially missing from those identified and included in the review. Based on their concerns and recommendations, the review team conducted an assessment of the suggested publications, as well as publications searchable on the WaSH cluster website.

Results

172 additional WaSH articles were screened by title and abstract, of which nine were identified as having met inclusion criteria. Detailed findings from this review are summarized in Figure 7.1.

Figure 7.1 Flow Diagram for WaSH Addendum Review

Peer-reviewed articles screened by title and abstract (n = 172)

Full text articles assessed for eligibility (n = 58)

Peer-reviewed articles that met inclusion criteria (n = 9)

Articles excluded at title/abstract screening stage (n = 114)

Full text articles excluded (n=49):
- Not eligible study type (n=14)
- Not population/setting of interest (n=10)
- Not intervention of interest (n=16)
- Duplicate (n=5)
- Not published during eligible timeframe (n=4)
Upon review of the articles that met inclusion criteria, two had been identified by the initial search strategy and excluded at the screening stage. On this review, these two studies were determined to be in alignment with other articles that were included and thus determined to have met inclusion criteria.

The remaining seven articles meeting inclusion criteria were not identified by the initial search strategy; however, all were published in journals that were captured by the initial search strategy. These articles may have been identified with the addition of “chlorine” and related terms, as well as “membrane” to the WaSH search terms.

Citations

The following is a list of the citations that would have met inclusion criteria but that were not identified and included in the review:


Summary

To align with best practice, the review team elected not to include these articles late in the review. While these papers would have met inclusion criteria if identified earlier, the impact on the review findings would have been minimal. These studies measured outcomes with relevance to the WaSH sector more broadly, with a primary focus on water quality, but they did not report on health outcomes. Thus, although these nine articles would have accounted for 30% of the included WaSH articles, there would not have been significant implications for the review’s findings or recommendations for future health research in relation to the WaSH sector. However, as these articles do meet inclusion criteria for this review, they should be included in future reviews that focus on the effectiveness of WaSH interventions in humanitarian contexts.
## Annex 8: Study Design and Outcomes of Nutrition Intervention Studies

### Study Design of Nutrition Intervention Studies in Humanitarian Crisis Settings, 2013-2021 (n=34)

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<th>Author (Year)</th>
<th>Study Setting &amp; Population</th>
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| Adelman (2019) | **Country:** Uganda, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp and non-camp (rural and urban)  
**Population:** Internally displaced | **Description:** 2 food for education (FFE) programs: a school feeding program (SFP) and take-home ration (THR) program.  
**Implementation site:** School-based  
**Personnel type(s):** N/A  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 15 months  
**Sample description:** Children aged 6-59 months, adolescent girls aged 10-17, and adult women (>=18y)  
**Sample size:** Enrolled: 627 HHs, 233 adolescent girls, 577 adult women, 222 children; Follow-up  
**Cohort:** 556 HHs, 253 adolescent girls, 499 adult women, 242 children |
| Altmann (2016) | **Country:** Burkina Faso, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Environmental disaster  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Emergency-affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Nutrition surveillance using a community-based sentinel sites approach ("Listening Posts" (LP))  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Not specified  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational (surveillance/validity)  
**Study duration:** ~ 3 years  
**Sample description:** Children aged 6-24 months in LPs and in repeat SMART surveys  
**Sample size:** Observations in LP model: 14,534; observations in cross-sectional surveys: 1,623 |
Crisis type: Environmental disaster  
Context type: Non-camp (rural)  
Population: Emergency-affected (non-displaced) | Description: Conditional cash transfer program  
Implementation site: Community-based  
Personnel type(s): N/A  
Part of broader program: Yes | Study design: Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)  
Study duration: 3 months  
Sample description: Intervention: CTP beneficiaries in the 2nd-lowest wealth category (per HEA) with an eligible child 6-23 months of age  
Control: non-beneficiary HHs meeting same criteria  
Sample size: 426 HHs (212 cash, 214 comparison) |
| Carrara (2017) | Country: Thailand, regional sample  
Crisis type: Armed conflict  
Context type: Camp (rural)  
Population: Refugee | Description: New ration that included micronutrient-fortified flour (MFF)  
Implementation site: Community-based  
Personnel type(s): N/A  
Part of broader program: No | Study design: Observational (repeat cross-sectional)  
Study duration: 29 months  
Sample description: Women with viable pregnancies attending ANC  
Sample size: 533 in 2004 survey; 515 in 2006 survey |
Crisis type: Armed conflict  
Context type: Non-camp (rural and urban)  
Population: Emergency affected (non-displaced) | Description: Integration of child nutrition (MUAC) screening with polio vaccination campaign  
Implementation site: Community-based  
Personnel type(s): Health professional cadre and lay personnel - vaccinators, nutrition screener, data collectors, supervisors, support staff  
Part of broader program: Yes - combined bivalent oral (bOPV) and inactivated polio vaccination (IPV) campaign | Study design: Observational (cross-sectional)  
Study duration: 1 month  
Sample description: Children attending polio campaign aged 6-59 months [for nutrition screening]  
Sample size: 725,509 children targeted for nutrition screening |
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<td>Djimeu (2014)</td>
<td>Angola, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Multiple (displaced and non-displaced)</td>
<td>Social and economic development health and water, sanitation, and waste management projects</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)</td>
<td>Children &lt;5 years of age</td>
<td>1,373 children (674 ASAF, 699 non-ASAF)</td>
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<td>Dong (2013)</td>
<td>China, regional sample</td>
<td>Environmental disaster</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Complementary food supplementation</td>
<td>Community-based, facility-based</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (pre-post)</td>
<td>All infants and children aged 6-24 months</td>
<td>314 at baseline; 259 at 18-month endline</td>
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<td>Doocy (2020a)</td>
<td>Somalia, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict, environmental disaster</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Emergency-affected (non-displaced), internally displaced</td>
<td>Assessment of 2 independent, targeted food assistance interventions implemented in parallel: provision of paper food vouchers or combination of in-kind food, food e-vouchers, and unrestricted cash</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)</td>
<td>Pregnant and lactating women (PLW) from HHs meeting vulnerability criteria; study locations selected based on security and caseload</td>
<td>514 PLW enrolled (166 paper vouchers, 288 mixed transfers, 60 non-assistance group); 490 analysed (162 paper vouchers, 269 mixed transfers, 59 non-assistance group)</td>
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<td>Study (Year)</td>
<td>Country: Somalia, regional sample</td>
<td>Crisis type: Armed conflict, environmental disaster</td>
<td>Context type: Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Population: Emergency-affected (non-displaced), internally displaced</td>
<td>Description: Assessment of 2 independent, targeted food assistance interventions implemented in parallel: provision of paper food vouchers or combination of in-kind food, food e-vouchers, and unrestricted cash</td>
<td>Implementation site: Community-based</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): N/A</td>
<td>Part of broader program: No</td>
<td>Study design: Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)</td>
<td>Study duration: 5 months</td>
<td>Sample description: PLW who were not malnourished (MUAC &lt;21 cm) and children aged &lt;5 years from HHs that met vulnerability criteria</td>
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<td>Doocy (2020b)</td>
<td>Country: Cameroon, regional sample</td>
<td>Crisis type: Armed conflict</td>
<td>Context type: Camp</td>
<td>Population: Refugee</td>
<td>Description: Baby Friendly Space (BFS) model with weekly activities focused on strengthening/ enhancing parental skills, psychomotor development for babies and emotional wellbeing for both women and babies - maximum of 6 months</td>
<td>Implementation site: Community-based</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): Health professional cadre and lay personnel - psychologists, psychosocial workers, paraprofessionals</td>
<td>Part of broader program: No</td>
<td>Study design: Mixed methods (descriptive quantitative and qualitative)</td>
<td>Study duration: 18 months</td>
<td>Sample description: Pregnant women, lactating mothers, and children aged &lt;2 years</td>
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<td>Dozio (2020)</td>
<td>Country: Lebanon, regional sample</td>
<td>Crisis type: Armed conflict</td>
<td>Context type: Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Population: Refugee</td>
<td>Description: School-based education and in-kind nutrition intervention composed of 2 main components: (1) delivering health and nutrition education modules on a bi-weekly basis, and (2) providing children with locally-prepared nutritious snacks</td>
<td>Implementation site: School-based</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): Lay personnel</td>
<td>Part of broader program: No</td>
<td>Study design: Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)</td>
<td>Study duration: 2 years</td>
<td>Sample description: Syrian refugee school children enrolled in grades 4 to 6 within 3 informal schools</td>
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<td>Fabiansen (2016)</td>
<td>Burkina Faso, regional sample</td>
<td>Environmental disaster</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>Food supplementation (new formulations of corn-soy blend and lipid-based nutrient supplements) in children with low MUAC</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (cohort nested in randomized controlled trial)</td>
<td>1 year</td>
<td>6-23 month old children admitted for supplemental feeding based on an MUAC of 115 mm</td>
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<td>Fenn (2017)</td>
<td>Pakistan, regional sample</td>
<td>Environmental disaster</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>3 cash-based interventions (CBIs): (1) a “standard cash” (SC) unconditional cash transfers of 1,500 Pakistani rupees, (2) a “double cash” (DC) unconditional cash transfers of 3,000 Pakistani rupees, (3) fresh food voucher (FFV) with cash value of 1,500 Pakistani rupees exchangeable for specified fresh foods in nominated shops</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial (cluster (community/site) randomized)</td>
<td>14 months</td>
<td>Eligible HHs with at least 1 child aged 6-40 months</td>
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### Grijalva-Eternod (2018)

**Country:** Somalia, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict, environmental disaster  
**Context type:** Camp (urban)  
**Population:** Internally displaced  

**Description:** CBI comprised of: (1) monthly unconditional cash transfer, (2) once-only distribution of a non-food-items kit, and (3) provision of piped water free of charge through tap stands  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** N/A  
**Part of broader program:** Yes

**Study design:** Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)  
**Study duration:** 8 months  
**Sample description:** HH cohort: Randomly selected HHs with children <5 years residing in sampled IDP camps; Child cohort: all children aged 6-59 months, IDP camp clusters selected based on vulnerability criteria measured in routine needs assessment  
**Sample size:** 240 HHs enrolled (394 children, 243 women): 120 intervention HHs (196 children, 122 women), 120 control HHs (198 children, 121 women). 228 HHs analysed (332 children, 223 women): 111 intervention HHs (155 children, 108 women), 117 control HHs (177 children, 115 women)

### Hashmi (2019)

**Country:** Thailand, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp (rural)  
**Population:** Refugee  

**Description:** Monthly household visits by a nurse with mother-infant pairs when infant was 3-9 months old, with assessment of appropriate infant feeding and WaSH practices as well as counselling on appropriate behaviours via ‘The Healthy Baby Flipbook’  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - nurse  
**Part of broader program:** Yes

**Study design:** Observational (cohort study)  
**Study duration:** 6 months  
**Sample description:** Mother-infant pairs with term, healthy infants aged 2 months  
**Sample size:** 20 mother-infant pairs
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<td>Heckert (2020)</td>
<td>Burundi and Guatemala, regional sample</td>
<td>Environmental disaster</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>2 undernutrition prevention programs (PROCOMIDA and Tubaramure) with 3 components: (1) food assistance (family and individual food rations targeted to mothers from pregnancy until child is 6 mos, then child from 6-24 mos); (2) a health, hygiene, and nutrition behaviour change communication (BCC) strategy; and (3) activities to strengthen &amp; promote local health care system use.</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Economic evaluation</td>
<td>No study dates provided</td>
<td>Pregnant mothers and their children (&lt;24 months of age)</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
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<td>Hoddinott (2020)</td>
<td>Bangladesh, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp (urban)</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>Electronic food voucher (e-voucher) to be used at selected shops for 19 designated foods compared to food rations.</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Observational (cross-sectional)</td>
<td>1 month</td>
<td>Children in sampled HHs who were aged 6-23 months</td>
<td>523 children (362 rations, 161 e-vouchers)</td>
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<td>Jamalud-dine (2020)</td>
<td>Lebanon, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp (urban)</td>
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<td>Community kitchens linked to a subsidized school snack intervention</td>
<td>Community-based, school-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)</td>
<td>8 months</td>
<td>Students enrolled in matched pairs of elementary schools; each school was paired to its closest match based on gender distribution, neighbourhood, and school size.</td>
<td>1,433 students enrolled (746 intervention, 687 control); 1,362 students enrolled (714 intervention, 648 control)</td>
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| Kurdi (2020) | **Country:** Yemen, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-campus (not specified)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Cash transfers conditional on attendance at monthly nutritional training sessions led by locally recruited community health volunteers (CHVs)  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel - community health workers (CHWs) / CHVs  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 2.5 years  
**Sample description:** Females with children under 2 years or pregnant at time of enrolment  
**Sample size:** 2,000 HHs enrolled (1,001 intervention, 999 control); 1,945 analysed |
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| Leroy (2016a) | **Country:** Burundi, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Environmental disaster  
**Context type:** Non-campus (rural)  
**Population:** Not specified | **Description:** Food-assisted maternal and child health program with 3 core components: (1) the distribution of food rations from pregnancy to 24 mos (T24), from pregnancy to 18 mos (T18), or from birth to 24 mos (TNFP); (2) activities to improve the provision of health services and to promote their use; and (3) a behaviour change communication (BCC) strategy focused on improving nutrition, health, and hygiene practices  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 4 years  
**Sample description:** HHs in selected collines (communities) with a child aged 0-23.9 mos  
**Sample size:** 2,530 HHs at baseline (421 T24, 838 T18, 419 TNFP, 852 controls); 2,566 HHs at 2012 follow-up: (425 T24, 866 T18, 420 TNFP, 855 controls) |
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<td>2016b</td>
<td>Burundi, regional sample</td>
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<td>Non-campus (rural)</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>Food-assisted maternal and child health program with 3 core components: (1) the distribution of food rations from pregnancy to 24 mos (T24), from pregnancy to 18 mos (T18), or from birth to 24 mos (TNFP); (2) activities to improve the provision of health services and to promote their use; and (3) a behaviour change communication (BCC) strategy focused on improving nutrition, health, and hygiene practices.</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>RCT</td>
<td>4 years</td>
<td>Pregnant women (at or after the 4th month of gestation) and mothers of children &lt;6 mos living in study provinces</td>
<td>Children: 2,533 children at baseline (423 T24, 834 T18, 417 TNFP, 859 controls); 2,497 children at follow-up (420 T24, 851 T18, 412 TNFP, 814 controls) Mothers: 2,505 mothers at baseline (413 T24, 839 T18, 410 TNFP, 843 controls); 2,511 mothers at follow-up (414 T24, 849 T18, 410 TNFP, 838 controls)</td>
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<td>2020</td>
<td>Burundi, regional sample</td>
<td>Environmental disaster</td>
<td>Non-campus (rural)</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>Child health program with 3 core components: (1) the distribution of food rations from pregnancy to 24 mos (T24), from pregnancy to 18 mos (T18), or from birth to 24 mos (TNFP); (2) activities to improve the provision of health services and to promote their use; and (3) a behaviour change communication (BCC) strategy focused on improving nutrition, health, and hygiene practices.</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>4 years</td>
<td>Pregnant women (at or after the 4th month of gestation) and mothers of children &lt;6 mos living in study provinces</td>
<td>HHs: 2,598 HHs at baseline (431 T24, 859 T18, 430 TNFP, 878 controls); 2,362 HHs at follow-up (389 T24, 804 T18, 391 TNFP, 778 controls); Mothers: 2,362 at follow-up (389 T24, 804 T18, 391 TNFP, 778 controls); Children: 2,029 at baseline (320 T24, 687 T18, 333 TNFP, 689 controls); 1,854 at follow-up (304 T24, 611 T18, 301 TNFP, 638 controls)</td>
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| Olney (2018) | **Country:** Guatemala, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Environmental disaster  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Not specified | **Description:** Child stunting prevention program (PROCOMIDA) with 3 components: (1) food rations; (2) a behaviour-change communication (BCC) strategy; and (3) interventions to improve quality and use of government-funded health services by mothers and children  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 45 months  
**Sample description:** Pregnant women who resided in the communities served by the 100 PROCOMIDA health convergence centres or the 20 control centres and their children; Study Groups: Full family ration (FFR) + corn-soy blend (CSB), reduced family ration (RFR) + CSB, no family ration (NFR) + CSB, FFR + lipid-based nutrient supplement (LNS), FFR + micronutrient powder (MNP), control  
**Sample size:** 4,545 women enrolled (784 FFR+CSB, 755 RFR+CSB, 756 NFR+CSB, 739 FFR+LNS, 794 FFR+MNP, 753 control); 3,404 women analysed (576 FFR+CSB, 575 RFR+CSB, 542 NFR+CSB, 550 FFR+LNS, 587 FFR+MNP, 574 control) |}

| Olney (2019) | **Country:** Burundi, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Environmental disaster  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Not specified | **Description:** Food-assisted maternal and child health program with 3 core components: (1) the distribution of food rations from pregnancy to 24 mos (T24), from pregnancy to 18 mos (T18), or from birth to 24 mos (TNFP); (2) activities to improve the provision of health services and to promote their use; and (3) a behaviour change communication (BCC) strategy focused on improving nutrition, health, and hygiene practices.  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 4 years  
**Sample description:** Pregnant women (at or after the 4th month of gestation) and mothers of children <6 mos living in study provinces  
**Sample size:** 2010 baseline = 5,856 children total (pooled treatment: 1,498 children 4-23.9 mos, 2,567 children 24-41.9 mos; control: 795 children 4-23.9 mos, 996 children 24-41.9 mos)  
2012 follow-up = 2,276 children 4-23.9 mos (pooled treatment: 1,496, control: 780)  
2014 follow-up = 3,560 children 4-23.9 mos (pooled treatment: 2,982, control: 578) |
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<td>Burkina Faso, regional sample</td>
<td>Environmental disaster</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Seasonal unconditional mobile cash transfers</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>16 months</td>
<td>32 villages were randomly assigned to control and intervention groups; HHs with at least 1 child &lt;12 months of age selected based on HH economy classification</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
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<td>Shen (2020)</td>
<td>Burkina Faso, regional sample</td>
<td>Environmental disaster</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Blanket supplementary feeding program with 4 interventions: Corn Soy Blend Plus with fortified vegetable oil (CSB+ w/oil, reference arm), Corn Soy Whey Blend with fortified vegetable oil (CSWB w/oil), Super Cereal Plus (SC+), or Ready-to-Use Supplementary Food (RUSF).</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Economic evaluation</td>
<td>2 years</td>
<td>Children aged 6-23 months</td>
<td>Full sample 6,112 enrolled (1,519 CSB+ w/oil, 1,503 CSWB w/oil, 1,564 SC+, 1,526 RUSF), 5,204 analysed (1,312 CSB+ w/oil, 1,255 CSWB w/oil, 1,324 SC+, 1,313 RUSF)</td>
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<td>Sibson (2018)</td>
<td>Niger, regional sample</td>
<td>Environmental disaster</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Standard monthly unconditional cash transfers for 4 month duration vs. 6 month duration</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>8 months</td>
<td>All children 6-59 mos in villages selected to receive the UCT and random non-beneficiaries in these same villages</td>
<td>2,292 children enrolled (standard intervention beneficiary: 1,013, standard intervention non-beneficiary: 255, modified intervention beneficiary: 818, modified intervention non-beneficiary: 206); 2,199 children analysed at endline (standard intervention beneficiary: 974, standard intervention non-beneficiary: 241, modified intervention beneficiary: 784, modified intervention non-beneficiary: 200)</td>
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<td>Description: Multi-disciplinary health &amp; nutrition program including financial and social support for families, improvements to schools, and training for human resources. The health and nutrition subcomponent included food distribution, and health education classes.</td>
<td>Implementation site: Community-based</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): Health professional cadre and lay personnel</td>
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<td>Study design: Observational</td>
<td>Study duration: 3 years</td>
<td>Sample description: Children aged 6 months-6 years</td>
<td>Sample size: 2013 survey=382; 2016 survey 983, 2016 sub-sample 348</td>
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<td>Sample description: Targeted women (husbands’ feedback accepted) with children affected by tsunami</td>
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<td>Context type: Camp (urban)</td>
<td>Population: Refugee</td>
<td>Description: Nutributter, a small quantity lipid-based nutrient supplement</td>
<td>Implementation site: Community-based</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): N/A</td>
<td>Part of broader program: No</td>
<td>Study design: Observational</td>
<td>Study duration: 3 years</td>
<td>Sample description: All eligible children aged 6-59 months in camps</td>
<td>Sample size: Range of 236-620 (analysed sample sizes varied by outcome)</td>
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| Study (Year) | **Country:** Haiti, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Environmental disaster  
**Context type:** Camp (urban)  
**Population:** Internally displaced | **Description:** Infant feeding programs using ready-to-use infant formula (RUIF) and baby tents  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** N/A  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 3 months  
**Sample description:** Infants aged <12 months at enrolment living in impacted areas with no possibility of being breastfed  
**Sample size:** 493 infants analysed |
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| Tondeur (2016) | **Country:** Algeria, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp (urban/rural not specified)  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** Daily doses of lipid-based nutrient supplement (LNS) among children and micronutrient powder (MNP) among children and pregnant and lactating women (PLWs)  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Mixed methods  
**Study duration:** 3 months  
**Sample description:** Children aged 36-59 months enrolled in camp and growth monitoring program; PLW enrolled in camp antenatal care clinic  
**Sample size:** 354 (LNS [children 6-35 mos] = 123, MNP [children 36-59 mos] = 112, MNP [pregnant women] = 55, MNP [lactating women] = 64) |
| Trenouth (2018) | **Country:** Pakistan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Environmental disaster  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural and urban)  
**Population:** Not specified | **Description:** 3 CBIs: (1) double cash (DC) transfer, (2) standard cash (SC) transfer, and (3) fresh food voucher (FFV) transfer  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** N/A  
**Part of broader program:** Yes | **Study design:** Economic evaluation  
**Study duration:** 8 months  
**Sample description:** HHs with at least 1 child aged 6-48 months enrolled based on income criteria  
**Sample size:** 2,610 children in program at baseline (DC=839, SC=905, FFV=866) |
| Yang (2015) | **Country:** China, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Environmental disaster  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Large-scale health and nutritional education program  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 1 year  
**Sample description:** Children aged <5 years  
**Sample size:** Baseline: survey 9,635, biochemical analysis 2,165; endline: survey 2,769, biochemical analysis 1,113 |
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| **Adelman (2019)** | Prevalence of any anaemia • Prevalence of moderate-to-severe anaemia • Both analysed among females aged 10–13 y, aged ≥18 y, and children aged 6–59 mos | **Difference-in-differences (95% CI):**
**Prevalence of any anaemia (females aged 10-13 years):** pooled FFE programs -0.24 (-0.43 to -0.08, p=0.006); SFP -0.27 (-0.48 to -0.07, p=0.009); THR -0.24 (-0.45 to -0.02, p=0.032); test: SFP = THR p=0.702
**Prevalence of moderate-to-severe anaemia (females aged 10-13 years):** pooled FFE Programs -0.19 (-0.35 to -0.04, p=0.018); SFP -0.21 (-0.39 to -0.03, p=0.021); THR: -0.18 (-0.36 to 0.00, p=0.056); test: SFP = THR p=0.694 | High |
| **Altmann (2016)** | External Validity of LP • Difference in global acute malnutrition (GAM) prevalence estimates between surveys and LP | **External validity:** Wald test results comparing MUAC between LP and cross-sectional survey models p=0.634 (well correlated)
**Difference in surveys vs. LP GAM prevalence estimates:** all differences lay within estimated confidence limits (-8.47 to 5.38) | Unclear |
| **Bliss (2018)** | Weight gain: adjusted difference in difference • Weight-for-height Z scores (WHZ) • Odds of acute malnutrition (AM) | **Adjusted difference-in-differences (95% CI):**
**Weight gain:** baseline-midline = 1.03 (0.78-1.3, p<0.001), baseline-endline = 1.27 (1.01-1.53, p<0.001)
**WHZ:** baseline-midline = 1.42 (1.2-1.64, p<0.001), baseline-endline = 1.82 (1.61-2.05, p<0.001)
**Odds of AM:** baseline-midline = 0.24 (0.11-0.59, p<0.001), baseline-endline = 0.04 (0.02-0.12, p<0.001) | Unclear |
| **Carrara (2017)** | Small for gestational age (SGA) • Preterm birth (PTB) | **Impact of no ration (2004) compared to comprehensive ration exposure (2006):**
**SGA:** 28.9% vs 17.3% (adjusted p=0.050)
**PTB:** 6.7% vs 5.3% (adjusted p=0.860) | Unclear |
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<td>Chamla (2018)</td>
<td>• Nutrition screening: overall 48.5%, Jere 56.6%, Konduga 22.8%, Mafa 80.0%, Maiduguri 47.1%</td>
<td>• Proportion of children screened with SAM: overall 3.7%, Jere 4.0%, Konduga 5.5%, Mafa 8.5%, Maiduguri 2.6%</td>
<td>• Proportion of SAM cases enrolled in treatment: overall 47.5%, Jere 34.9%, Konduga no data, Mafa 31.6%, Maiduguri 68.8%</td>
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Mean (SD):
Change of WLZ: Infants age 6-12 mos: baseline 0.23 (1.14), 6 mo FU 0.06 (0.93), 12 mo FU 0.36 (0.90); 18 mo endline 0.44 (0.87)
Children age 12-18 mos: baseline -0.08 (0.96), 6 mo FU -0.36 (1.01), 12 mo FU -0.18 (0.97), endline 0.18 (0.90)
Children age 18-24 mos: baseline -0.34 (0.99), 6 mo FU -0.33 (0.93), 12 mo FU -0.04 (0.88), endline -0.09 (1.04)
LAZ: Infants age 6-12 mos: baseline -0.46 (0.09), 6 mo FU -0.08 (1.15), 12 mo FU -0.25 (1.31), endline -0.04 (1.06)
Children age 12-18 mos: baseline -0.35 (1.08), 6 mo FU -0.25 (1.19), 12 mo FU -0.51 (1.01), endline -0.26 (1.40)
Children age 18-24 mos: baseline -1.04 (1.20), 6 mo FU -0.57 (1.11), 12 mo FU -0.70 (0.85), endline -0.47 (1.27)
WAZ: Infants age 6-12 mos: baseline -0.09 (1.11), 6 mo FU -0.05 (1.01), 12 mo FU 0.10 (1.19), endline 0.32 (0.95)
Children age 12-18 mos: baseline -0.22 (0.98), 6 mo FU -0.38 (0.97), 12 mo FU -0.36 (0.96), endline 0.00 (1.00)
Children age 18-24 mos: baseline -0.76 (0.86), 6 mo FU = -0.52 (0.86), 12 mo FU -0.37 (0.89), endline -0.28 (0.99)

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| **Doocy (2020a)** | • Mean meals consumed on preceding day | **Difference in change between intervention groups:** adjusted vouchers vs mixed transfers (95% CI):  
Mean meals consumed on preceding day: 0.3 (0.1-0.5, p=0.001)  
Mean food groups consumed on preceding day: 0.3 (-0.3 to 0.8, p=0.324)  
% achieving Minimum Dietary Diversity for Women (MDDW): 7.7% (-7.0 to 22.5%, p=0.303)  
Mean MUAC: 0.4 (-0.1 to 0.8, p=0.086)  
Acute malnutrition prevalence: -2.9% (-6.1 to 0.4, p=0.086) | Moderate |
| **Doocy (2020b)** | • Meals consumed on preceding day | **Difference in change between intervention groups:** adjusted vouchers vs mixed transfers (95% CI):  
Meals consumed on preceding day: -0.3 (-0.8 to 0.3, p=0.305)  
% achieving Minimum Meal Frequency: -0.5% (-15.2 to 12.3, p=0.462)  
Minimum Dietary Diversity (MDD) score: -0.2 (-0.7 to 0.4, p=0.300)  
% achieving MDD: -8.1% (-17.4 to 3.8, p=0.152)  
% achieving Minimum Acceptable Diet: -5.4% (-15.7 to 3.5, p=0.261)  
Mean MUAC: -0.4 (-0.9 to 0.2, p=0.125)  
Acute malnutrition prevalence: -5.5% (-25.3 to 12.3, p=0.578) | Low |
| **Dozio (2020)** | • Perceived social support: self-reporting scales (range 0-10) | (SD):  
**Perceived social support:** lactating women improving status 40%, improvement 0.86 (1.55, p<0.01); pregnant women improving status 36%, improvement 0.7 (1.35, p<0.01)  
**Psychosocial suffering:** lactating women improving status 62%, improvement 1.65 (2.05, p<0.01); pregnant women improving status 50%, improvement 1.04 (1.59, p<0.01)  
**Mother-child relationship:** lactating women improving status 89%, improvement 13.36 (12.01, p<0.01)  
**Breastfeeding practices:** lactating women improving status 89%, improvement 3.28 (2.55, p<0.01) | Moderate |
| El Harake (2018) | • Mean change from baseline to 6-months follow up in dietary knowledge, attitude, and behaviour scores  
• Mean change in anthropometric measures: BMI for Age Z-score (BAZ), Waist to Height ratio (WHtR), Height for age Z-score (HAZ), Weight for age Z-score (WAZ) | **Adjusted mean change in scores, intervention versus control (95% CI):**  
**Dietary knowledge score:** 1.22 (0.54-1.89, p<0.001)  
**Dietary attitudes score:** 0.69 (0.08-1.30, p=0.026)  
**Behaviour scores:** -0.20 (-2.53 to 2.14)  
**BAZ:** 0.25 (0.10-0.41, p=0.001)  
**WHtR:** 0.02 (-0.01 to 0.05)  
**HAZ:** 0.19 (-0.07 to 0.45)  
**WAZ:** 0.25 (-0.04 to 0.54) | Unclear |
| Fabiansen (2016) | • Weight gain velocity  
• Increase in weight  
• MUAC-gain velocity  
• Increase in MUAC | **Weight gain velocity:** velocity from baseline showed a similar development between groups throughout supplementation; velocities from the last visit (2 weeks previously) remained similar between short and long children and were initially high but approaching velocities for well-nourished reference children toward the end of supplementation; there was no effect modification by type of product (CSB compared with LNS) on weight-gain velocity (p=0.65).  
**Increase in weight:** 12% after 12 weeks of supplementation  
**MUAC-gain velocities:** MUAC-gain velocity from baseline was similar between groups from week 4; MUAC-gain velocities from the last visit (2 weeks previously) remained similar between short and long children and were initially high but approaching velocities for well-nourished reference children toward the end of supplementation; there was no effect modification by type of product (CSB compared with LNS) on MUAC-gain velocity (p=0.45).  
**Increase in MUAC:** 6% after 10-12 weeks of supplementation | Unclear |
| Fenn (2017) | • Prevalence of being wasted (weight-for-height z-score [WHZ] <-2): adjusted odds ratio  
• Mean WHZ: adjusted β | **WHZ (95% CI):** at 6 months: DC 0.52 (0.29-0.92), FFV 1.16 (0.67-2.01), SC 1.09 (0.64-1.87); at 1 year: DC 0.80 (0.51-1.24), FFV 1.17 (0.75-1.82), SC 1.10 (0.71-1.71)  
Mean WHZ (95% CI): at 6 months: DC 0.11 (0.00-0.21), FFV 0.16 (0.05-0.26), SC 0.04 (-0.07 to 0.14); at 1 year: DC 0.00 (-0.12 to 0.12), FFV 0.02 (-0.10 to 0.14), SC -0.08 (-0.19 to 0.04) | Unclear |
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|  • Mean Child Dietary Diversity Score (DDS): adjusted difference-in-differences (DiD)  
  • Incidence of acute malnutrition (defined by low MUAC and/or oedema): adjusted hazard ratio  
  • Secondary outcomes:  
  • Prevalence of acute malnutrition, defined by WHZ (children 6–59 mos): DiD  
  • Mean weight-for-length/height z-score (WHZ) (children 6–59 mos): DiD  
  • Mean 30-day HH expenditure: DiD  
  • Mean HH DDS: DiD  
  • Mean Food Consumption Score (FCS): DiD  
  • Mean Household Food Insecurity Access Scale (HFIAS) score: DiD  
  • Mean Reduced Coping Strategies Index (rCSI) score: DiD  
  • Mean Women DDS: DiD | (95% CI):  
  Child DDS: linear regression 0.62 (0.08-1.15), ordered logistic regression 1.11 (0.15-2.07)  
  Incidence of first episode of acute malnutrition: 0.94 (0.51-1.74)  
  Prevalence of acute malnutrition: 1.09 (-5.64 to 7.83)  
  Mean WHZ value: -0.22 (-0.46 to 0.03)  
  Mean 30-day HH expenditure: US$29.60 (3.51-55.68)  
  HH DDS: 0.99 (0.09-1.90)  
  Mean HFIAS score: -48.6 (-67.2 to -29.9)  
  Mean rCSI score: -11.6 (-17.5 to -5.96)  
  Mean Women DDS: 1.37 (0.53-2.21) | Unclear |
| Hashmi (2019) | All months refer to age of infant  
Proportion of exclusively breastfed infants: 3 months 42%, 5 months 65%  
Handwashing among mothers who had prepared the family meal the day prior to interview: 3 months 94%, 6 months 100%, 9 months 100%  
Adequate dietary diversity: 6 months 5%, 8 months 58%, 9 months 90%  
Appropriate meal amount: 6 months 10%, 9 months 100%  
Minimum acceptable diet: 6 months 0%, 8 months 47%, 9 months 90%  
Safe disposal of infant stool: 6 months 16%, 9 months 100% | High |
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| Heckert (2020) | Total program cost per beneficiary: PROCOMIDA (Guatemala): FFR+CSB $758.88, RFR+CSB $721.08, NFR+CSB $785.09, FFR+LNS $762.18, FFR+MNP $759.66  
Tubaramure (Burundi): T24 $451.57, T18 $427.27, TNFP $449.07  
Cost per beneficiary per percentage point reduction in stunting: PROCOMIDA (Guatemala): FFR+CSB $97.29, FFR+MNP $165.87  
Tubaramure (Burundi): T24 $103.46, T18 $118.58, TNFP $154.52 | Moderate |
| Hoddinott (2020) | • Mean length/height for age z-score (HAZ)  
• Stunting (HAZ < -2)  
• Weight-for-height z score (WHZ)  
• Wasting (WHZ < -2)  
• MUAC | **Associations with receipt of e-voucher compared to food ration (SE):**  
HAZ: 0.38 (0.19, p<0.05)  
Stunting: -0.08 (0.06)  
WHZ: -0.02 (0.12)  
Wasting: -0.02 (0.05)  
MUAC: -0.65 (1.07) | Low |
| Jamalud-dine (2020) | • Child and HH diet diversity  
• Haemoglobin levels  
• Anaemia (haemoglobin value <115 g/L)  
• BMI-for-age z-score (BAZ)  
• Height-for-age z-score (HAZ)  
• Overweight (BAZ > +2)  
• Obesity (BAZ > +3)  
• Stunting (HAZ < -2)  
• HH and child food insecurity | **Adjusted change from baseline to endline in intervention vs control groups (95% CI):**  
**Mean child diet diversity:** 0.33 (0.07-0.60, p=0.028)  
**Mean haemoglobin:** 3.26 (0.99-5.54, p=0.020)  
**Odds of anaemia:** 0.88 (0.76-1.01, p=0.073)  
**Mean BAZ:** 0.04 (-0.14 to 0.19, p=0.435)  
**Mean HAZ:** 0.01 (-0.10 to 0.08, p=0.714)  
**Odds of overweight:** 0.98 (0.65-1.49, p=0.923)  
**Odds of obesity:** 1.06 (0.48-2.30, p=0.891)  
**Odds of stunting:** 1.47 (0.73-2.97, p=0.278)  
**HH food insecurity:** -0.33 (-0.65 to 0.00, p=0.049)  
**Child food insecurity:** -0.20 (-0.67 to 0.27, p=0.273)  
Per protocol analyses were also presented disaggregated by high-participation and low-participation schools | Low |
| Kurdi (2020) | Instrumental variable (IV) estimates of program impact (95% CI):  
Breastfeeding initiation within first hour after delivery: 0.156 (0.036-0.275, p<0.05), time trend 0.07  
Probability of EBF during the first 6 months: 0.144 (-0.009 to 0.298, p<0.10)  
Treated drinking water consumed by adults: 0.167 (0.085-0.248, p<0.01), time trend 0.047 (p<0.10)  
Treated drinking water consumed by children under 2 years: 0.103 (-0.012 to 0.218, p<0.10), time trend 0.164 (p<0.01)  
Impact on IYCN knowledge score (adjusted program impacts): 0.913 (0.273-1.553, p<0.01), time trend 0.000 | Low |
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| Low Leroy (2016a) | Adjusted impact of intervention on wasting (SE): overall -3.31 (1.54, p<0.05), T24 arm -1.59 (1.84), T18 arm -4.52 (1.79, p<0.01), TNFP arm -2.60 (2.25)  
Adjusted impact of intervention on WLZ (SE): overall 0.15 (0.08, p<0.05), T24 arm 0.20 (0.10, p<0.05), T18 arm 0.17 (0.08, p<0.05), TNFP arm 0.06 (0.10) | Unclear |

**Annex 8: Study Design and Outcomes of Nutrition Intervention Studies**
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<td>Hb (children 6-23.9 mo): all treatment 0.4 (0.2)<strong>, T24 0.4 (0.2)</strong>, T18 0.6 (0.2)**, TNFP 0.2 (0.2)*</td>
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<td>Anaemia prevalence (children 6-23.9 mo): all treatment -6.1 (3.5)<strong>, T24 -6.6 (5.6), T18 -8.2 (4.5)</strong>, TNFP -1.0 (3.6)</td>
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<td>Severe anaemia prevalence (children 6-23.9 mo): all treatment -2.2 (1.4*), T24 -1.5 (2.8), T18 -2.0 (1.6), TNFP -3.3 (1.5)**</td>
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<td>Anaemia (with children 0-2.9 mo): all treatment -34.9 (12.2)<strong>, T24 -29.0 (17.2)</strong>, T18 -40.5 (13.1)<strong>, TNFP -28.5 (14.7)</strong></td>
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<td>Anaemia (with children 6-23.9 mo): all treatment -5.2 (5.1), T24 -7.6 (5.2)*, T18 -5.2 (5.8), TNFP -2.9 (5.5)</td>
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<td>Severe anaemia: all treatment -0.4 (0.7), T24 -1.0 (0.7)*, T18 0.1 (0.8), TNFP -0.8 (0.8)</td>
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| Leroy (2020) | • HFIAS (score & % food secure)  
• HH hunger scale (HHS) (score & % with little-no hunger)  
• HH dietary diversity scale (HDDS) score  
• HH food consumption (Ln energy consumed, total energy consumed, energy from categorical & micronutrients)  
• Maternal dietary diversity  
• Children’s dietary diversity and child feeding practices:  
  ◦ dietary diversity (score & % with minimum dietary diversity)  
  ◦ % with minimum meal frequency (MMF)  
  ◦ % with minimum acceptable diet (MAD)  
  ◦ % with Fe-rich foods consumption | **Double difference impact estimates for respective treatment group vs controls (SE):**  
**HFIAS score:** T24 -2.9 (0.8, p<0.05), T18 -1.9 (0.7, p<0.05), TNFP -2.2 (0.9, p<0.05)  
**HFIAS (% food secure):** T24 4.5 (2.2, p<0.05), T18 5.4 (2.0, p<0.05), TNFP 7.3 (2.9, p<0.05)  
**HHS Score:** T24 -0.2 (0.2), T18 -0.2 (0.2), TNFP -0.3 (0.2)  
**HHS (% little-no hunger):** T24 6.9 (7.0), T18 5.4 (4.3), TNFP 10.9 (5.3, p<0.05)  
**HDDS:** T24 -0.1 (0.2), T18 0.3 (0.1, p<0.05), TNFP 0.2 (0.2)  
**Children’s DDS:** including CSB T24 0.1 (0.1), T18 0.2 (0.1, p<0.05), TNFP 0.3 (0.1, p<0.05); excluding CSB T24 -0.1 (0.1), T18 0.1 (0.1), TNFP 0.1 (0.1)  
% children with min dietary diversity: including CSB T24 8 (4.6, p<0.05), T18 9.5 (4.9, p<0.05), TNFP 9.6 (4.7, p<0.05); excluding CSB T24 1.8 (4.8), T18 5.5 (5.2), TNFP 5.9 (5.3)  
% children with MMF: including CSB T24 8 (6.1, p<0.10), T18 12.5 (4.2, p<0.05), TNFP 25.9 (5.2, p<0.05)  
% children with MAD: including CSB T24 6.3 (5.2), T18 10.3 (3.1, p<0.05), TNFP 13.7 (3.5, p<0.05); excluding CSB T24 2.8 (5.0), T18 3.2 (p<0.05), TNFP 11.5 (3.5, p<0.05)  
% children with Fe-rich food consumption: including CSB T24 40.4 (4.9, p<0.05), T18 26.2 (4.4, p<0.05), TNFP 36.5 (4.5, p<0.05); excluding CSB T24 -2.8 (2.8), T18 2 (2.8), TNFP -1.9 (5.6)  
**Single difference impact estimates for respective treatment group vs controls (SE):**  
**Maternal DDS (includes CSB):** T24 0.3 (0.1, p<0.05), T18 0.4 (0.1, p<0.05), TNFP 0.4 (0.1, p<0.05)  
**Maternal DDS (excludes CSB):** T24 0.1 (0.1), T18 0.3 (0.1, p<0.05), TNFP 0.2 (0.1, p<0.05) | **High** | Annex 8: Study Design and Outcomes of Nutrition Intervention Studies | 127
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<td>Length-for-age difference</td>
<td>RFR+CSB: 1 mo -4.06*, 4 mo -2.18, 6 mo -2.68, 9 mo 0.87, 12 mo 0.83, 18 mo 1.69, 24 mo -1.42</td>
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<td>NFR+CSB: 1 mo -1.38, 4 mo -0.63, 6 mo 0.02, 9 mo 1.95, 12 mo -3.42, 18 mo -3.04, 24 mo -4.25</td>
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<td>FFR+LNS: 1 mo -0.03 (0.16), 4 mo -0.02 (0.15), 6 mo -0.09 (0.15), 9 mo -0.18 (0.16), 12 mo -0.14 (0.18), 18 mo -0.08 (0.19), 24 mo -0.04 (0.22)</td>
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| Author          | Study Design and Outcomes of Nutrition Intervention Studies                                                                 | Unclear
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(**SD**: Language Milestones): all (4-23.9 mo) 0.4 (0.2, p=0.03), 4-11.9 mo 0.2 (0.2, p=0.78), 12-17.9 mo 0.6 (0.3, p=0.03), 18-23.9 mo 0.9 (0.4, p=0.02), 12-23.9 mo 0.7 (0.3, p=0); all (24-41.9 mo) 0.3 (0.3, p=0.18), 24-29.9 mo 1.0 (0.3, p=0), 30-35.9 mo 0.0 (0.5, p=0.51), 36-41.9 mo 0.1 (0.6, p=0.45)  
Motor milestones: all (4-23.9 mo) 0.0 (0.3, p=0.5), 4-11.9 mo -0.6 (0.4, p=0.9), 12-17.9 mo 0.9 (0.4, p=0.02), 18-23.9 mo 0.3 (0.5, p=0.26) 12-23.9 mo 0.6 (0.4, p=0.08); All (24-41.9 mo) 0.4 (0.3, p=0.09), 24-29.9 mo 0.4 (0.3, p=0.09), 30-35.9 mo 0.3 (0.5, p=0.25), 36-41.9 mo 0.4 (0.4, p=0.17) |   
| Puettt (2018)   | Cost transfer ratio (CTR) and total cost transfer ratio (TCTR)  
Cost-efficiency including cost per household and cost per beneficiary (in USD; societal perspective, inclusive and exclusive of transfer value)  
Cost-transfer ratio: societal perspective 0.82, institutional perspective 0.70  
Total cost-transfer ratio: societal perspective 1.82, institutional perspective 1.70  
Cost-efficiency per household: societal perspective: including transfer value $413, excluding transfer value $186  
Cost-efficiency per beneficiary: societal perspective: including transfer value $393, excluding transfer value $177 | Moderate
| Shen (2020)     | Cost-effectiveness for primary stunting outcome (including LTFU): total cost per enrolled child  
Cost-effectiveness for the primary wasting outcome (excluding LTFU): total cost per enrolled child  
Cost-effectiveness for the primary stunting outcome: mean (uncertainty range), results in 2018 USD  
**Total cost per enrolled child, base case program perspective**: CSB+ w/ oil 126.6 (117.3-135.9), CSWB w/ oil 145.7 (143.1-148.2), SC+ 236.8 (216.2-257.5), RUSF 254.3 (237.4-271.3)  
**Total cost per enrolled child, caregiver perspective**: CSB+ w/ oil 206.5 (175.4-237.5), CSWB w/ oil 222.8 (201.0-244.5), SC+ 218.9 (167.0-270.7), RUSF 148.3 (NA)  
**Total cost per enrolled child, program and caregiver perspective**: CSB+ w/ oil 333.1 (292.7-373.5), CSWB w/ oil 368.5 (344.2-392.7), SC+ 455.7 (383.2-528.2), RUSF 402.7 (385.7-419.6)  
**Total cost per enrolled child, donor perspective**: CSB+ w/ oil 104.3 (94.9-113.6), CSWB w/ oil 125.6 (123.1-128.2), SC+ 217.4 (196.7-238.0), RUSF 232.4 (215.4-249.3)  
**Cost-effectiveness for the primary wasting outcome**: mean (uncertainty range)  
**Total cost per enrolled child, base case program perspective**: CSB+ w/ oil 121.6 (112.8-130.5), CSWB w/ oil 139.7 (137.2-142.1), SC+ 226.3 (206.7-245.9), RUSF 245.0 (228.7-261.2)  
**Total cost per enrolled child, caregiver perspective (USD 2018)**: CSB+ w/ oil 195.4 (166.0-224.8), CSWB w/ oil 210.7 (190.1-231.3), SC+ 207.5 (158.4-256.7), RUSF 142.2  
**Total cost per enrolled child, program and caregiver perspective**: CSB+ w/ oil 317.1 (278.8-355.3), CSWB w/ oil 350.4 (327.4-373.3), SC+ 433.8 (365.0-502.5), RUSF 387.2 (370.9-403.4)  
**Total cost per enrolled child, donor perspective**: CSB+ w/ oil 100.7 (91.8-109.5), CSWB w/ oil 120.5 (118.1-122.9), SC+ 207.7 (188.1-227.3), RUSF 224.0 (207.8-240.2) | Unclear

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<td>Sibson (2018)</td>
<td>• Prevalence of global acute malnutrition (GAM) in children aged 6-59 months • Secondary outcomes: ◦ Prevalence of MUAC &lt;12.5 cm and/or edema in children 6-59 mos ◦ Prevalence of stunting ◦ Mean WHZ in children 6-59 mos ◦ Mean MUAC in children 6-59 months ◦ Mean HAZ ◦ Mean 30-day HH expenditure ◦ Household dietary diversity score (HDDS) ◦ Individual dietary diversity score in children 24-59 mos</td>
<td><strong>GAM prevalence:</strong> 0.96 (0.67-1.38, p=0.826) <strong>% low MUAC:</strong> 0.89 (0.39-2.03, p=0.773) <strong>% stunting:</strong> 1.36 (0.98-1.89, p=0.066) <strong>Mean WHZ:</strong> 0.00 (-0.09 to 0.09, p=0.984) <strong>Mean MUAC:</strong> -0.85 (-2.24 to 0.55, p=0.236) <strong>Mean HAZ:</strong> -0.04 (-0.09 to 0.02, p=0.189) <strong>Differences associated with modified intervention:</strong> Mean 30-day HH expenditure: -1.56 (-5.48 to 2.35, p=0.414) HDDS: 0.29 (-0.20 to 0.78, p=0.229) Individual dietary diversity score: -0.03 (-0.59 to 0.52, p=0.904)</td>
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<td>Simonyan (2020)</td>
<td>• Stunting: adjusted odds ratio (program communities vs. no program) • Anaemia: adjusted odds ratio (program communities vs. no program) • Wasting prevalence • Breastfeeding duration • Minimum dietary diversity</td>
<td><strong>Stunting:</strong> 1.92 (95% CI 1.13-3.26, p&lt;0.05) <strong>Anaemia:</strong> 0.24 (95% CI 0.16-0.36, p&lt;0.001) <strong>Wasting prevalence:</strong> baseline 2.0, endline 4.8 (p=0.07) <strong>Breastfeeding duration:</strong> baseline 13.0, endline 11.5 months (p=0.002) <strong>Minimum dietary diversity:</strong> baseline 68.06, endline 79.02 (p=0.001)</td>
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| Stark (2015) | • School enrolment (children ≤ 18 years of age)  
• Clinic access (how often and under what financial circumstances accessed)  
• Diet (number of meals per day = 3 vs. 2)  
• Childcare | **Adjusted odds ratios (95% CI):**  
**School enrolment:** 0.880 (0.399-1.942, p=0.75)  
**Clinic access - no money to take child to clinic:** 1.614 (0.818-3.181, p=0.17)  
**Diet (3 vs. 2 meals per day):** 1.138 (0.484-2.678, p=0.77)  
**Childcare (no one vs. someone):** no adjusted OR reported since intervention = 100% | Unclear |
| Style (2017) | • Anaemia prevalence (% Hb<11g/dL): odds ratio, endline compared to baseline  
• Mean Hb (g/dL): difference between baseline and endline  
• Stunting (HAZ <-2): adjusted odds ratio, endline compared to baseline | **(95% CI):**  
**Anaemia prevalence:** children 6-23 months Dagahaley 0.65 (0.41-1.02, p=0.06), Hagadera 0.40 (0.25-0.62, p<0.01), Ifo 0.52 (0.32-0.84, p=0.01), Kakuma 0.33 (0.17-0.64, p<0.01); children 6-59 months Dagahaley 0.53 (0.36-0.76, p<0.01), Hagadera 0.35 (0.25-0.50, p<0.01), Ifo 0.55 (0.38-0.80, p<0.01), Kakuma 0.30 (0.20-0.46, p<0.01)  
**Mean Hb:** children 6-23 months Dagahaley 0.47 (0.19-0.75, p<0.01), Hagadera 0.94 (0.60-1.28, p<0.01), Ifo 0.63 (0.27-1.00, p<0.01), Kakuma 0.98 (0.55-1.41, p<0.01); children 6-59 months Dagahaley 0.60 (0.36-0.85, p<0.01), Hagadera 0.90 (0.63-1.17, p<0.01), Ifo 0.58 (0.30-0.87, p<0.01), Kakuma 1.05 (0.73-1.37, p<0.01)  
**Stunting:** children 6-23 months Dagahaley 0.88 (0.46-1.71, p=0.70), Hagadera 0.63 (0.41-0.97, p=0.04), Ifo 1.03 (0.60-1.78, p=0.90), Kakuma 1.61 (0.89-2.91, p=0.10); children 6-59 months Dagahaley 0.98 (0.63-1.54, p=0.9), Hagadera 0.58 (0.43-0.80, p<0.01), Ifo 0.92 (0.59-1.43, p=0.7), Kakuma 1.32 (0.87-1.99, p=0.2) | Unclear |
| Talley (2013) | • Mean weight-for-age z-score (WAZ)  
• Prevalence of underweight (WAZ > –3 to < –2) | **Mean WAZ:** all infants 21.41 (SD 1.82), infants 0-5 mos 21.80, infants 6-11 mos 21.23 (0-5 mos vs 6-11 mo p=0.001)  
**Prevalence of underweight:** all infants 14.8%, infants 0-5 mos 12.2%, infants 6-11 mos 20.5% | Unclear |
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| Tondeur (2016) | • Acceptability: % of participants who liked product, reported it was easy to use, prefer to stop taking it, and who shared sachets during test  
• Product adherence at mid-point  
• Product consumption | **Acceptability:** n/N (%), *p<0.05 at endline  
**Participants who liked the nutrition product:** LNS (children) mid-point 115/122 (94.3%), endline 120/122* (98.4%); MNP (children) mid-point 80/98 (81.6%), endline 83/91 (91.2%); MNP (PLW) mid-point 93/102 (91.2%), endline 94/104* (90.4%)  
**Participants reporting that the product was easy to use:** LNS (children) mid-point 116/121 (95.9%), endline 115/121 (95.0%); MNP (children) mid-point 81/89 (91.0%), endline 83/91 (91.2%); MNP (PLW) mid-point 77/87 (88.5%), endline 104/109 (95.4%)  
**Participants who would prefer to stop taking the product:** LNS (children) mid-point 3/120 (2.5%), endline 7/121 (5.7%); MNP (children) mid-point 11/102 (10.8%), endline 9/107 (8.4%); MNP (PLW) mid-point 8/95 (8.4%), endline 11/111 (9.9%)  
**Participants who shared sachets during the test:** LNS (children) mid-point 10/122 (8.2%), endline 8/120 (6.7%); MNP (children) mid-point 9/98 (9.2%), endline 5/106 (4.7%); MNP (PLW) endline 2/104 (1.9%)  
**Product adherence at mid-point:** n (%), *p<0.001  
LNS (children) poor 9 (8.2%), moderate 3* (2.7%), good 98* (89.1%); MNP (children) poor 3 (3.9%), moderate 23 (30.3%), good 50 (65.8%); MNP (PLW) poor 3 (3.8%), moderate 31 (39.2%), good 45 (57.0%)  
**Product consumption:** median (IQR), *p<0.001  
LNS (children) mid-point 15* (14-15), endline 30* (28-30); MNP (children) mid-point 13 (9-15), endline 23 (18-28); MNP (PLW) mid-point 11 (9-15), endline 25 (15-28) | Unclear |
| Trenouth (2018) | • Cost-efficiency: cost per beneficiary HH, and total cost transfer ratios (TCTR)  
• Cost-effectiveness: Incremental cost per child receiving intervention (USD), incremental cost-effectiveness ratio (ICER) ($ per case of wasting/stunting averted) | **TCTR, gross transfer:** DC 1.62, SC 2.20, FFV 2.51  
**TCTR, net transfer (gross transfer minus cost to beneficiaries):** DC 1.82, SC 2.82, FFV 2.73  
**ICER, $/case of wasting averted:** DC $4865, SC & FFV not reported  
**ICER, $/case of stunting averted:** DC $1290, SC $882, FFV $883 | Low |

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| Yang (2015)                                                                 | **Exclusive breastfeeding duration (months):** >= 4 mos baseline 16.0%, endline 9.0%; 4-6 mos baseline 22.9%, endline 23.2%; 6-12 mos baseline 50.2%, endline 56.4%; >=12 mos baseline 10.8%, endline 11.4%  
Adding cereal-based complementary foods between 4 and 6 months: baseline 47.6%, endline 60.6%  
Adding meat at 6 months: baseline 56.9%, endline 94.4%  
Parents/caregivers gave the homemade cereal porridge and thought it better than the market sold one: baseline 85.2%, endline 35.5%  
Parents/caregivers did not know anaemia: baseline 67.0%, endline 60.5%  
Parents/caregivers knew iron deficiency was main cause of anaemia: baseline 33.0%, endline 39.5%  
Parents/caregivers knew foods that could prevent anaemia: baseline 38.3%, endline 44.2%  
**Haemoglobin in mg/L:** mean (SD) baseline 118.77 (10.52), endline 122.03 (9.93) (p<0.001)  
Anaemia prevalence: baseline 12.4%, endline 7.8% (p<0.001) | Low |
## ANNEX 9: STUDY DESIGN AND OUTCOMES OF SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH INTERVENTION STUDIES

### Study Design of Nutrition Intervention Studies in Humanitarian Crisis Settings, 2013-2021 (n=34)

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Crisis type: Armed conflict  
Context type: Camp  
Population: Internally displaced  | **Description**: Interpersonal communication and mass education campaigns to promote reproductive healthcare service use  
**Implementation site**: Community-based  
**Personnel type(s)**: Lay personnel - community health workers  
**Part of broader program**: No | **Study design**: Observational (baseline and endline surveys)  
**Study duration**: 4 years  
**Sample description**: Women with pregnancy in previous 2 years  
**Sample size**: 640 enrolled; 640 analysed |
| Alkoudsi (2019) | Country: Jordan and Syria, regional sample  
Crisis type: Armed conflict  
Context type: Non-camp (urban)  
Population: Emergency affected (non-displaced), general population | **Description**: Pharmaceutical care service for polycystic ovarian syndrome (PCOS)  
**Implementation site**: Facility-based - pharmacies only  
**Personnel type(s)**: Health professional cadre - pharmacists  
**Part of broader program**: No | **Study design**: Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration**: 4 months  
**Sample description**: Women diagnosed with PCOS  
**Sample size**: 125 enrolled (63 intervention, 62 control); 118 analysed (60 intervention, 58 control) |
| Amsalu (2020)  | Country: Somalia, regional sample  
Crisis type: Armed conflict  
Context type: Non-camp (urban)  
Population: Host community, internally displaced | **Description**: 8-day essential newborn care course addressing recommendations in the Newborn Health in Humanitarian Settings: Field Guide, with 5-day refresher course at 6 months, supply provision and installation of newborn register  
**Implementation site**: Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s)**: Health professional cadre - registered nurses and midwives  
**Part of broader program**: No | **Study design**: Observational (interrupted time series)  
**Study duration**: 29 months  
**Sample description**: Pregnant women who sought childbirth care at a study facility  
**Sample size**: Women who sought child-birth care: 525 enrolled, 419 analysed; healthcare workers: 12 enrolled, 10 analysed |
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<td>Host community</td>
<td>Satellite/mobile clinics, referral services, ambulance services, and community health service workers</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - doctors and other clinic staff, community health workers</td>
<td>Yes - Chittagong Hill Tracts Development Facility (CHTDF) multi-sector program</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)</td>
<td>5 years</td>
<td>Households with women of reproductive age</td>
<td>3,664 enrolled (2,192 intervention, 694 control); 778 analysed (584 treatment, 194 control)</td>
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<td>Boddam-Whetham (2016)</td>
<td>Pakistan and Yemen, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban and rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Voucher program to subsidize long-acting reversible contraceptives (LARCs) and permanent methods (PMs) of family planning</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - voucher distributors</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>1 year</td>
<td>Married women of reproductive age, targeted with means testing of socioeconomic status</td>
<td>595,078 analysed (Yemen 120,478, Pakistan 474,600)</td>
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<td>Buller (2016)</td>
<td>Ecuador, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Host community, refugee</td>
<td>6-month food assistance program (cash assistance, food vouchers, and food transfers)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods (sequential explanatory study building on prior randomized controlled trial)</td>
<td>21 months</td>
<td>Men and women beneficiaries (primary target women in a relationship meeting poverty threshold)</td>
<td>Quantitative study - 1,413 enrolled, 1,226 analysed; qualitative study - 48 in-depth interviews, 8 focus group discussions (52 participants)</td>
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<td><strong>Description:</strong> Psychosocial support intervention that consisted of support groups and home visits  <strong>Implementation site:</strong> Community-based  <strong>Personnel type(s):</strong> Health professional cadre - psychosocial workers trained by clinical psychologist  <strong>Part of broader program:</strong> Yes - psychosocial and mental health intervention</td>
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<td><strong>Study design:</strong> Observational (single arm pre-post study)  <strong>Study duration:</strong> 5 months  <strong>Sample description:</strong> Pregnant refugee women in 4th-6th month of pregnancy  <strong>Sample size:</strong> 260 enrolled (130 Kutupalong, 130 Nayapara); size of analysed sample not specified</td>
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<td>Coskun (2020)</td>
<td><strong>Country:</strong> Turkey, regional sample  <strong>Crisis type:</strong> Armed conflict  <strong>Context type:</strong> Non-camp (urban)  <strong>Population:</strong> Host community, refugee</td>
<td><strong>Description:</strong> TORCH infection screening during pregnancy  <strong>Implementation site:</strong> Facility-based  <strong>Personnel type(s):</strong> Not specified  <strong>Part of broader program:</strong> No</td>
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<td><strong>Study design:</strong> Economic evaluation  <strong>Study duration:</strong> 27 months  <strong>Sample description:</strong> Pregnant women not serologically tested for TORCH infections before 10th week of pregnancy  <strong>Sample size:</strong> 9,754 (1,333 Syrian refugee women, 8,421 Turkish women)</td>
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<td>Deboutte (2013)</td>
<td><strong>Country:</strong> Democratic Republic of Congo, regional sample  <strong>Crisis type:</strong> Armed conflict  <strong>Context type:</strong> Non-camp (rural)  <strong>Population:</strong> Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td><strong>Description:</strong> Provision of emergency obstetric care (EmOC), including Caesarean sections  <strong>Implementation site:</strong> Facility-based  <strong>Personnel type(s):</strong> Health professional cadre - health workers trained in anaesthesia, obstetric surgery, and pre- and post-operative care  <strong>Part of broader program:</strong> No</td>
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<td><strong>Study design:</strong> Economic evaluation (within a case-control study)  <strong>Study duration:</strong> 7 months  <strong>Sample description:</strong> Women who delivered by C-section at a study facility, matched to women who delivered vaginally  <strong>Sample size:</strong> 368 enrolled (178 intervention, 180 control); 368 analysed</td>
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<td><strong>Description:</strong> 3 strategies for prevention of Hepatitis B Virus (HBV) transmission, with universal HBV vaccination of infants in all options: 1. vaccine only, 2. HBIG after positive maternal rapid diagnostic test (RDT), 3. HBIG after positive maternal confirmatory test  <strong>Implementation site:</strong> Facility-based  <strong>Personnel type(s):</strong> Not specified  <strong>Part of broader program:</strong> Yes - provision of antenatal, obstetric, paediatric and general medical care</td>
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<td><strong>Study design:</strong> Economic evaluation (cost-effectiveness analysis)  <strong>Study duration:</strong> 2 years  <strong>Sample description:</strong> Pregnant women at clinic sites  <strong>Sample size:</strong> 7,071</td>
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<td>Doocy (2020)</td>
<td>Somalia, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict, environmental disaster</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced), internally displaced</td>
<td>Assessment of 2 independent, targeted food assistance interventions implemented in parallel: provision of paper food vouchers or combination of in-kind food, food e-vouchers, and unrestricted cash</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental</td>
<td>5 months</td>
<td>Pregnant and lactating women (PLW) meeting vulnerability criteria; study locations selected based on security and caseload</td>
<td>514 PLW enrolled (166 paper vouchers, 288 mixed transfers, 60 non-assistance group); 490 analysed (162 paper vouchers, 269 mixed transfers, 59 non-assistance group)</td>
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<td>Draiko (2021)</td>
<td>South Sudan, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Application of chlorhexidine gel to umbilical cord stumps</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - community health workers</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental</td>
<td>10 months</td>
<td>Pregnant women in 2nd or 3rd trimester</td>
<td>2,650 pregnant women enrolled (1,520 treatment, 1,075 control); 1,790 neonates enrolled and analysed (968 treatment, 822 control)</td>
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<td>Afghanistan, regional sample</td>
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<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Standardized training and supportive supervision package aimed at improving existing community health worker (CHW) capacity to provide maternal and neonatal home visits and behaviour change communication messages</td>
<td>System-level</td>
<td>Lay personnel - community health workers</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental</td>
<td>12 months</td>
<td>Random selection of villages and households</td>
<td>1,408 women enrolled (709 intervention, 699 control); 1,378 analysed (689 intervention, 689 control)</td>
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<td>Conditional cash transfer (CCT) program in which community health workers (CHWs) receive financial incentives to visit pregnant women at home and assist them to health facilities for delivery, and women receive financial incentives if they deliver at a facility</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - community health workers</td>
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<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Maternal and child health mobile health teams (MHTs) providing primary care services to pregnant and postpartum women and children under 5</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - midwives, vaccinators, and nurses</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Observational (cross-sectional, population-based evaluation study)</td>
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<td>Foster (2017)</td>
<td>Myanmar and Thailand, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp and non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Migrant, refugee</td>
<td>Establishment of 2 provider networks (including training, technical assistance, supply of medication and logistical support) to provide information about misoprostol and free medication for self-management of abortion</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - physicians, social workers, other health workers</td>
<td>No</td>
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<td>Gallagher (2019)</td>
<td>Democratic Republic of Congo, Somalia, and Yemen, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict, environmental disaster, outbreak</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Service approach based on The Essential Elements of Postabortion Care as developed by the PAC Consortium: community mobilization, strengthening provider counselling, treatment of abortion complications, provision of voluntary contraceptive services, and referrals as needed</td>
<td>Community-based, facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - healthcare workers, community health workers (CHWs)</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>5 years</td>
<td>Women in need of postabortion care</td>
<td>Baseline 1,413 women (812 DRC, 11 Somalia, 590 Yemen); endline 3,640 women (1,412 DRC, 1,065 Somalia, 1,163 Yemen)</td>
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<td>Gibbs (2020)</td>
<td>Afghanistan, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Intervention - 12-month women’s economic and social empowerment program with 90-180 minutes of programming weekly addressing numeracy, business skills, social empowerment topics, vocational training, money saving options, and referrals to services, as well as a monthly $10 cash stipend Control - $10 for each quantitative interview completed</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial (individual randomized)</td>
<td>27 months</td>
<td>Women aged 18-45, overemphasis on married women</td>
<td>1,461 enrolled (747 intervention, 714 control); 1,210 analysed (673 intervention, 537 control)</td>
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<td>Glass (2019)</td>
<td>Somalia, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict, environmental disaster</td>
<td>Host community, internally displaced</td>
<td>Communities Care program strengthens community-based services for survivors of gender-based violence (GBV) and seeks to affect social norms that maintain and tolerate GBV</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - healthcare workers not specified, trained community members</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial (cluster randomized)</td>
<td>Approximately 24 months</td>
<td>Female and male community members 15 years and older</td>
<td>387 baseline (192 intervention, 195 control); 330 endline (163 intervention, 167 control)</td>
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| **Gupta (2013)** | **Country:** Cote d'Ivoire, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Intervention - Gender dialogue groups (GDG) for women and their partners aiming to change gender norms, added to a women's economic empowerment program (VSLA)  
Control - participation in VSLA program only  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel - NGO field agents  
**Part of broader program:** Yes | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial (cluster randomized)  
**Study duration:** 2 years  
**Sample description:** Women 18 years and older, only partnered women included in analysis  
**Sample size:** 1,198 enrolled (548 intervention, 650 control); 934 analysed (513 intervention, 421 control) |
| **Hashmi (2019)** | **Country:** Thailand, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp (rural)  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** Monthly household visits by a nurse with mother-infant pairs when infant was 3-9 months old, with assessment of appropriate infant feeding and WaSH practices as well as counselling on appropriate behaviours via 'The Healthy Baby Flipbook'  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - nurse  
**Part of broader program:** Yes | **Study design:** Observational (cohort study)  
**Study duration:** 6 months  
**Sample description:** Mother-infant pairs with term, healthy infants aged 2 months  
**Sample size:** 20 mother-infant pairs |
| **Hossain (2014)** | **Country:** Cote d'Ivoire, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Men & Women in Partnership Initiative, 16-session curriculum for Men's Discussion Groups designed to reduce overall levels of partner violence  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Not specified - group facilitators  
**Part of broader program:** Yes | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial (cluster randomized)  
**Study duration:** 18 months  
**Sample description:** Male community members 15 years and older, females with a participating male partner  
**Sample size:** 361 men enrolled (174 intervention, 187 control); 255 women enrolled (106 intervention, 149 control); 316 men analysed (159 intervention, 157 control); 244 women analysed (115 intervention, 129 control) |
| Khan (2017) | **Country:** Pakistan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced), internally displaced | **Description:** Intervention - 2 interactive psychoeducation sessions with pregnant women and their families, “Happy Mother, Healthy Child in Ten Steps,” in addition to routine visits  
Control - routine visits only  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel - Lady Health Workers (LHWs)  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Mixed methods  
**Study duration:** 4 months  
**Sample description:** Pregnant women experiencing psychological distress  
**Sample size:** 81 enrolled (42 intervention, 39 control); 71 analysed (34 intervention, 37 control) |
| LeRoux (2020) | **Country:** Democratic Republic of Congo, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Capacity-building intervention seeking to mobilize, train and equip faith leaders to address root causes of violence against women and girls (VAWG) from a faith perspective  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel - religious leaders and gender champions  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational (pre-post descriptive evaluation with randomization within intervention area)  
**Study duration:** 29 months  
**Sample description:** Men and women from randomly selected households  
**Sample size:** 751 baseline respondents (387 women, 364 men); 1,198 endline respondents (601 women, 597 men) |
| Logie (2014) | **Country:** Haiti, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Environmental disaster  
**Context type:** Camp and non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Internally displaced | **Description:** FASY (Women Taking Action for Their Health) psychoeducational HIV/STI prevention sessions based on content from the Population Council's All in One Curriculum: A Unified Approach to Sexuality, Gender, HIV and Human Rights Education  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel - community health workers (CHWs)  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Quasi-experimental (cohort study)  
**Study duration:** 4 months  
**Sample description:** Women over 18 years old  
**Sample size:** 200 enrolled; 176 analysed |
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| Murray (2018) | Democratic Republic of Congo, regional sample | Armed conflict | Non-camp (rural) | Emergency affected (non-displaced) | Intervention - 12 sessions of cognitive processing therapy (CPT) (1 individual and 11 group), including psychoeducation and cognitive restructuring for survivors of rape  
Control - individual supportive counselling | Randomized controlled trial (cluster randomized) | 405 enrolled (157 intervention, 248 control); 405 analysed | Women who witnessed or experienced sexual violence, experiencing poor mental health and some impairment in daily functioning |
| Parr (2014) | Thailand, regional sample | Armed conflict | Camp and non-camp (rural) | Migrant, refugee | Efforts to change nuchal cord management during delivery by multi-stage interventions by doctor and registered midwife providing education and clinical support to skilled birth attendants (SBAs) | Mixed methods (retrospective cohort study of birth data, knowledge survey and semi-structured interviews with SBAs) | 4,270 births; 5 interviews and 26 knowledge surveys | Birth records for normal singletons born >= 28 weeks gestation between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2013; SBAs at study sites |
| Stark (2018) | Democratic Republic of Congo, regional sample | Armed conflict | Non-camp (rural) | Emergency affected (non-displaced) | Intervention - Creating Opportunities through Mentorship, Parental Involvement, and Safe Spaces (COMPASS) programming with 32 life skills sessions for adolescent girls and 13 caregiver sessions  
Control - 32 life skills sessions | Randomized controlled trial (cluster randomized) | 869 girls and 764 caregivers (intervention 446 girls and 389 caregivers, control 423 girls and 375 caregivers); intention-to-treat (ITT) analysis 869 girls and 764 caregivers (intervention 446 girls and 389 caregivers, control 423 girls and 375 caregivers); treatment non-per protocol intervention 266 girls and 201 caregivers; treatment per protocol intervention 180 girls and 188 caregivers | Adolescent girls age 10-14 and caregiver of their choosing |
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<td>Camp and non-camp (rural)</td>
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<td>Community-based participatory action plan including an awareness and education campaign regarding preconception folate supplementation to for neural tube defect (NTD) prevention</td>
<td>Community-based, facility-based</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>21 months</td>
<td>Women pregnant or within 2 months postpartum</td>
<td>371 baseline; 307 endline</td>
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<td>Tran (2021)</td>
<td>Democratic Republic of Congo, Nigeria, and Uganda, regional sample</td>
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<td>Camp (rural) and non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>Clinical Outreach Refresher Training Strategy for sexual and reproductive health (S-CORT), designed to update health providers’ competencies on uterine evacuation using both medications and manual vacuum aspiration</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Unspecified - NGO trainer</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>4 months</td>
<td>Clinical and programmatic staff at partnering organizations’ sites</td>
<td>72 enrolled (21 Uganda, 21 Nigeria, 30 DRC); 65 analysed (18 Uganda, 20 Nigeria, 27 DRC)</td>
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<td>Development and utilization of curriculum content and apprenticeship model for competency-based skilled birth attendant (SBA) training, including a train-the-trainer component</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - SBA</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>6 years</td>
<td>Students participating in training program, SBAs supervising students</td>
<td>88 students enrolled, 88 analysed; qualitative sample of 5 SBAs, 3 teachers</td>
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| **Wirtz (2016)** | **Country:** Colombia and Ethiopia, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp (urban) and non-camp (rural and urban)  
**Population:** Internally displaced, refugee | **Description:** Development and validation of Assessment Screen to Identify Survivors Toolkit for Gender Based Violence (ASIST-GBV) screening tool that strengthens early identification of survivors to connect them to services  
**Implementation site:** System-level  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - nurses  
**Part of broader program:** Yes | **Study design:** Mixed methods (exploratory sequential design)  
**Study duration:** 3 years  
**Sample description:** Ethiopia - female refugees 15 years and older; Colombia - female IDPs 18 years and older  
**Sample size:** 487 women in Ethiopia, 511 women in Colombia |
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| Adam (2015)   | Women’s awareness regarding the existence of antenatal care (ANC) and tetanus toxoid (TT) vaccination services  
- Women attending >=3 ANC visits  
- Women receiving >=3 TT vaccination doses  
- Institutional delivery  
- Women attending >=1 postnatal care (PNC) visit | **Adjusted odds ratio (95% CI):**  
**Awareness of ANC services:** 18.6 (13.1-26.5, p<0.001)  
**Awareness of TT vaccination services:** 3.2 (2.4-4.4, p<0.001)  
**Women attending >=3 ANC visits:** 8.8 (8.4-12.0, p<0.001)  
**Women receiving >=3 TT vaccination doses:** 2.5 (1.9-3.3, p<0.001)  
**Institutional delivery:** 5.4 (4.0-7.4, p<0.001)  
**Women attending >=1 PNC visit:** 5.5 (4.0-7.7, p<0.001) | Low |
| Alkoudsi (2019) | Change in PCOSQ quality of life (QOL) aggregate and 7-section mean score by country  
- QOL score differences by country and group type: multivariable regression analysis | **Change in QOL aggregate mean score (SD):** Syria: intervention 17.5 (11.1), control -1.79 (8.85) (p = 0.00); Jordan: intervention 13.5 (12.7), control -2.92 (8.40) (p<0.001)  
**Change in QOL 7-section mean score (SD):** Syria: intervention 3.49 (2.66), control -0.44 (2.17) (p = 0.00); Jordan: intervention 3.15 (3.03), control -0.79 (2.16) (p<0.001)  
**QOL score differences:** beta 0.490 (p<0.001) | Low |
| Amsalu (2020)  | Composite outcome: proportion of newborns who received essential newborn care practices (skin-to-skin contact, early breastfeeding, dry cord care)  
- Proportion of newborns who received early initiation of breastfeeding, thermal care (immediate drying, skin-to-skin contact, delayed bathing),  
- Knowledge test score: posttraining to pretraining +11.9% (7.2-16.6, p<0.001), 18-month to posttraining +10.9% (4.7-17.0, p<0.001)  
- Accurate completion of partograph: posttraining to pretraining +68.5% (52.7-84.3, p<0.001), 18-month to posttraining -30.3% (-13.5 to -47.1, p=0.002)  
- Skills in newborn resuscitation with bag and mask: posttraining to pretraining +65.1% (53.4-76.7, p<0.001), 18-month to posttraining +0.4% (-6.6 to 7.4, p=0.903) | **(95% CI):**  
**Odds of receiving 2 or more essential newborn care practices:** 64.5 (15.8-262.6, p<0.001)  
**Odds of receiving 3 essential newborn care practices:** 220.0 (33.7-1443.0, p<0.001)  
**Odds of receiving early initiation of breastfeeding:** 10.6 (1.6-69.8, p=0.014)  
**Odds of receiving thermal care:** 28.4 (8.0-100.9, p<0.001)  
**Odds of receiving clean childbirth practices:** 11.1 (2.6-46.6, p=0.001)  
**Knowledge test score:** posttraining to pretraining +11.9% (7.2-16.6, p<0.001), 18-month to posttraining +10.9% (4.7-17.0, p<0.001)  
**Accurate completion of partograph:** posttraining to pretraining +68.5% (52.7-84.3, p<0.001), 18-month to posttraining -30.3% (-13.5 to -47.1, p=0.002)  
**Skills in newborn resuscitation with bag and mask:** posttraining to pretraining +65.1% (53.4-76.7, p<0.001), 18-month to posttraining +0.4% (-6.6 to 7.4, p=0.903) | Low |
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| Badiuzzaman (2020) | • clean childbirth practices (visibly clean delivery bed, handwashing and glove wearing by attendant, use of sterile delivery kit, dry cord care)
• Health worker knowledge and skills (mean score difference from posttraining to pretraining and 18-month follow-up to posttraining): knowledge test score, accurate completion of partograph, skills in newborn resuscitation with bag and mask |
| | (SE): ANC check-up received: overall 0.18 (0.09, p<0.1), without experience of conflict 0.19 (0.10, p<0.1), with experience of conflict 0.04 (0.20), without fear of conflict 0.16 (0.12), with fear of conflict 0.17 (0.10), Bengali 0.18 (0.12), Indigenous 0.24 (0.13, p<0.1) Delivery attended by trained provider: overall 0.16 (0.15), without experience of conflict 0.10 (0.18), with experience of conflict 0.44 (0.14, p<0.05), without fear of conflict 0.40 (0.19, p<0.1), with fear of conflict -0.01 (0.13), Bengali 0.17 (0.24), Indigenous 0.15 (0.16) Delivery at a health facility: overall 0.23 (0.08, p<0.01), without experience of conflict 0.26 (0.09, p<0.01), with experience of conflict 0.23 (0.10, p<0.05), without fear of conflict 0.37 (0.12, p<0.01), with fear of conflict 0.11 (0.06, p<0.1), Bengali 0.18 (0.14), Indigenous 0.24 (0.12, p<0.1) |
| Boddam-Whetham (2016) | • % difference between expected and actual women choosing LARC (implants, IUD) or PM (female sterilization) through voucher redemption, by country
• Voucher redemption rate |
| | % difference between expected and actual women choosing LARCs or PMs through vouchers: Yemen +38.2%, Pakistan +1,041%
% difference between expected and actual women choosing implants through vouchers: Yemen +133.3%, Pakistan +1,242%
% difference between expected and actual women choosing IUDs through vouchers: Yemen +46.6%, Pakistan +2,874%
% difference between expected and actual women choosing female sterilization through vouchers: Yemen -83.0%, Pakistan -47%
Voucher redemption rate: Pakistan 87.7% |
| | Unclear |

Annex 9: Study Design and Outcomes of Sexual and Reproductive Health Intervention Studies
### Impact of pooled treatment on disputes and disagreements

**Impact of pooled treatment on locus of control and happiness**

- Agreement with statement "My life is determined by my own actions":
  - Overall 0.02 (0.02), bottom 2 quartiles 0.05 (0.02, p<0.05), top 2 quartiles -0.01 (0.03)
- Agreement with statement "I have the power to make important decisions that change the course of my life":
  - Overall 0.04 (0.03), bottom 2 quartiles 0.07 (0.04, p<0.01), top 2 quartiles -0.00 (0.03)
- Agreement with statement "I am capable of protecting my own interests":
  - Overall 0.04 (0.02, p<0.05), bottom 2 quartiles 0.05 (0.03, p<0.1), top 2 quartiles 0.03 (0.02)
- Agreement with statement "I am satisfied with my life":
  - Overall 0.01 (0.03), bottom 2 quartiles -0.00 (0.04), top 2 quartiles 0.02 (0.03)
- Agreement with statement "I am very happy":
  - Overall 0.03 (0.02), bottom 2 quartiles 0.06 (0.02, p<0.01), top 2 quartiles -0.00 (0.03)

### Impact of pooled treatment on health and nutritional knowledge

- Baby should start breastfeeding immediately 0.02 (0.03), complementary feeding starts at 6 months 0.04 (0.03), year-old baby should eat different foods -0.03 (0.03), can name at least 1 source of iron-rich food 0.13 (0.02, p<0.01), can name at least 1 source of vitamin A-rich food 0.15 (0.03, p<0.01), can name at least 1 way to safely treat water for drinking 0.00 (0.01)

### Impact of pooled treatment on group participation in the last 6 months

- Agriculture association, union or cooperative -0.03 (0.02, p<0.1), religious or spiritual group -0.00 (0.03), community or neighbourhood association -0.00 (0.04), political group or movement -0.01 (0.01), non-governmental organisation, education, cultural or other group 0.13 (0.04, p<0.01)

### Protective pathways

- Reduced day-to-day conflict and stress in the couple; improved family well-being and happiness; women's decision-making ability, self-confidence, and freedom of movement

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Buller (2016)

- Impact of pooled treatment on disputes and disagreements
- Impact of pooled treatment on locus of control and happiness, by food security quartiles
- Impact of pooled treatment on health and nutritional knowledge
- Impact of pooled treatment on group participation
- Protective pathways by which food transfers may reduce intimate partner violence (IPV)
| Corna (2019) | General mental health by mini-mental state examination (MMSE)  
Self-esteem by Rosenberg’s Self-Esteem scale  
Depression by Center of Epidemiologic Studies Depression Scale (CES-D; subdomains include depressed mood, guilt/worthlessness, helplessness/hopelessness, lethargy/fatigue, loss of appetite and sleep disturbance)  
Caregiver skills by Knowledge Attitude Practices Questionnaire: self-care during pregnancy, pregnancy and delivery care, feeding practices and newborn care, access to resources for care, child development and psychosocial stimulation | **Mean difference by camp (95% CI):**  
**MMSE:** Kutupalong 21.5 (20.3-22.4, p<0.001), Nayapara 23.1 (21.8-24.4, p<0.001)  
**Self-esteem:** Kutupalong 2.8 (1.5-4.2, p<0.001), Nayapara 1.5 (0.5-2.5, p<0.001)  
**Depression:** Kutupalong -9.9 (-15.4 to -4.4, p<0.001), Nayapara -0.7 (-6.0 to 4.5)  
**Self-care:** Kutupalong 6.1 (5.6-6.7, p<0.001), Nayapara 2.8 (2.3-3.4, p<0.001)  
**Pregnancy and delivery care:** Kutupalong 8.4 (7.5-9.2, p<0.001), Nayapara 5.4 (4.5-6.3, p<0.001)  
**Feeding practices and newborn care:** Kutupalong 2.0 (1.6-2.4, p<0.001), Nayapara 2.5 (2.1-2.9, p<0.001)  
**Resources for care:** Kutupalong 0.4 (-0.1 to 0.7), Nayapara 0.45 (0.2-0.8, p<0.01)  
**Child development and psychosocial stimulation:** Kutupalong 8.4 (5.4-11.3, p<0.001), Nayapara 10.7 (7.6-13.9, p<0.001) | Moderate |
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| Coskun (2020) | Detection rate, by diagnostic test  
Cost per test (in New Turkish Lira), by diagnostic test  
Total cost (in New Turkish Lira), by diagnostic test | **Detection rate:** CMV blood test 35-74%, Toxoplasma gondii blood test 35-74%, Rubella blood test 35-74%, IgG avidity test 80%, amniocentesis 100%, PCR-DNA and RT-PCR test 92-98%  
**Cost per test:** CMV blood test 7.13, Toxoplasma gondii blood test 7.13, Rubella blood test 7.13, IgG avidity test 16, amniocentesis 67.7, PCR-DNA and RT-PCR test 90  
**Total cost:** overall 400,563.28, CMV blood test 121,423.9, Toxoplasma gondii blood test 132,931.72, Rubella blood test 139,092.04, IgG avidity test 4,816, amniocentesis 1,489.62, PCR-DNA and RT-PCR test 810 | High |

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| Deboutte (2013) | Incremental cost of C-section (CS) delivery, Health-adjusted life expectancy (HALE) gained, Incremental cost effectiveness ratio (ICER): C-section cost per year of HALE gained | **Incremental CS cost, in USD:** mission hospital 14,359, government hospital 11,371  
**HALE gained:** overall lower estimate 11,285 and higher estimate 36,604 years, NGO hospital higher estimate 27,453 years  
**ICER at NGO hospital, in USD:** lower estimate 9.2, higher estimate 3.8 | Moderate |
| Devine (2017) | Total cost, Incremental cost, Total infections, Infections averted, Incremental cost effectiveness ratio (ICER) | **Total cost, in USD:** vaccine only 21,673.15, HBIG after RDT 47,477.10, HBIG after confirmatory test 40,553.86  
**Incremental cost, in USD:** HBIG after RDT 25,803.95, HBIG after confirmatory test --  
**Total infections:** vaccine only 64, HBIG after RDT 28, HBIG after confirmatory test 41  
**Infections averted:** HBIG after RDT 36, HBIG after confirmatory test --  
**Incremental cost effectiveness ratio (ICER):** HBIG after RDT 716.78, HBIG after confirmatory test extended dominance | Low |
| Doocy (2020) | Mean meals consumed on preceding day, Mean food groups consumed on preceding day, % achieving Minimum Dietary Diversity for Women (MDDW), Mean MUAC, Acute malnutrition prevalence (MUAC <21.0 cm) | **Difference in change between intervention groups: adjusted vouchers vs mixed transfers (95% CI):**  
**Mean meals consumed on preceding day:** 0.3 (0.1-0.5, p=0.001)  
**Mean food groups consumed on preceding day:** 0.3 (-0.3 to 0.8, p=0.324)  
**% achieving MDDW:** 7.7% (-7.0 to 22.5%, p=0.303)  
**Mean MUAC:** 0.4 (-0.1 to 0.8, p=0.086)  
**Acute malnutrition prevalence:** -2.9% (-6.1 to 0.4, p=0.086) | Moderate |
| Draiko (2021) | • Incidence of neonatal umbilical cord infection rate: crude odds ratio  
• Incidence of cord infections by severity  
• Neonatal mortality: crude odds ratio  
• Proportion of women who deliver in a facility: crude odds ratio  

(95% CI):  
**Cord infections:** 3.03 (2.45-3.76, p=0.000)  
**Signs of cord infection:** Mild redness - intervention 39.4%, control 32.8%; moderate redness - intervention 24.6%, control 24.2%; severe redness - intervention 9.1%, control 15.7%; presence of pus - intervention 3.4%, control 17.9%; pain at the cord - intervention 23.4%, control 9.4%  
**All neonatal deaths:** 2.16 (1.10-4.22, p=0.022)  
**Place of delivery (facility birth):** 1.29 (1.03-1.64, p=0.028) |

• Delivered in a health facility  
• Attended at least 1 antenatal care (ANC) and 1 postnatal care (PNC) visit with a skilled healthcare provider  
• Sought care for antenatal or delivery complications  
• Delivery attended by a skilled birth attendant  
• Sought care for complications during delivery or postpartum  
• Sought care for maternal postnatal complications  
• Saved money for transportation for emergency obstetric care  
• Arranged blood donors  
• Pre-planned for a skilled birth attendant  

Proportion of women who (95% CI):  
**Delivered in a health facility:** 10.97% (4.0-18.0, p=0.002)  
**Attended at least 1 ANC visit with a skilled healthcare provider:** 10.54 (4.2-16.9, p=0.001)  
**Attended at least 1 PNC visit with a skilled healthcare provider:** 7.20 (0.2-14.2, p=0.04)  
**Sought care for antenatal or delivery complications:** 2.81 (-6.2 to 11.8, p=0.54)  
**Delivery attended by a skilled birth attendant:** 14.22 (7.3-21.2, p<0.0001)  
**Sought care for complications during delivery or postpartum:** 2.36 (-6.8 to 11.5, p=0.61)  
**Sought care for maternal postnatal complications:** 14.0 (4.05-23.9, p=0.006)  
**Saved money for transportation for emergency obstetric care:** 2.31 (-4.8 to 9.4, p=0.53)  
**Arranged blood donors:** -9.59 (-15.4 to -3.8, p=0.0013)  
**Pre-planned for a skilled birth attendant:** 5.32 (-2.0 to 12.7, p=0.16)  
**Initiated breastfeeding within the first hour after birth:** -28.22 (-35.7 to -20.8, p<0.0001)  
**Currently breastfeeding:** 1.13 (-2.4 to 4.7, p=0.39)  
**Knowledge of importance of saving money during pregnancy:** 4.13 (-2.0 to 10.3, p=0.19)  
**Knowledge of importance of preplanning travel for birth:** 8.46 (2.9-14.0, p=0.003)  
**Knowledge of importance of arranging a skilled birth attendant:** 2.13 (-2.5 to 7.7, p=0.45) |
| Edmond (2019) | • Proportion of women who delivered in a health facility  
• Proportion of women who received at least 1 antenatal care (ANC) visit  
• Proportion of women who received at least 1 postnatal care (PNC) visit  
• Proportion of women who received at least 1 CHW home visit | Difference-in-differences (95% CI):  
Proportion of women who delivered in a health facility: 3.3% (-0.14 to 0.21, p=0.685)  
Proportion of women who received at least 1 antenatal care (ANC) visit: 45.0% (0.18-0.72, p=0.004)  
Proportion of women who received at least 1 postnatal care (PNC) visit: 31.8% (-0.05 to 0.68, p=0.80)  
Proportion of women who received at least 1 CHW home visit: 12.2% (-0.27 to 0.51, p=0.508) | Low |
| Edmond (2020) | District service provision:  
• Proportion of pregnant women who were recorded in HMIS as having received at least 1 antenatal care (ANC) visit  
• Proportion of children under 1 year who received their first measles vaccine  
• Proportion of children under 5 who received at least 1 IMCI service for diarrhoea or pneumonia  
• Proportion of postpartum women receiving >= 1 PNC visit  
• Proportion of pregnant women who delivered at a health facility  
• Proportion of pregnant women who received a tetanus toxoid vaccine  
• Proportion of children under 1 who received their 3rd pentavalent vaccine | Mean difference between intervention and control districts (95% CI):  
Proportion of pregnant women receiving >= 1 ANC visit: 14.84 (1.66-28.01, p=0.03)  
Proportion of children under 1 who received their first measles vaccine: 12.78 (2.08-23.48, p=0.02)  
Proportion of children under 5 who received at least 1 IMCI service for diarrhoea or pneumonia: 10.34 (1.40-19.27, p=0.02)  
Proportion of postpartum women receiving >= 1 PNC visit: 2.79 (-5.11 to 10.70, p=0.48)  
Proportion of pregnant women who delivered at a health facility: 13.53 (-0.57 to 27.63, p=0.06)  
Proportion of pregnant women who received a tetanus toxoid vaccine: 14.48 (0.11-28.84, p=0.04)  
Proportion of children under 1 who received their 3rd pentavalent vaccine: 7.55 (-4.20 to 19.30, p=0.20) | Low |
| Clinic service provision:                                                                 | Mean # of ANC visits: 41.32 (-52.46 to 135.11, p=0.37)  
Mean # of tetanus toxoid vaccines for pregnant women: 82.01 (-38.69 to 202.71, p=0.18)  
Mean # of facility deliveries: 119.35 (-9.48 to 248.19, p=0.07)  
Mean # of PNC visits: 10.68 (-33.12 to 54.49, p=0.63)  
Mean # of 3rd pentavalent vaccines for children under 1 year: -74.14 (-13.52 to 161.8, p=0.10)  
Mean # of measles vaccines for children under 1 year: -83.79 (-1.44 to 169.03, p=0.05)  
Mean # of IMCI visits for diarrhoea or pneumonia for children under 5 years: 280.95 (-40.11 to 602.00, p=0.09) |
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| Proportion of children under 5 years who received at least 1 integrated management of childhood illness (IMCI) service for diarrhoea or pneumonia | Mean # of ANC visits per clinic  
Mean # of tetanus toxoid vaccines for pregnant women  
Mean # of facility deliveries  
Mean # of PNC visits per clinic  
Mean # of 3rd pentavalent vaccines for children under 1 year  
Mean # of measles vaccines for children under 1 year  
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<td>Foster (2017)</td>
<td>Proportion of women not pregnant at follow-up: 96.4% &lt;br&gt; Occurrence of major complications among women who were not pregnant at follow-up: 0% &lt;br&gt; Pregnancy outcomes for women who remained pregnant at follow-up: 3.2% pregnant at follow-up: 2.6% had a live birth, 0.2% received medication abortion elsewhere, 0.3% had ectopic pregnancies</td>
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<td>Gallagher (2019)</td>
<td>Overall # of PAC clients: baseline 1,413 (812 DRC, 11 Somalia, 590 Yemen); endline 3,640 (1,412 DRC, 1,065 Somalia, 1,163 Yemen) &lt;br&gt; Mode of treatment: DRC: D&amp;C baseline 18%, endline 3% (p&lt;0.001); MVA baseline 69%, endline 95%; miso baseline 12%, endline 2%. Yemen: D&amp;C baseline 25%, endline 3% (p&lt;0.001); MVA baseline 69%, endline 87%; miso baseline 6%, endline 11%. &lt;br&gt; Proportion of PAC clients who chose a method of contraception prior to leaving the facility: DRC baseline 42%, endline 70% (p&lt;0.001), Yemen baseline 17%, endline 38% (p=0.002), Somalia baseline 64%, endline 82% (p not provided, not statistically significant) &lt;br&gt; Contraceptive method mix among clients choosing a method: DRC: implant baseline 52%, endline 38%; injectable baseline 26%, endline 22%; IUD baseline 7%, endline 32%; pills baseline 15%, endline 8%, LARCs baseline 59%, endline 70% (p=0.02). Somalia: implant baseline 0%, endline 18%; injectable baseline 14%, endline 29%; IUD baseline 14%, endline 6%; pills baseline 72%, endline 47%, LARCs baseline 14%, endline 24%. Yemen: implant baseline 1%, endline 9%; injectable baseline 16%, endline 6%; IUD baseline 0%, endline 6%; pills baseline 83%, endline 79%, LARCs baseline 1%, endline 15% (p=0.004)</td>
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<td>Gibbs (2020)</td>
<td>Past year experience of physical intimate partner violence (IPV) among currently married women: 0.88 (0.62-1.33, p=0.47) &lt;br&gt; Past year experience of severe physical IPV among currently married women: 0.75 (0.50-1.11, p=0.15) &lt;br&gt; Women’s past week depressive symptoms: -0.35 (-1.19 to 0.48, p=0.406)</td>
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<td>Glass (2019)</td>
<td>Change in harmful social norms based on 3 sub-scales: response to sexual violence, protecting family honour, husbands’ right to use violence</td>
<td>Change in harmful social norms: response to sexual violence $b=-0.214$, $p=0.041$; protecting family honour $b=-0.558$, $p&lt;0.001$; husbands’ right to use violence $b=-0.309$, $p=0.003$</td>
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<td>Change in personal beliefs about GBV based on 3 sub-scales: response to sexual violence, protecting family honour, husbands’ right to use violence</td>
<td>Change in personal beliefs about GBV: response to sexual violence $b=-0.092$, $p=0.379$; protecting family honour $b=0.196$, $p=0.102$; husbands’ right to use violence $b=-0.167$, $p=0.209$</td>
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<td>Change in confidence in services for GBV survivors</td>
<td>Change in confidence in services for GBV survivors: $b=0.318$, $p&lt;0.001$</td>
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| Gupta (2013) | • Past-year physical and/or sexual intimate partner violence (IPV) reported by women  
• Any past-year physical IPV  
• Any past-year sexual IPV  
• Any past-year economic abuse from partner  
• Gender norms: justification for wife beating, ability to refuse sex | Adjusted odds ratio (95% CI):  
**Past-year physical and/or sexual intimate partner violence (IPV) reported by women:**  
low adherence 1.19 (0.69-2.05, p=0.64); high adherence 0.64 (0.35-1.16, p=0.14)  
**Any past-year physical IPV:** low adherence 0.93 (0.49-1.77, p=0.82); high adherence 0.45 (0.21-0.94, p=0.04)  
**Any past-year sexual IPV:** low adherence 0.85 (0.44-1.64, p=0.63); high adherence 0.54 (0.27-1.10, p=0.11)  
**Any past-year economic abuse from partner:** low adherence 0.31 (0.18-0.52, p<0.0001); high adherence 0.47 (0.27-0.81, p=0.01)  
**Justification for wife beating:** low adherence -0.19 (-1.13 to 0.74, p=0.69); high adherence -1.14 (-2.01 to -0.28, p=0.01)  
**Ability to refuse sex:** low adherence 0.07 (-0.32 to 0.46, p=0.72); high adherence 0.12 (-0.24 to 0.48, p=0.50) | Unclear |
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| Hashmi (2019) | • Proportion of exclusively breastfed infants  
• Handwashing among mothers who had prepared the family meal the day prior to interview  
• Adequate dietary diversity  
• Appropriate meal amount  
• Minimum acceptable diet  
• Safe disposal of infant stool | All months refer to age of infant  
**Proportion of exclusively breastfed infants:** 3 months 42%, 5 months 65%  
**Handwashing among mothers who had prepared the family meal the day prior to interview:** 3 months 94%, 6 months 100%, 9 months 100%  
**Adequate dietary diversity:** 6 months 5%, 8 months 58%, 9 months 90%  
**Appropriate meal amount:** 6 months 10%, 9 months 100%  
**Minimum acceptable diet:** 6 months 0%, 8 months 47%, 9 months 90%  
**Safe disposal of infant stool:** 6 months 16%, 9 months 100% | High |
| Hossain (2014) | • Women’s experience of physical and/or sexual intimate partner violence (IPV) from a male partner in the past 12 months (women reporting)  
• Intention to use physical IPV (men reporting)  
• Belief that a woman can refuse sex in all circumstances (men reporting) | Adjusted risk ratio (95% CI):  
**Women’s experience of physical and/or sexual IPV from a male partner in the past 12 months:** 0.52 (0.18-1.51)  
**Women’s experience of physical IPV from a male partner in the past 12 months:** 0.64 (0.24-1.73)  
**Women’s experience of sexual IPV from a male partner in the past 12 months:** 0.50 (0.14-1.80)  
**Men’s intention to use physical IPV:** 0.83 (0.66-1.06)  
**Men’s belief that a woman can refuse sex in all circumstances:** 1.21 (0.77-1.91)  
**Use of hostility and conflict management skills:** 1.30 (1.06-1.58)  
**Male involvement in household tasks typically done by females:** 2.47 (1.24-4.90) | Unclear |
| Khan (2017) | Help-seeking for psychological distress by pregnant women: intervention 71%, control 46% (p=0.036)  
SRQ score (SD): intervention 5.35 (3.29), control 6.43 (3.73) (p=0.20)  
MSPSS score (SD): intervention 57.15 (19.11), control 57.11 (14.28) (p=0.992) | Moderate |
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| LeRoux (2020) | Gender attitudes scale: male baseline 15.7, endline 18.6 (p<0.001); female baseline 16.4, endline 18 (p<0.001)  
Masculinities attitudes scale: male baseline 14.7, endline 14.9 (p=0.159); female baseline 15.4, endline 15.2 (p=0.853)  
Rape myths scale: male baseline 16, endline 16.7 (p=0.001); female baseline 16.8, endline 19 (p=0.746)  
Stigma scale: male baseline 9.9, endline 10.6 (p<0.001); female baseline 10.2, endline 10.6 (p=0.002)  
Emotional IPV: male baseline 51%, endline 13.7% (p<0.001); female baseline 50%, endline 18.4% (p<0.001)  
Physical IPV: male baseline 35.1%, endline 12% (p<0.001); female baseline 30.3%, endline 16.6% (p<0.001)  
Sexual IPV: male baseline 31.4%, endline 8.5% (p<0.001); female baseline 36.8%, endline 15.1% (p<0.001)  
Any IPV: male baseline 68.2%, endline 23.3% (p<0.001); female baseline 68%, endline 29.3% (p<0.001) | Moderate |

Khan (2017)  
• Use of hostility and conflict management skills (men reporting and women reporting no threats from male partner)  
• Male involvement in household tasks typically done by females (men reporting)  

LeRoux (2020)  
• Social norms and attitudes associated with gender and violence against women, measured by 4 composite scales by gender: gender attitudes scale, masculinities attitudes scale, rape myths scale, stigma scale  
• Emotional, physical and/or sexual intimate partner violence (IPV) in the last 12 months (male perpetration, female experience)
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<th>Logie (2014)</th>
<th>Adjusted mean difference (95% CI):</th>
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<td>Change in HIV knowledge, assessed by the Brief HIV Knowledge Questionnaire</td>
<td>Change in HIV knowledge: 4.81 (4.36-5.26, p&lt;0.001)</td>
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<td>Change in STI knowledge, assessed by the Sexually Transmitted Disease Knowledge Questionnaire</td>
<td>Change in STI knowledge: 0.84 (0.70-0.99, p&lt;0.001)</td>
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<td>Change in condom use, assessed by reported consistent use of condoms for sex in last 6 weeks</td>
<td>Change in condom use: 4.05 (1.86-8.83, p&lt;0.001)</td>
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<td>Change in social support from family, friends and significant other, assessed by the Multidimensional Scale of Perceived Social Support</td>
<td>Change in social support - overall: 1.02 (-0.30 to 2.34, p=0.130)</td>
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<td>Change in social support - family: 0.45 (-0.15 to 1.04, p=0.141)</td>
<td>Change in social support - friends: 0.48 (-0.09 to 1.06, p=0.100)</td>
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<td>Change in social support - significant other: 0.17 (-0.28 to 0.62, p=0.456)</td>
<td>Change in resilient coping: 0.04 (-0.36 to 0.45, p=0.837)</td>
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<td>Change in depression, assessed by the Beck Depression Inventory Fast-Screen (BDI-FS)</td>
<td>Change in depression: -0.63 (-0.88 to -0.39, p&lt;0.001)</td>
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<td>Change in relationship control, assessed by the Sexual Relationship Power Scale’s ‘relationship control’ subscale</td>
<td>Change in relationship control: 0.43 (-0.41 to 1.27, p=0.315)</td>
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| Murray (2018) | • Effect of CPT on felt stigma  
• Moderation of felt and enacted stigma on CPT effectiveness for depression and anxiety, post-traumatic stress, and functioning: assessed by the Harvard Trauma Questionnaire and Hopkins Symptoms Checklist | **Difference-in-differences (SE):**  
**Effect of CPT on felt stigma:** post-intervention b=-0.30 (0.13, p=0.024); 6 months post-intervention b=-0.31 (0.20, p=0.119)  
**Moderation of felt stigma for depression and anxiety:** post-intervention b=-0.07 (0.17, p=0.71); 6 months post-intervention b=0.01 (0.18, p=0.94)  
**Moderation of felt stigma for post-traumatic stress:** post-intervention b=-0.18 (0.16, p=0.27); 6 months post-intervention b=0.01 (0.20, p=0.95)  
**Moderation of felt stigma for functioning:** post-intervention b=-0.17 (0.21, p=0.42); 6 months post-intervention b=0.18 (0.25, p=0.48)  
**Moderation of enacted stigma for depression and anxiety:** post-intervention b=0.04 (0.02, p=0.08); 6 months post-intervention b=0.03 (0.03, p=0.36)  
**Moderation of enacted stigma for post-traumatic stress:** post-intervention b=0.02 (0.03, p=0.56); 6 months post-intervention b=-0.004 (0.03, p=0.88)  
**Moderation of enacted stigma for functioning:** post-intervention b=-0.02 (0.03, p=0.55); 6 months post-intervention b=-0.01 (0.04, p=0.73) | Unclear |
| Parr (2014) | • Rate of umbilical cord ligation  
• Proportion of cord ligation rates before and after arrival of midwife  
• Maternal and neonatal outcomes before and after arrival of midwife: birthweight in grams, mean estimated gestational age in weeks, 1 minute and 5 minute Apgar scores, proportion of 5-minute Apgars less than 7, newborn resuscitation percentage, postpartum haemorrhage, episiotomy  
• Proportion of correct answers given by SBAs on knowledge survey | **Rate of umbilical cord ligation:** quarter 1 15.9%, quarter 2 11.1%, quarter 3 2.4%, quarter 4 0.9%  
Proportion of cord ligation rates before and after arrival of midwife, by clinic site: Maela before 15.3%, after 1.0%; Wang Pha before 10.6%, after 1.9%; Maw Ker Thai before 13.7%, after 3.0%  
**Maternal and neonatal outcomes before and after arrival of midwife (SD):** birthweight before 2979 (437), after 2989 (429); mean estimated gestational age: before 39.1 (1.5), after 39.1 (1.4); shoulder dystocia before 0.1%, after 0.1%; Apgar (one minute), median: before 9, after 9; Apgar (5 minute), median: before 10, after 10; proportion of 5-minute Apgar less than 7: before 0.8%, after 0.8%; newborn resuscitation: before 2.8%, after 1.6%; postpartum haemorrhage: before 8.3%, after 6.5%; episiotomy %: before 5.1%, after 5.2%  
**Proportion of correct answers given by SBAs on knowledge survey:** proportion of infants born with nuchal cord: 61.5; presence of fetal nuchal cord is harmful to the infant: 16.7; can cause fetal distress in 2nd labour: 92.3; clamping and cutting of the fetal nuchal cord before birth is a dangerous practice: 84.6; clamping and cutting of the fetal nuchal cord before birth is associated with fetal anaemia: 83.3; clamping and cutting of the fetal nuchal cord before birth is associated with fetal shock and hypovolemia: 38.5; clamping and cutting of the fetal nuchal cord before birth is associated with HIE especially with shoulder dystocia: 88.5 | Unclear |
| Stark (2018) | Girls’ self-reported exposure in the last 12 months to any form of sexual violence, unwanted sexual touching, coerced sex, forced sex, physical violence, emotional violence, neglect, transactional sexual exploitation, child marriage
| Caregiver scores on gender inequitable roles scale, Parental Acceptance-Rejection Questionnaire (PARQ) total scale and warmth/affection subscale, acceptance of physical discipline on children | **Adjusted odds ratio (95% CI):**
- **Exposure to sexual violence:** ITT 0.95 (0.65-1.37), non per protocol 0.94 (0.49-1.81), per protocol 0.83 (0.46-1.50)
- **Exposure to unwanted sexual touching:** ITT 0.88 (0.57-1.36), non per protocol 0.85 (0.40-1.77), per protocol 0.79 (0.40-1.55)
- **Exposure to coerced sex:** ITT 1 (0.58-1.72), non per protocol 0.94 (0.40-2.20), per protocol 0.81 (0.39-1.72)
- **Exposure to forced sex (13-14 year olds):** ITT 1.05 (0.41-2.67), non per protocol 1 (0.49-1.81)
- **Exposure to physical violence:** ITT 1.22 (0.79-1.58), non per protocol 1.06 (0.65-1.70), per protocol 1.15 (0.75-1.77)
- **Exposure to emotional violence:** ITT 1.04 (0.76-1.42), non per protocol 1.03 (0.63-1.68), per protocol 0.848 (0.56-1.37)
- **Exposure to neglect:** ITT 1.03 (0.74-1.44), non per protocol 0.92 (0.55-1.54), per protocol 1.01 (0.63-1.61)
- **Exposure to transactional sexual exploitation:** ITT 1.08 (0.60-1.94), non per protocol 0.59 (0.21-1.65), per protocol 1.14 (0.52-2.49)
- **Exposure to child marriage (13-14 year olds):** ITT 1.24 (0.38-4.00), non per protocol 1.09 (0.47-2.54), per protocol 0.78 (0.29-2.05)
No statistically significant odds ratios
**Adjusted beta (95% CI):**
- Gender inequitable roles scale: ITT -0.10 (-0.61 to 0.40), non per protocol -0.01 (-0.72 to 0.70), per protocol -0.15 (-0.80 to 0.51)
- PARQ total scale: ITT -2.08 (-3.20 to -0.96, p<0.001), non per protocol -1.39 (-3.02 to 0.25), per protocol -2.08 (-3.55 to -0.61, p<0.001)
- PARQ warmth/affection subscale: ITT -1.08 (-1.79 to -0.36, p<0.01), non per protocol -0.9 (-1.91 to 0.10), per protocol -1.44 (-2.36 to -0.52, p<0.01)
Acceptance of physical discipline on children: ITT -0.10 (-0.70 to 0.49), non per protocol 0.03 (-0.77 to 0.84), per protocol -0.3 (-1.05 to 0.45) | Unclear |
| Stevens (2018) | Uptake of preconception folic acid (PFA)
| Health worker knowledge of NTDs and PFA | **Proportion of women reporting PFA:** baseline 1.3%, endline 0.65% (p=0.465)
**Proportion of health workers who have heard of NTDs:** baseline 85%, endline 93% (p=0.162)
**Proportion of health workers knowing PFA could be used to prevent NTDs:** baseline 16%, endline 73% (p<0.001) | Unclear |
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<th>Tran (2021)</th>
<th>• Change in score from pre-test to post-test</th>
<th><strong>Change in score from pre-test to post-test:</strong> Uganda pre-test 84%, post-test 89%; DRC pre-test 56%, post-test 76%; Nigeria pre-test 45%, post-test 52%</th>
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<td>White (2016)</td>
<td>• Proportion of students successfully completing the SBA training</td>
<td><strong>Proportion of students successfully completing the SBA training:</strong> 79/88 (90%)&lt;br&gt;<strong>Proportion of graduates who worked at the training facility (SMRU) for at least 12 months:</strong> 65/88 (74%)&lt;br&gt;<strong>Proportion of SBAs from first 3 training cohorts who completed the requirements for promotion or who were progressing towards promotion:</strong> 28/60 (47%)&lt;br&gt;<strong>Median score by cohort on theory exam (IQR):</strong> 81 (76-86), 77 (75-89), 81 (75-85), 79 (70-83)&lt;br&gt;<strong>Proportion completing the clinical requirements of the program to achieve competence within 12 months:</strong> 100%&lt;br&gt;<strong>Proportion of women birthing at SMRU (2008-2015):</strong> 57.2%, 59.7%, 66.9%, 76.8%, 81.6%, 81.2%, 83.2%, 81.9% (p&lt;0.001)&lt;br&gt;<strong>Proportion of women having partograms completed (2008-2015):</strong> 87.6%, 98.5%, 94.0%, 96.2%, 98.6%, 99.0%, 99.7%, 99.8% (p&lt;0.001)&lt;br&gt;<strong>Proportion of stillbirth (2008-2015):</strong> 1.0%, 0.7%, 1.0%, 0.8%, 0.9%, 0.7%, 0.7%, 0.4% (p=0.0276)</td>
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| Wirtz (2016) | Recent experiences of violence identified by screening tool among participants of pilot testing phase | Recent experiences of violence identified by screening tool in pilot testing phase:  
Ethiopia: threatened/insulted 56.6%, physically hurt 43.2%,  
forced sex 25.5%, sexual exploitation 11.3%, forced marriage 9.5%, any type of GBV 64.8%;  
Colombia: threatened/insulted 26.1%, physically hurt 18.8%, forced sex 13%, sexual exploitation 10.1%, forced abortion 1.4%, forced marriage 2.9%, any type of GBV 44.9%  
Acceptance of referral for positive GBV screen in pilot testing phase: Ethiopia 55.9%,  
Colombia 90%  
Recent experiences of violence identified by screening tool among participants of implementation phase | Acceptance of referral for positive GBV screen in implementation phase:  
Ethiopia: threatened/insulted 35.7%, physically hurt 46.6%,  
forced sex 20.4%, sexual exploitation 27.7%, forced marriage 19.9%, any type of GBV 50.6%;  
Colombia: threatened/insulted 41.5%, physically hurt 23.5%, forced sex 36%, sexual exploitation 20.2%, forced abortion 2%, forced marriage 4.2%, any type of GBV 63.4%  
Acceptance of referral for positive GBV screen in implementation phase: Ethiopia 43.8%,  
Colombia 74.2%  
Internal consistency: 0.77  
Exploratory factor analysis: all items loaded onto a single factor (factor loadings: threat of violence 0.51, physical violence 0.65, forced sex 0.58, survival sex 0.69, forced pregnancy 0.63, and forced marriage 0.57) | Unclear |
### ANNEX 10: STUDY DESIGN AND OUTCOMES OF MENTAL HEALTH AND PSYCHOSOCIAL SUPPORT INTERVENTION STUDIES

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| **Abdulah (2019)** | **Country:** Iraqi Kurdistan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp  
**Population:** Internally displaced | **Description:** Group art-based therapy intervention treatment course  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 2 months  
**Sample description:** Kurdish Yezidi females living in the Sharya IDP camp  
**Sample size:** 16 enrolled, 14 analysed |
| **Acarturk (2016)** | **Country:** Turkey, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** Eye movement desensitization and reprocessing (EMDR)  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - clinical psychologists  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 9 months  
**Sample description:** Treatment-seeking adult refugees with a PTSD diagnosis according to the DSM-IV  
**Sample size:** 37 intervention, 33 wait-list control |
| **Akiyama (2018)** | **Country:** Philippines, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Environmental disaster  
**Context type:** Non-camp  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Coaching-education program  
**Implementation site:** School-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel – teachers and student-leaders  
**Part of broader program:** No  
**Study design:** Quasi-experimental  
**Study duration:** 2 months  
**Sample description:** 10th grade students from 3 schools in Typhoon Haiyan-affected Leyte, Philippines  
**Sample size:** 364 enrolled, 293 analysed (51 intervention, 242 control) | **Study design:** Quasi-experimental  
**Study duration:** 2 months  
**Sample description:** 10th grade students from 3 schools in Typhoon Haiyan-affected Leyte, Philippines  
**Sample size:** 364 enrolled, 293 analysed (51 intervention, 242 control) |
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<td>Akoury-Dirani (2015)</td>
<td>Lebanon, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Host community, refugee</td>
<td>2.5 day psychological first aid (PFA) training to enhance the readiness of mental health field workers</td>
<td>System-level</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - mental health providers</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>1 month</td>
<td>Staff working directly with Syrian refugee and host community families</td>
<td>77 attended, 60 followed up</td>
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<td>Ali (2020)</td>
<td>Jordan, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>10 sessions of group counselling using psycho-education techniques that addressed 4 primary domains: alienation, loss and grief, hope and hopelessness, and psychological problems</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - clinical psychologist/ psychiatrist</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental</td>
<td>1.5 months</td>
<td>Syrian refugee females in Jordan aged between 30 and 50 years, identified as psychologically challenged</td>
<td>40 enrolled</td>
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<td>Alsmadi (2018)</td>
<td>Jordan, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>Intervention: daily dosage of Ginkgo biloba tablets for 6 weeks + psychoeducation; Control: psychoeducation only</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - clinical psychologists/nurses, pharmacists</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>3 months</td>
<td>Iraqi refugees in Jordan</td>
<td>99 enrolled (50 intervention, 49 control); 84 analysed (40 intervention, 44 control)</td>
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<td>Iraq</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced), internally displaced, refugee</td>
<td>6-8 session trauma-informed support, skills, and psychoeducation intervention provided by community mental health workers (CMHWs)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - recruited CMHWs who were pharmacists, nurses, and physician assistants with no prior formal mental health training</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>12 months</td>
<td>Adults in Dohuk reporting experiences of torture and presenting with significant depressive symptoms</td>
<td>209 enrolled (159 intervention, 50 wait-list control); 188 completed follow-up (149 intervention, 43 wait-list control)</td>
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<td>Rwanda</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>Analysed Self-Report Questionnaire (SRQ-SIB) responses to identify predictive and reliable items to produce a truncated version for screening women in need of mental health attention in low-resource primary care settings</td>
<td>Mobile/outreach</td>
<td>Lay personnel - community health workers (CHWs)/ community health volunteers (CHVs)</td>
<td>Yes - a cross-sectional study to identify and prioritize key women's health needs, translate to programmatic responses, evaluate programs, and disseminate results</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>2 months</td>
<td>Women aged 15-49 with a history of displacement due to conflict</td>
<td>810 enrolled, 810 analysed</td>
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<td>Sierra Leone</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
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<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Youth Readiness Intervention (YRI), a 10 session group-based cognitive behavioural therapy (CBT)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>8 months</td>
<td>Youth aged 15-24 years with interest to continue education, psychological distress, and self-reported impairment in daily functioning</td>
<td>431 enrolled (220 intervention, 211 control); 394 completed (203 intervention, 191 control)</td>
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| **Bolton (2014)** | **Country:** Thailand, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Refugee  
**Description:** Transdiagnostic psychotherapy, Common Elements Treatment Approach (CETA)  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No  
**Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 8 months  
**Sample description:** Burmese individuals aged >=18 years who witnessed or experienced a traumatic event, with moderate to severe depression and/or PTSS  
**Sample size:** 347 enrolled (182 intervention, 165 control); 274 analysed (148 intervention, 126 control) |
| **Bruno (2019)** | **Country:** Gaza Strip, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Unclear  
**Population:** Refugee  
**Description:** Comprehensive (tiered) mental health and psychosocial support services meant to integrate mental health care into primary care services  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No  
**Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 20 days  
**Sample description:** Randomly selected patients at the study clinic  
**Sample size:** 408 enrolled (205 intervention, 203 control) |
| **Budosan (2016)** | **Country:** Turkey, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Host community, refugee  
**Description:** MHPSS intervention including 1) MHPSS training for team and non-specialized providers; 2) psychological/mental health intervention; and 3) social intervention  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel - expatriate psychiatrist, psychologists, social worker, and community-level workers  
**Part of broader program:** No  
**Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 13 months  
**Sample description:** Primary: urban Syrian refugees; secondary: host population in Kilis if expressed need for MHPSS intervention that could not be provided by local health and/or social services; beneficiaries randomly selected for intervention assessment  
**Sample size:** 61 evaluated from field hospital and outpatient health centre, 42 evaluated from community skills centre |
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| Chemali (2017) | **Country:** Lebanon, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Other  
**Population:** Host community | **Description:** 4 session adapted version of SMART-ERP (Stress Management Relaxation Response Resilience Training)  
**Implementation site:** System-level  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - social workers  
**Part of broader program:** No | Study design: Mixed methods  
Study duration: 23 months  
Sample description: Social and field workers working in Lebanon, with priority given to those directly involved with Syrian refugees  
Sample size: 120 social/fieldworkers attended SMART-3RP training; 100 participated in research portion; 52 completed the training |
| Chen (2014) | **Country:** China, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Environmental disaster  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Short-term 6-week group CBT intervention as compared to a general supportive intervention and a nontreatment control group  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel - mental health professionals and local volunteers  
**Part of broader program:** No | Study design: Randomized controlled trial  
Study duration: 3 months  
Sample description: Adolescents who had lost at least 1 parent in the earthquake and were considered to have PTSD symptoms  
Sample size: 40 enrolled (16 intervention, 12 general support, 12 nontreatment control); 32 analysed (10 intervention, 10 general treatment, 12 nontreatment control) |
| Christensen (2020) | **Country:** Bangladesh, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** Digital mental health screening tool based on the WHO SRQ-20  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel - paramedic and coordinator  
**Part of broader program:** Yes | Study design: Mixed methods (descriptive/observational + qualitative)  
Study duration: 3 months  
Sample description: Rohingya living in the Kutupalong camp who had been visited by the mHealth support team  
Sample size: 958 enrolled and analysed; 196 referred |
| Cole (2021) | **Country:** Sierra Leone, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Outbreak  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** 6-week small group cognitive behavioural therapy  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** Yes | Study design: Quasi-experimental  
Study duration: 8 weeks  
Sample description: Sierra Leonean Ebola Treatment Center (ETC) staff with clinically significant symptoms of anxiety and depression  
Sample size: 253 |
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<td>Afghanistan</td>
<td>School/ community-based peace education program to change harmful social norms and practices related to gender and use of violence.</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental (interrupted time series)</td>
<td>Students in 11 secondary schools</td>
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<td>Bangladesh</td>
<td>Psychosocial support intervention that consisted of support groups and home visits.</td>
<td>Observational (single arm pre-post study)</td>
<td>Pregnant refugee women in 4th-6th month of pregnancy</td>
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<td>Burundi</td>
<td>6-week Narrative Exposure Therapy (NET) as a trauma-focused intervention.</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental</td>
<td>Individuals suffering significantly from trauma-related mental health symptoms (fulfilled minimum diagnostic criteria for PTSD)</td>
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| Dozio (2021) | **Country:** Central African Republic, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Internally displaced | **Description:** 5-session group Problem Management Plus (PM+)  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** Yes | **Study design:** Mixed methods  
**Study duration:** 9 weeks  
**Sample description:** Beneficiaries of the larger income-generating activities program, priority given to participants with a low level of wellbeing  
**Sample size:** baseline 946, endline 838, post-intervention 140 |
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| Eichfeld (2019) | **Country:** Cambodia, Indonesia, and Thailand, regional samples  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict, environmental disaster  
**Context type:** Not specified  
**Population:** Not specified | **Description:** Provider training of Trauma Stabilization as sole treatment for PTSD in adults  
**Implementation site:** Not specified  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre  
**Part of broader program:** Yes | **Study design:** Observational (retrospective analysis)  
**Study duration:** 3 years  
**Sample description:** Individuals who received at least 1 intervention of trauma stabilization  
**Sample size:** 4,799 full data set (1,483 Cambodia, 2,363 Indonesia, 953 Thailand); 1,358 analysed (654 Cambodia, 414 Indonesia, 290 Thailand) |
| El-Khodary (2020) | **Country:** Palestine, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp and non-camp  
**Population:** Host community, refugee | **Description:** Psychosocial support counselling program  
**Implementation site:** School-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel - school counsellors, social workers, and teachers  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 2 months  
**Sample description:** Students aged 12-18 years in selected classes from selected schools  
**Sample size:** 572 enrolled, 572 analysed |
| Falb (2020) | **Country:** Syria, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Unclear  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Cash Assistance Programming - monthly transfer for 3 months of $76 to cover 80% of non-food items a 6-person household may need  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** Yes | **Study design:** Mixed methods  
**Study duration:** 4 months  
**Sample description:** Households with women aged 18-59 years from a beneficiary household, with female heads of household or other female representative interviewed  
**Sample size:** 512 baseline, 456 endline; 40 qualitative interviews |
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<td>The Strengths for the Journey (SFJ) program, a structured 6-day intervention with group-based positive psychology sessions</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental</td>
<td>4 months</td>
<td>Children aged 7-14 who had not been identified as having a mental health disorder or intellectual disability and who spoke Arabic or Farsi</td>
<td>72 enrolled (33 intervention, 39 waitlist control, 31 focus group)</td>
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<td>Gammoh (2017)</td>
<td>Jordan, regional sample</td>
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<td>Comparative drug trial between single dose of valerian-hops and single-dose of chlorpheniramine in modulating subjective sleep measures</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>Adult refugees living in Amman and Ma'arfa attending the Caritas Medical Centre, without history of psychological or mental illness and no anxiolytic, antidepressant or drug use</td>
<td>262 enrolled (79 valerian, 74 chlorpheniramine, 109 control); 191 analysed (65 valerian, 50 chlorpheniramine, 76 control)</td>
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<td>Getanda (2020)</td>
<td>Kenya, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict, environmental disaster</td>
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<td>6-session psychosocial educational intervention</td>
<td>School-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>Not specified (follow-up 1 week after completion of intervention)</td>
<td>Youth aged 14-17 years recruited from a school in Nakuru city who had experienced at least 1 traumatic event during the previous year and scored above the cut-off score on any emotional problem measures</td>
<td>51 enrolled (25 intervention, 26 waitlist control); 44 completed (21 intervention, 23 waitlist control)</td>
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| **Gibbs** (2020) | **Country:** Afghanistan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Intervention - 12-month women’s economic and social empowerment program with 90-180 minutes of programming weekly addressing numeracy, business skills, social empowerment topics, vocational training, money saving options, and referrals to services, as well as a monthly $10 cash stipend  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Not specified  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial (individual randomized)  
**Study duration:** 27 months  
**Sample description:** Women aged 18-45, overemphasis on married women  
**Sample size:** 1,461 enrolled (747 intervention, 714 control); 1,210 analysed (673 intervention, 537 control) |
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| **Giraldo** (2020) | **Country:** Colombia, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Validation of the Adapted Extreme Experiences Scale (EX2) that is composed of 2 dimensions: direct extreme experiences (dEX2) and indirect extreme experiences (iEX2)  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - clinical psychologists  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational (cross-sectional instrument validation)  
**Study duration:** Not specified  
**Sample description:** 1st pool included adults aged >18 years with “high exposure to conflict” (former illegal combatants then enrolled in an official reintegration program led by the Reincorporation and Normalization Agency of Colombia (ARN) and victims of conflict); 2nd pool included voluntary participants aged >18 years who were less conflict-affected  
**Sample size:** 187 enrolled (67 former combatants, 69 victims of conflict, 51 control) |
| Glass (2020) | **Country:** Democratic Republic of Congo, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** 12-month integrated parent (Pigs for Peace, PFP) and young adolescent (Rabbits for Resilience, RFR) animal microfinance/asset transfer program (RFR + PFP)  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** N/A  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Mixed methods (quasi-experimental and qualitative)  
**Study duration:** 24 months  
**Sample description:** Men and women aged >16 years who expressed an understanding and commitment to productive asset/microfinance programs, permanent household. Male and female adolescents aged 10-15 years participated if 1) parent/guardian was enrolled in PFP program but in delayed control group 2) youth and parent/guardian expressed interest 3) permanent residents of the participating village  
**Sample size:** 542 young adolescents participated (178 RFR + PFP, 187 RFR only, 177 PFP only); 501 baseline, 42 endline |
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| Goninon (2021) | **Country:** Uganda, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** EMPOWER, a manualized culturally sensitive group-based CBT rehabilitation program with 9 sessions over 2 weeks  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre  
**Part of broader program:** Yes | **Study design:** Quasi-experimental (longitudinal, between-groups survey)  
**Study duration:** 6 weeks  
**Sample description:** Congolese participants aged >18 years and living in the settlement  
**Sample size:** 174 enrolled (76 immediate treatment group (ITG), 98 delayed treatment group (DTG); 98 completed (43 ITG, 55 DTG) |
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<td>Turkey, regional sample</td>
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<td>Population: Refugee</td>
<td>8-week group cognitive behavioural therapy (CBT) delivered by teachers</td>
<td>School-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - teachers</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>32 enrolled</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>8 weeks</td>
<td>Primary and secondary grade Syrian refugee students aged 10-15 years and attending a temporary education centre, selected based on their trauma-related psychopathology as reflected in the Child Post-Traumatic Stress Reaction Index score</td>
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<td>Greene (2020)</td>
<td>Ethiopia, regional sample</td>
<td>Crisis type: Armed conflict</td>
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<td>Population: Refugee</td>
<td>Assessments of trauma exposure and psychological symptoms including traumatic stress (Achenbach Child Behavior Checklist, Youth Self Report, Child Post Traumatic Stress Disorder Symptom Scale-Interview format, Orphans and Vulnerable Children Wellbeing Tool)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>88 pairs of youth and caregivers enrolled; 42 pairs of youth and caregivers completed</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>3 weeks</td>
<td>Youth aged 7-18 years living in 1 of 3 refugee camps in the Somali region of Ethiopia, reporting elevated levels of trauma-related, externalizing and/or internalizing symptoms, mentally competent to provide consent, not head of household, recruited from previous CETA study</td>
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<td>Afghanistan, regional sample</td>
<td>Crisis type: Armed conflict</td>
<td>Context type: Non-camp</td>
<td>Population: Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>3 week Strong Families (SF) program for primary caregivers and children</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - teachers, caregivers, psychologists, social workers</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>72 families enrolled; 67 completed</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>10 weeks</td>
<td>Female caregivers and children aged 8-12 years, recruited through schools and drug treatment centres</td>
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| Hamdani (2020) | **Country:** Pakistan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** 5-week transdiagnostic Problem Management Plus (PM+)  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Mixed methods  
**Study duration:** 4 months  
**Sample description:** Primary care attendees with high levels of psychological distress (score >2 on the General Health Questionnaire (GHQ-12) and functional impairment (score >16 on the 12-item version of the WHO Disability Assessment Schedule 2.0 (WHODAS 2.0))  
**Sample size:** 346 enrolled (172 intervention, 174 control) |
| Hamid (2021) | **Country:** Syria, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp (urban)  
**Population:** Internally displaced | **Description:** 6-week, 12-session educational program  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - paediatric dentist and well-trained social workers  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Quasi-experimental  
**Study duration:** 6 weeks  
**Sample description:** Children aged 9-14 years, all previously diagnosed with PTSD, able to practice oral hygiene without any help from parents  
**Sample size:** 121 enrolled (61 intervention, 60 control); 118 completed (60 intervention, 58 control) |
| Hermosilla (2019) | **Country:** Ethiopia, Iraq, Jordan, Nepal, Uganda, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict (Ethiopia, Iraq, Jordan, Uganda), environmental disaster (Ethiopia, Nepal)  
**Context type:** Camp  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced), internally displaced, refugee | **Description:** Data collected from various Child Friendly Spaces (CFS) studies, with differing areas of emphasis: Ethiopia (focus on functional literacy and numeracy skills); Uganda (traditional song, dance, storytelling, and organized sports); Iraq (music, sports, drawing, storytelling, drama, dance); Jordan (drawing, handicrafts, puzzles, games, storytelling, singing, drama); Nepal (games, outdoor sports, creative activities, traditional song and dance, life skills)  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** N/A  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Quasi-experimental  
**Study duration:** Ethiopia 4 months, Uganda 5 months, Iraq 6 months, Jordan 6 months, Nepal 6 months  
**Sample description:** Children aged 6-17 years and carers from households within the catchment area for the proposed CFS  
**Sample size:** Baseline 1,010 children, 1,312 carers |
| Hugelius 2021 | **Country:** Kenya, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp  
**Population:** Refugee |
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| **Description:** Humanitarian Emergency Settings Perceived Needs (HESPER) Web Needs Assessment (self-administered web-based version of HESPER)  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No |
| **Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 1 month  
**Sample description:** Individuals at least 18 years old, access to the internet by mobile phone, tablet, or computer, and able to participate in the interview in English  
**Sample size:** 339 enrolled (50 alternate forms reliability evaluation, 289 feasibility evaluation); 320 analysed (31 alternate forms reliability evaluation, 289 feasibility evaluation) |

| Im (2018) | **Country:** Kenya, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp (urban)  
**Population:** Refugee |
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| **Description:** 12-session peer-led trauma-informed psychoeducation groups (TIPE)  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** Yes - community initiative to build the capacity of local mental health service providers, paraprofessionals, and peer mentors with a focus on developing a community-based and culturally sensitive intervention |
| **Study design:** Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)  
**Study duration:** Not specified  
**Sample description:** Somali urban refugee youth aged mid-teens to early thirties  
**Sample size:** 250 recruited; 141 completed (96 no/low PTSD, 45 high PTSD) |

| Jordans (2013) | **Country:** Burundi. regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) |
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| **Description:** 2-session parenting psychoeducation intervention  
**Implementation site:** School-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel - community counsellors  
**Part of broader program:** Yes |
| **Study design:** Quasi-experimental  
**Study duration:** Not specified  
**Sample description:** School-going children aged 10-14 years living in especially difficult circumstances, included after screening for elevated psychosocial distress, whose parents were offered participation  
**Sample size:** 161 enrolled (97 intervention, 64 control); 120 analysed (58 intervention, 62 control) |
| Köbach (2015) | **Country:** Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC), regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp (urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** 2 dissemination stages (DS) of Forensic Offender Rehabilitation Narrative Exposure Therapy (FORNET): stage 1 (DS1) training from clinical counsellors, stage 2 (DS2) training from the first batch of local counsellors  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel - local counsellors  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 1 year  
**Sample description:** Adult male combatants from the eastern DRC suffering from trauma symptoms and heightened levels of aggression  
**Sample size:** DS1: 76 participants (35 FORNET, 41 control), 47 included in analysis 1 (21 FORNET, 26 control), 24 included in analysis 2 (11 FORNET, 13 control); DS2: 69 participants (33 FORNET, 36 control), 51 included in analysis 1 (28 FORNET, 23 control) |
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| Khan (2017) | **Country:** Pakistan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced), internally displaced | **Description:** Intervention - 2 interactive psychoeducation sessions with pregnant women and their families, “Happy Mother, Healthy Child in Ten Steps,” in addition to routine visits; Control - routine visits only  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel - Lady Health Workers (LHWs)  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Mixed methods  
**Study duration:** 4 months  
**Sample description:** Pregnant women experiencing psychological distress  
**Sample size:** 81 enrolled (42 intervention, 39 control); 71 analysed (34 intervention, 37 control) |
| Khan (2019) | **Country:** Pakistan,  
regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Internally displaced | **Description:** Locally adapted Group PM+ intervention in collaboration with the Lady Health Workers (LHWs) program in 10 catchment areas with 5 weekly sessions  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Mixed methods  
**Study duration:** 7 weeks  
**Sample description:** Females aged >= 18 years, referred for screening by LHW who scored above 2 on the General Health Questionnaire (GHQ) and above 16 on the WHO Disability Assessment Schedule (WHODAS)  
**Sample size:** 119 enrolled (59 intervention, 60 control); 112 completed [1 week post intervention] (54 intervention, 58 control) |
| Khoja (2016) | **Country:** Afghanistan  
**Regional sample**  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** e-Health solutions addressing 4 mental health challenges: depression, psychosis, post-traumatic stress disorder, and substance abuse  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel - community health workers (CHWs) and facility-based healthcare providers  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational (cross-sectional evaluation)  
**Study duration:** Unclear  
**Sample description:** Existing registered population of the health facilities and young adults registered in the populations  
**Sample size:** 550 survey participants (345 intervention, 205 control); 1,400 young adults registered for SMS messages (329 surveyed) |
| Knaevelsrud (2015) | **Country:** Iraq, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Unclear  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** 5-week web-based psychotherapy (cognitive based therapy)  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - psychotherapists or psychiatrists  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 7 months  
**Sample description:** Persons aged 18-65 years with knowledge of Arabic and a history of trauma accompanied by posttraumatic stress symptoms  
**Sample size:** 159 enrolled (79 intervention, 80 waitlist control); 159 analysed |
| Knappe (2019) | **Country:** Greece, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** 8-week exercise and sport intervention on post-traumatic stress disorder symptoms, mental health, and physical fitness  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)  
**Study duration:** 8 weeks  
**Sample description:** Males aged 16-49 years with no absolute contraindication for moderate-intensity physical activity and able to exercise 3 times a week  
**Sample size:** baseline 45 participants; endline 38 participants |
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<td>Jordan and Lebanon, regional sample</td>
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<td>21 weekly study sessions and discussions of parenting education (16 early childhood development sessions, 5 mental health and psychosocial support sessions)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - psychologists</td>
<td>Yes – long-term project entitled “SANAD” (SUPPORT in Arabic), train the trainer model for parents in couples</td>
<td>Observational (cohort study)</td>
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<td>Syrian refugee parents in couples who have children &lt;=6 years and understand Arabic</td>
<td>125 baseline, 67 endline</td>
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<td>Nepal, regional sample</td>
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<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Capacity building of mental health workforce to provide quality mental health and psychosocial support (MHPSS)</td>
<td>Community-based, facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>22 months</td>
<td>Health workers from 78 participating health facilities</td>
<td>435 health workers trained</td>
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<td>Lenglet (2018)</td>
<td>Republic of Chechnya, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Individual counselling, number of sessions based on client need</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - trained counsellors</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial (individual level stepped wedge)</td>
<td>Not specified (6 month follow-up after conclusion of intervention)</td>
<td>Clients aged &gt;18 years seeking mental health care and scoring 1.75 or greater on the Hopkins Symptom Checklist-25 (HSCL-25)</td>
<td>baseline 168 randomized (84 intervention, 84 waitlist); 151 post-intervention (78 intervention, 73 control); 149 3 months post-intervention (78 intervention, 71 control); 77 6 months post-intervention (77 intervention, not completed for control)</td>
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<td>2-phase (screen confirmation) strategy to detect mental disorders: phase 1 – screening, phase 2 – reappraisal with the Assessment Schedule (WHODAS-II)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational</td>
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<td>Adult residents of the refugee camp</td>
<td>Phase 1: 748 participants in Screening Method A (246 positive, 502 negative), 315 participants in Screening Method B (86 positive, 229 negative); Phase 2: 139 participants in the reappraisal (75 positive, 64 negative), 32 participants from positive (10 positive, 22 negative), 23 participants from negative (3 positive, 20 negative)</td>
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<td>Haiti, regional sample</td>
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<td>FASY (Women Taking Action for Their Health) psychoeducational HIV/STI prevention sessions based on content from the Population Council’s All in One Curriculum: A Unified Approach to Sexuality, Gender, HIV and Human Rights Education</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - community health workers (CHWs)</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental (cohort study)</td>
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<td>Women over 18 years old</td>
<td>200 enrolled; 176 analysed</td>
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<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Training program for lay health workers in mental healthcare</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (descriptive evaluation)</td>
<td>14 months</td>
<td>Identified cases with mental health disorders, who were then diagnosed by a psychiatrist</td>
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<td>Mattheß (2019)</td>
<td>Cambodia, Indonesia, and Thailand, regional sample</td>
<td>Environmental disaster</td>
<td>Non-camp</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Trauma Stabilization Therapy as a ‘stand-alone’ treatment for clients with PTSD</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - psychiatrists and psychologists</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Observational (descriptive)</td>
<td>4 years</td>
<td>Individuals who fulfilled the DSM-V criteria for PTSD pre-treatment or the ICD-11 criteria for PTSD</td>
<td>Data collected on 4,799 clients (197 fulfilled DSM-V criteria, 164 fulfilled ICD-11 criteria)</td>
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<td>McBain (2015)</td>
<td>Sierra Leone, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>10 week Youth Readiness Intervention, a group-based cognitive behavioural intervention for war-affected young people who show psychological distress and functional impairments</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - local community workers</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>12 weeks</td>
<td>Youth aged 15-24 years who met criteria for internalizing and externalizing symptoms previously documented among war-affected young people in the study area, reported impairment in day-to-day functioning and were out of school; primary caretakers or those considered emotionally closest with an enrolled youth</td>
<td>431 youth enrolled (220 intervention, 211 control); 394 youth completed (203 intervention, 191 control); 204 caregivers enrolled (101 intervention, 103 control); 155 caregivers completed (77 intervention, 78 control)</td>
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<td>Sierra Leone, regional sample</td>
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<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>10-week multi-pronged group-based Youth Readiness Intervention (YRI)</td>
<td>Facility-based, school-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - community health workers</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Economic evaluation</td>
<td>12 months</td>
<td>Youth aged 15-24 years who met criteria for internalizing and externalizing symptoms previously documented among war-affected young people in the study area, reported impairment in day-to-day functioning and were out of school</td>
<td>436 enrolled (222 intervention, 214 control); 394 completed (203 intervention, 191 control)</td>
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| McMullen (2013) | **Country:** Democratic Republic of Congo, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp and non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced)  
**Description:** 15 session group trauma-focused cognitive behavioural therapy  
**Implementation site:** School-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - authors and counsellors  
**Part of broader program:** Yes - psychosocial program providing vocational training, food and shelter  
**Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 5 months  
**Sample description:** Males aged <18 years who were either a former child soldier or a witness to a violent event involving a real or perceived direct threat to life  
**Sample size:** 50 enrolled (24 intervention, 25 waitlist control); 48 post-intervention: (24 intervention, 24 control); 12 3 month follow-up (12 intervention, 0 control) |
| Metzler (2019) | **Country:** Uganda, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp  
**Population:** Refugee  
**Description:** Child friendly spaces (CFSs) containing activity areas, latrines, a store, and variety of playground equipment, with psychosocial activities  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** Yes - joint initiative to explore the protective and restorative outcomes and impacts of CFSs in various emergency contexts  
**Study design:** Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)  
**Study duration:** 18 months  
**Sample description:** Environmental clusters were mapped within the villages, households with children between the ages of 6 and 12 were identified, and primary caretakers were invited to participate  
**Sample size:** 689 baseline; 633 endline (463 CFS attenders, 170 CFS non-attenders); 447 follow-up (249 CFS attenders, 81 CFS non-attenders) |
| Miller (2020) | **Country:** Lebanon, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Host community, refugee  
**Description:** 9 week Parenting Group Intervention including 42 hours of in-class training, 3 on-site observations  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No  
**Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 20 months  
**Sample description:** Syrian refugee and host society families with at least 1 child aged 3-12, with preference given to Syrian refugee families  
**Sample size:** 151 enrolled (42 families and 78 caregivers in intervention, 37 families and 73 caregivers in control); 142 completed (78 intervention, 73 control) |
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<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp and non-camp</td>
<td>Host community, refugee</td>
<td>I-Deal intervention for early adolescents versus a structured activity group (SRA)</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>5 months</td>
<td>Early adolescents aged 10-15 years living in the Akkar governate, Syrian refugees and Lebanese and Palestinian of the host community</td>
<td>325 baseline, 257 endline, 226 follow-up</td>
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<td>Momotaz</td>
<td>Bangladesh, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp (rural)</td>
<td>Host community, refugee</td>
<td>Mental Health Gap Action Programme (mhGAP) training and supervision</td>
<td>Observational (descriptive evaluation)</td>
<td>4 months</td>
<td>Physicians and counsellors (BA Psychology, social work or sociology) from government facilities and NGOs serving both the refugee and host population</td>
<td>21 participants at initial training, 19 participants at follow-up (10 new)</td>
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<td>Mughairbi</td>
<td>Libya, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>3-day intervention of psychoeducation and stress coping techniques</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>2 weeks</td>
<td>Libyan individuals aged 19 to 51 who volunteered to take part in the study</td>
<td>41 baseline, 41 endline</td>
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<td>Murray</td>
<td>Ethiopia, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>Common elements treatment approach (CETA)</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>13 months</td>
<td>Children between 7-18 years, living in 1 of the 3 identified camps, and elevated symptoms in at least 1 of the following: trauma-related symptoms, externalizing symptoms, internalizing symptoms</td>
<td>38 children enrolled; 37 children completed</td>
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<td>Democratic Republic of Congo, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Intervention - 12 sessions of cognitive processing therapy (CPT) (1 individual and 11 group), including psychoeducation and cognitive restructuring for survivors of rape; Control - individual supportive counselling</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - psychosocial assistants</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial (cluster randomized)</td>
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<td>Nakimuli-Mpungu (2013)</td>
<td>Uganda, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>5 sessions of Group Counselling held monthly</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - social workers and trauma counsellors</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)</td>
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<td>Nayak (2019)</td>
<td>Rwanda, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Unspecified</td>
<td>Internally displaced</td>
<td>Trauma training of staff on children in unaccompanied children's centres (UCCs)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - individuals with backgrounds in education, social work, and nursing</td>
<td>No</td>
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<td>Newnham (2015)</td>
<td>Sierra Leone, regional sample</td>
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<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>10 sessions of group (8 participants each) Youth Readiness Intervention (YRI) for war-affected youth</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel</td>
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| O’Callaghan (2014) | **Country:** Democratic Republic of Congo, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Not specified (rural)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** 8 sessions of community-participative psychosocial intervention involving life skills and relaxation training and Mobile Cinema screenings  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 3 months  
**Sample description:** Children ages 7-18 and their caregivers living in a war-affected community facing current risks of attack/abduction by armed groups  
**Sample size:** 159 randomized (79 intervention, 80 wait-list control); 158 4-week post-intervention (78 intervention, 80 control); 138 3 month follow-up (71 intervention, 67 control); 159 analysed (79 intervention, 80 control) |
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| Panter-Brick (2018) | **Country:** Jordan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Host community, refugee | **Description:** 8 week program of group structured activities informed by a profound stress attunement (PSA) framework Advancing Adolescents  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** Yes - funded as a part of the No Lost Generation initiative | **Study design:** Randomized Controlled Trial  
**Study duration:** 11 months  
**Sample description:** 12-18 year olds in communities heavily affected by the Syrian crisis, including both Syrian refugees and Jordanian host youth; eligibility based on vulnerability and need  
**Sample size:** 817 enrolled (463 intervention, 354 control); 463 post-intervention (269 intervention, 194 control); 212 follow-up (112 intervention, 100 control) |
| Pityaratstian (2015) | **Country:** Thailand, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Environmental disaster  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** 3 day group cognitive behavioural therapy (CBT)  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 2 months  
**Sample description:** Children 10-15 years old with a primary diagnosis of DSM-IV-TR PTSD  
**Sample size:** 36 enrolled |
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<td>Ponguta</td>
<td>Lebanon, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp and non-camp</td>
<td>Host community, refugee</td>
<td>25 session group-based mother-child education program (MOCEP) on parenting stress and practices</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>6-8 months</td>
<td>Mothers who were literate in Arabic, had a child between 2-7 years, and lived in the catchment area 106 enrolled (53 intervention, 53 control); 69 analysed (35 intervention, 34 control)</td>
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<td>Poole</td>
<td>Greece, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>Comparing the performance of the PHQ-2 to the Sequential Screening of the PHQ-2/8 to identify symptoms consistent with major depressive disorder</td>
<td>Other</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (cross-sectional)</td>
<td>Unclear</td>
<td>Residents of the Syrian refugee camp who volunteered 135 participated; 129 analysed</td>
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<td>Powell</td>
<td>Jordan, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Host community, refugee</td>
<td>Integrated physical and mental health awareness education intervention to reduce non-communicable diseases – participants assigned to 1) the Health Community Clinic (HCC), 2) HCC with mental health awareness sessions, and 3) standard healthcare</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - Masters' level trained health awareness educators</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental</td>
<td>20 months</td>
<td>Syrian refugees and Jordanian nationals between 18-75 years old that utilized services at the health centres and were at risk for or diagnosed with an NCD 600 (248 HCC, 233 HCC-MH, 213 standard care)</td>
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<td>Poznysh</td>
<td>Ukraine, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced), internally displaced</td>
<td>10 individual sessions of Art Therapy</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>Unspecified</td>
<td>Children aged 10-17 comprised of inhabitants of radioactive contaminated territories and forced migrants from armed conflict zone 113 analysed (57 group 1, 56 group 2)</td>
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| **Rahman (2016)** | **Country:** Pakistan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** 5 weekly multi-component individual behavioural counselling sessions  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 3 months  
**Sample description:** Routine patients from 3 primary care centres aged 18 to 60 with high levels of both psychological distress and functional impairment according to the World Health Organization Disability Assessment Schedule 2.0 (WHODAS 2.0)  
**Sample size:** 346 enrolled (172 intervention, 174 control); 306 3 month follow-up (146 intervention, 160 control) |
| **Rahman (2019)** | **Country:** Pakistan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** 5 sessions of Group WHO PM+ intervention for women  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 3 months  
**Sample description:** Women in designated community clusters aged 18-60 years who intended to reside in the catchment area for the next 6 months who score 3 or more on the General Health Questionnaire-12 (GHQ-12) and 17 or more on the WHODAS  
**Sample size:** 612 enrolled (306 intervention, 306 control); 578 followed up at 3 months (288 intervention, 290 control) |
| **Rees (2014)** | **Country:** Uganda, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** Transcendental Meditation  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)  
**Study duration:** 90 days  
**Sample description:** Individuals in the camp exposed to combat, sexual assault, torture, and/or forced to witness the abuse or killing of loved ones with PCL-C scores greater than 46, not practicing any other Eastern or Western system of meditation, free of severe mental problems that would interfere with practicing TM  
**Sample size:** 11 analysed |
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<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Sport-for-development intervention</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>5 months</td>
<td>Adolescents who were able bodied, 11-14 years old attending 6th grade at the study schools</td>
<td>904 enrolled (618 intervention, 286 control); 877 followed up (601 intervention, 276 control)</td>
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<td>Robjant (2019)</td>
<td>Democratic Republic of Congo, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>6 individual sessions of Narrative Exposure Therapy for Forensic Offender Rehabilitation (FORNET)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>16 months</td>
<td>Females 16 years or older that had been recruited into an armed group and fulfilled the diagnostic criteria of PTSD</td>
<td>92 enrolled (46 intervention, 46 control), 84 analysed (43 intervention, 41 control)</td>
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<td>Sahyoun (2019)</td>
<td>Lebanon, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>Healthy Kitchens, Health Children (HKHC) program involving working in the kitchen as a small business enterprise</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - nutritionists</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>8 months</td>
<td>Women ages 18-64 living in the camp that had either applied for the UNRWA social safety net program or had attended previous CBO activities and had previously expressed a need/willingness to work</td>
<td>32 analysed</td>
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<td>Salihu (2021)</td>
<td>Nigeria, regional</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp</td>
<td>Internally displaced</td>
<td>8 weekly sessions of African Circle Dance (ACD) Therapy and psychoeducation</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professionals and lay personnel - mental health nurse and dance specialist</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)</td>
<td>4 months</td>
<td>Individuals aged &gt;= 18 years living in 1 of the 2 IDP camps who exhibited depressive symptoms</td>
<td>198 enrolled (100 intervention, 98 control); 198 analysed</td>
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<td>Sangraula</td>
<td>Nepal, regional sample</td>
<td>Environmental disaster</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>5 session Group Problem Management Plus (PM+)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - community-based psychosocial workers</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>8-8.5 weeks</td>
<td>Residents of the study Village Development Committees (VDCs) aged &gt;=18 years</td>
<td>121 enrolled (61 intervention, 60 control); 118 completed (60 intervention, 58 control)</td>
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<td>Schubert</td>
<td>East Timor, regional</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>2 weeks of Eye Movement Desensitization and Reprocessing (EMDR) Therapy compared to a waitlist control</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - clinical psychologists</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)</td>
<td>3 months</td>
<td>Timorese aged 18-65 years, with a traumatic event at least 3 months prior to study entry, reported PTSD symptoms, trauma symptom scale score &gt;=2 using the Harvard Trauma Questionnaire (HTQ) and some social support</td>
<td>23 enrolled; 21 analysed</td>
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<td>Malaysia, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>8 week somatic-focused group cognitive behavioural therapy (CBT)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - author and therapist without mental health training</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>5 months</td>
<td>Female refugees or asylum seekers 19 years or older, living in Malaysia, Dari speaking, and symptomatic for emotional distress according to the Refugee Health Screening</td>
<td>29 enrolled (20 intervention, 9 waitlist control)</td>
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<td>Shultz (2019)</td>
<td>Colombia, regional sample</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Internally displaced</td>
<td>3-stage stepped-care OSITA (Outreach, Screening, and Intervention for Trauma) involving interpersonal psychotherapy (IPC): Step 1: IPC1 session, Step 2: additional IPC1 sessions; Step 3: for women with thoughts of self-harm/suicide to be referred to psychiatric consultation or psychiatric emergency service</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - government psychosocial professionals, graduate students, and community members</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (descriptive)</td>
<td>1 year</td>
<td>Women residing in Bogota who self-reported to be displaced victims of armed conflict</td>
<td>279 enrolled</td>
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<td>Sijbrandij (2020)</td>
<td>Sierra Leone, regional sample</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>11 one-day trainings of Psychological First aid (PFA)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - trained mental health nurses</td>
<td>Yes - part of a larger mixed methods study on the effectiveness of psychological first aid</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>9 months</td>
<td>Primary health care workers &gt;=18 years old with adequate oral and written command of the English or Krio language working at peripheral health units (PHUs) who had not previously received any PFA training or training with overlapping content</td>
<td>129 PHUs enrolled (63 intervention, 66 control); 408 healthcare workers analysed (206 intervention, 202 control)</td>
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| **Steinhilber (2019)** | **Country:** Jordan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp  
**Population:** Host community, refugee  
**Description:** Psychosocial support for scholarship students including coverage for individual tutorials, sports activities, English language courses, mentoring program, summer school, etc.  
**Implementation site:** University-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No  
**Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** over 1 year  
**Sample description:** Scholarship holders in a Masters program including Syrian refugees and socially disadvantaged Jordanians  
**Sample size:** 75 enrolled; 43 analysed |
| **Sullivan (2019)** | **Country:** Bangladesh, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp  
**Population:** Refugee  
**Description:** 90 minute session of peer to peer teaching for 13 CHWs of low-cost tools like acupuncture and breathing techniques for the alleviation of mental health complaints  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No  
**Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** Not specified (7 day follow-up)  
**Sample description:** Households that CHWs usually work in that felt low mood, stress, difficulty in sleeping or pain may exist  
**Sample size:** 46 household members |
| **Tang (2015)** | **Country:** Taiwan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Environmental disaster  
**Context type:** Unclear  
**Population:** Internally displaced  
**Description:** 4 sessions of Eye Movement Desensitization and reprocessing (EMDR) for PTSD  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel - psychologists, psychiatrists, and “class mentors”  
**Part of broader program:** No  
**Sample description:** Adolescents with posttraumatic stress disorder related to Typhoon Morakot (which occurred 3 months earlier), major depressive disorder, or current moderate or high suicide risk after experiencing Typhoon Morakot  
**Sample size:** 83 enrolled (41 intervention, 42 control) |
| **Tay (2019)** | **Country:** Malaysia, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp  
**Population:** Refugee  
**Description:** Functional Impairment measure, WHO Disability Assessment Schedule (WHODAS) to assess whether it can serve as a proxy indicator of the range of MHPSS problems  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No  
**Study design:** Observational (cross-sectional survey)  
**Study duration:** Unspecified  
**Sample description:** Self-identified Rohingya originating from Myanmar or the offspring of at least 1 Rohingya parent  
**Sample size:** 959 analysed (573 low impairment, 220 moderate impairment, 166 severe impairment) |
| Country: Malaysia, regional sample  | Description: 6 weeks of Integrative Adapt Therapy (IAT) for common mental health symptoms and adaptive stress compared to a cognitive behavioural therapy (CBT)  | Study design: Randomized controlled trial  |
| Crisis type: Armed conflict  | Implementation site: Community-based  | Study duration: Not specified  |
| Context type: Non-camp (urban)  | Personnel type(s): Lay personnel  | Sample description: Adults aged >=18 years with the presence of at least 1 mental disorder who witnessed or experienced at least 1 traumatic event related to mass conflict, and endorsed at least 1 ADAPT-related stressor on each scale of the relevant measure  |
| Population: Refugee  | Part of broader program: No  | Sample size: 331 enrolled (170 IAT, 161 CBT); 312 analysed 6 weeks post-treatment (166 IAT, 156 CBT)  |

| Country: Burundi, regional sample  | Description: 5 week, 15 session group classroom-based intervention consisting of cognitive behavioural techniques and creative expressive elements  | Study design: Randomized controlled trial  |
| Crisis type: Armed conflict  | Implementation site: School-based  | Study duration: 3 months  |
| Context type: Camp and non-camp  | Personnel type(s): Lay personnel  | Sample description: Children attending schools in areas with continued political violence who were exposed to at least 1 potentially traumatic event and who scored above the standard cut-off on symptom checklists for either PTSD (>=11), depression (>=15), or anxiety (>=5)  |
| Population: Emergency affected (non-displaced), internally displaced, refugee  | Part of broader program: Yes - multi-layered care package implemented in schools that also included universal preventative activities  | Sample size: 328 enrolled and analysed (153 intervention, 176 control)  |

| Country: Uganda, regional sample  | Description: 5 week facilitator-guided, group-based, self-help intervention (Self-Help Plus)  | Study design: Randomized controlled trial  |
| Crisis type: Armed conflict  | Implementation site: Community-based  | Study duration: 3 months  |
| Context type: Camp  | Personnel type(s): Lay personnel  | Sample description: Female South Sudanese refugees with at least moderate levels of psychological distress (cutoff >=5 on the Kessler 6)  |
| Population: Refugee  | Part of broader program: No  | Sample size: 22 clusters enrolled, 712 individuals enrolled (331 intervention, 363 control); 613 analysed (283 intervention, 330 control)  |
| **Tomita (2016)** | **Country:** South Africa, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Not specified  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** mHealth, use of SMS to assess depressive symptoms among refugees  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational (cohort study)  
**Study duration:** 10 months  
**Sample description:** Individuals determined by nurse clinician to have a developmental disability or mental impairment  
**Sample size:** 153 enrolled at baseline, 135 follow-up |
| **Ugurlu (2016)** | **Country:** Turkey, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** 5 day art therapy for trauma, depression, and anxiety  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - licensed art therapists  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 1 week  
**Sample description:** Syrian children aged 7-12 who were living in Istanbul  
**Sample size:** 63 enrolled |
| **Vallieres (2018)** | **Country:** Lebanon, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Unclear  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** Validation and clinical utility of International Classification of Diseases (ICD-11) and International trauma Questionnaire (ITQ)  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - psychotherapists  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Mixed methods  
**Study duration:** Not specified  
**Sample description:** Individuals over the age of 18 and forcibly displaced to Lebanon from Syria within the last 5 years  
**Sample size:** 112 enrolled and analysed |
| **Ventevogal (2014)** | **Country:** Burundi, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Lay interviewer-administered versions of the Depression Self-Rating Scale (DSRS), the Child PTSD Symptom Scale (CPSS), and Screen for Child Anxiety Related Emotional Disorders (SCARED-41) with a gold standard of a semi-structured clinical psychiatric interview according to the Schedule for Affective Disorders and Schizophrenia for School-Age Children (K-SADS-PL)  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** Yes - multisite study on how secondary school-based interventions affect the psycho-social wellbeing of violence affected children | **Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** Not specified  
**Sample description:** 4th or 5th grade children (ages 10-15) from the 3 schools where HealthNet TPO implemented its school-based mental health program  
**Sample size:** 65 enrolled and analysed |
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<td>Vijayakumar (2017)</td>
<td>India, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
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<td>Safety planning cards (CASP) used by community volunteers in home visits</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>15 months</td>
<td>Adults within 2 camps (1 for intervention, 1 for control) assessed for experience of trauma, depression, suicidal ideation, post-traumatic stress, and alcohol use; those with a score &gt;16 on Center for Epidemiological Studies Depression (CES-D) or &gt;30 on Posttraumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) or with an active/passive suicidal ideation or history of previous suicidal attempts were considered high risk</td>
<td>1,303 baseline (639 intervention (288 high-risk), 664 control (187 high-risk)); 265 endline (139 intervention (high-risk), 126 control)</td>
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<td>Wieling (2015)</td>
<td>Uganda, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>4 week, 9 session parenting and family intervention model - Enhancing Family Connection (EFC)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - authors</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>5 months</td>
<td>Individuals who reported experiencing significant difficulty with parenting at least 1 child, willing to complete all 9 sessions, and had a child 6-12 years old</td>
<td>14 enrolled and analysed</td>
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<td>Ziveri (2019)</td>
<td>Syria, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>3 weekly sessions of an integrated psychosocial support (PSS) livelihood intervention</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>4 months</td>
<td>Households interested in agriculture and where farming is the main income source, farmers planning to plant strategic crop, household with rain-fed land and who do not possess agricultural machines and tools and who do not own cars, households who are permanent residents in selected villages, who have not received any agriculture assistance before</td>
<td>140 households enrolled (70 intervention, 70 control)</td>
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## Outcomes of Mental Health and Psychosocial Support Intervention Studies in Humanitarian Crisis Settings, 2013-2021 (n=104)

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<td><strong>Abdulah (2019)</strong></td>
<td>• Overall mental well-being as measured by the General Health Questionnaire (GHQ-12)</td>
<td><strong>Overall mental well-being (SD):</strong> all participants pre 18.21 (5.82), post 3.57 (1.65) (p&lt;0.001, effect size 2.82); psychiatric care + art therapy pre 19.75 (7.63), post 2.00 (1.41) (p=0.015); only art therapy pre 17.60 (5.30), post 4.20 (1.32) (p&lt;0.0001)</td>
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<td>• Socio-psychological well-being measured by the Flourishing Scale (FS; scored 8-56)</td>
<td><strong>Socio-psychological wellbeing (SD):</strong> all participants pre 41.36 (6.01), post 51.21 (2.75) (p&lt;0.0001); psychiatric care + art therapy pre 37.25 (2.36), post 52.25 (0.96) (p=0.001); only art therapy pre 43.00 (6.31), post 50.80 (3.16) (p=0.005)</td>
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| **Acarturk (2016)** | • Exposure to traumatic events and PTSD symptoms as measured by the Harvard Trauma Questionnaire (HTQ)  | **Mean estimated difference EMDR vs. control (95% CI):**  
HTQ: post-intervention -0.96 (-1.18 to -0.74, p<0.001), 1-month follow-up -0.81 (-1.04 to -0.58, p<0.001)  
IES-R: post-intervention -37.65 (-45.66 to -29.63, p<0.001), 1-month follow-up -34.50 (-43.25 to -25.76, p<0.001)  
BDI: post-intervention -15.90 (-20.20 to -11.09, p<0.001), 1-month follow-up -13.28 (-18.73 to -7.82, p<0.001)  
HSCL: post-intervention -0.89 (-1.15 to -0.64, p<0.001), 1-month follow-up -0.70 (-0.96 to -0.43, p<0.001)  
M.I.N.I. PTSD %: intervention 51%, control 96% (p<0.001) | Moderate     |
<p>|                    | • Severity of PTSD symptoms as measured by the Impact of Event Scale-Revised (IES-R)                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                         |              |
|                    | • Depression symptoms measured by the Beck Depression Inventory (BDI)                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                         |              |
|                    | • Anxiety and Depression as measured by the Hopkins Symptoms Checklist-25 (HSCL-25)                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                         |              |
|                    | • DSM-IV Axis-I disorders as measured by the Mini-International Neuropsychiatric Interview (M.I.N.I.)     |                                                                                                                                                                                                         |              |
| <strong>Akiyama (2018)</strong> | • Students’ self-esteem measured by Rosenberg’s Scale                                                   | <strong>Students’ self-esteem (SD):</strong> intervention pre 20.2 (2.36), post 21.1 (2.81) (p=0.02); control pre 19.7 (3.05), post 19.7 (3.28) (p=0.83)                                                                 | High         |</p>
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| **• Health worker knowledge of PFA** (definitions of mental health concepts, PFA principles and core actions, administration of screening tools)  
| **• Readiness to deliver PFA services (total score)** |  
| **Change in health worker knowledge:** Definition of PTSD +5% (p=0.382);  
| What to avoid when administering PFA +15% (p=0.32); how to approach and interact with refugees when administering PFA +45% (p<0.001); how to behave with refugees +26% (p<0.001); things to avoid when listening to the story of a traumatized person +35% (p<0.001); comprehension of PTSD screening tool +20% (p=0.003) |  
| **Readiness levels (SD):** baseline 2.16 (0.47); after training 1.72 (0.40); 1 month follow-up 1.86 (0.43) (p<0.001) |  
| Ali (2020) |  
| **• Overall well-being** |  
| **• Well-being sub-domains (autonomy, environmental mastery, personal growth, positive relations, purpose in life, self-acceptance)** |  
| **Overall well-being (SD):** intervention pre 124.05 (9.35), post 176.00 (13.29); control pre 119.80 (10.80), post 122.85 (10.38) |  
| See article for sub-domain outcomes |  
| Alsmadi (2018) |  
| **• Perceived Stress Scale (PSS)**  
| **• Hamilton Anxiety Rating Scale (HAMA)**  
| **• Multi-Dimensional Fatigue Inventory sub-domains: general fatigue, physical fatigue, mental fatigue, reduced motivation fatigue, reduced activity fatigue** |  
| **Mean at baseline and 6-week follow-up (SD):**  
| **PSS:** intervention baseline 29.83 (5.76), follow-up 28.80 (5.65) (p=0.20); control baseline 31.68 (5.45), follow-up 32.45 (4.65) (p=0.26)  
| **HAMA:** intervention baseline 31.53 (23.55), follow-up 17.20 (SD 9.84) (p=0.001); control baseline 19.77 (14.95), follow-up 16.61 (10.01) (p=0.22)  
| **General Fatigue:** intervention baseline 9.50 (3.12), follow-up 9.46 (1.85) (p=0.91); control baseline 8.27 (2.53), follow-up 8.79 (1.82) (p=0.24)  
| **Physical Fatigue:** intervention baseline 10.01 (3.28), follow-up 8.97 (1.95) (p=0.01); control baseline 9.06 (3.00), follow-up 8.95 (1.71) (p=0.82)  
| **Mental Fatigue:** intervention baseline 11.34 (2.93), follow-up 9.94 (2.06) (p=0.001); control baseline 10.61 (3.13), follow-up 9.54 (2.20) (p=0.09)  
| **Reduced Motivation:** intervention baseline 9.88 (3.44), follow-up 9.40 (2.37) (p=0.27); control baseline 8.77 (2.86), follow-up 8.77 (2.28) (p=0.99)  
<p>| <strong>Reduced Activity:</strong> intervention baseline 9.67 (3.54), follow-up 8.90 (2.23) (p=0.041); control baseline 8.75 (3.09), follow-up 8.45 (2.24) (p=0.57) |<br />
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<th>Adjusted net effect score (SD):</th>
<th>Predictive ability: rate of cases detected, area under the curve</th>
<th>Rate of cases detected: testing sample 31%; total sample 30%</th>
<th>Area under the curve: testing sample 0.954; total sample 0.941</th>
<th>Sensitivity: testing sample 92%; total sample 88%</th>
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<th>Internal consistency: testing sample 0.794; total sample 0.782</th>
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| Bass (2016) | • Depressive symptoms measured with the adapted Hopkins Symptom Checklist (HSCL-25)  
• Dysfunction, based on a series of tasks and activities and rated on a Likert scale from 0-4  
• Post-traumatic stress measured with the Harvard Trauma Questionnaire (HTQ)  
• Traumatic grief measured with the Inventory of Traumatic Grief  
• Adjusted net effect score (SD):  
  • Depressive symptoms: -0.22 (-0.39 to -0.04, p=0.02, effect size 0.57)  
  • Dysfunction: -0.39 (-0.74 to -0.03, p=0.03, effect size 0.53)  
  • Anxiety: -0.19 (-0.35 to -0.04, p=0.01, effect size 0.41)  
  • HTQ: -0.13 (-0.27 to 0.01, p=0.07, effect size 0.35)  
  • Traumatic Grief: -0.11 (-0.24 to 0.02, p=0.08, effect size 0.26) |                                                                                                   |                                                                                                               |                                                           |                                                             |                                                          |                                                          |                                                          | Low          |
| Bell (2015) | • Predictive ability: rate of cases detected, area under the curve  
• Sensitivity and specificity  
• Internal consistency |                                                                                                   |                                                                                                               |                                                           |                                                             |                                                          |                                                          |                                                          | Unclear      |
| Betancourt (2014) | Emotion regulation was assessed using 23 items from the Difficulties in Emotion Regulation Scale (DERS)  
Psychological distress was measured by combining items from the Oxford Measure of Psychosocial Adjustment (OMPA; scored 0-3)  
Prosocial attitudes/behaviours was measured with a subscale  
Social support  
Functional impairment was measured with the World Health Organization Disability Adjustment Scale (WHODAS 2.0; scored 0-4)  
Posttraumatic stress disorder symptoms (PTSD) was assessed with the 12-item University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder Reaction Index (PTSD-RI) |
|---|---|
| Effect size post-intervention and at 6-month follow-up:  
**Emotion regulation:** post-intervention 0.31 (p=0.01), follow-up 0.03 (p=0.84)  
**Psychological distress:** post-intervention -0.03 (p=0.92), follow-up -0.03 (p=0.83)  
**Prosocial behaviour:** post-intervention 0.39 (p=0.001), follow-up 0.01 (p=0.92)  
**Social support:** post-intervention 0.29 (p=0.02), follow-up 0.12 (p=0.47)  
**Functional impairment:** post-intervention -0.32 (p=0.007), follow-up -0.10 (p=0.54)  
**Post-traumatic stress:** post-intervention -0.02 (p=0.88), follow-up 0.14 (p=0.33) |
| Bolton (2014) | Depression measured with the Hopkins Symptom Checklist 25 (range 0-3)  
Post-traumatic severity symptoms measured with the Harvard Trauma Questionnaire (range 0-3)  
Functional impairment measured with a locally developed scale (range 0-4)  
Anxiety symptoms measured with the HSCL-25 anxiety subscale (range 0-4)  
Aggression measured with the 12-item Aggression Questionnaire (range 0-4) |
| Adjusted net difference (95% CI):  
**Depression:** -0.49 (-0.59 to -0.40, p<0.001, effect size 1.16)  
**PTS:** -0.43 (-0.51 to -0.35, p<0.001, effect size 1.19)  
**Functional impairment:** -0.44 (-0.59 to -0.28, p<0.001, effect size 0.63)  
**Anxiety:** -0.48 (-0.61 to -0.34, p<0.001, effect size 0.79)  
**Aggression:** -0.24 (-0.34 to -0.15, p<0.001, effect size 0.58) |

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<td>Stigmatizing behaviour towards people with mental illness measured by the Reported and Intended Behavior Scale (RIBS)</td>
<td><strong>RIBS</strong>: intervention 14.53, control 13.44 (p&lt;0.001)</td>
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| Budosan (2016) | Well-being measured by Camberwell Assessment of Needs Short Appraisal Schedule (17-item, 5-point Likert scale) | **Change in well-being**: field hospital 16%; outpatient health centre 16%; community skills centre 14%; average total 15.3%  
**Change in resilience**: field hospital 17.1%; outpatient health centre 19.9%; community skills centre 14.3%; average total 17.1% | Unclear |
| Chemali (2017) | Symptom Checklist-90 (SCL-90; >64 denotes clinical significance)  
Physiological measures (blood pressure, pulse) | **Mean change from baseline to follow-up 9 months after intervention (SD):**  
**SCL-90**: intervention pre 41.2 (11.8), post 27.2 (13.3), follow-up 18.4 (4.9); general support pre 33.6 (4.5), post 30.8 (11.2), follow-up 27.1 (13.8); control pre 31.2 (13.6), post 32.75 (9.74), follow-up 29 (11.37)  
**SCL-90>=64**: intervention -7 (-13.4, p=0.3141); general support -7 (-13.4, p=0.3141); control -7 (-13.4, p=0.3141)  
**Systolic blood pressure**: -11.9 (18.4, p<0.0001)  
**Diastolic blood pressure**: -6.4 (10.1, p<0.0001)  
**Pulse**: -8.3 (15.9, p=0.0016) | Low |
| Chen (2014) | PTSD symptoms measured with the Children’s Revised Impact of Events Scale (CRIES-13; scale 0-65)  
Depression symptoms measured with the Center for Epidemiologic Studies Depression Scale (CES-D; scale 0-60)  
Resilience measured with the Connor-Davidson Resilience Scale (CD-RISC; scale 0-100) | **Mean score pre, post, and 3-month follow-up (SD):**  
**CRIES-13**: intervention pre 41.2 (11.8), post 27.2 (13.3), follow-up 18.4 (4.9); general support pre 33.6 (4.5), post 30.8 (11.2), follow-up 27.1 (13.8); control pre 31.2 (13.6), post 32.75 (9.74), follow-up 29 (11.37)  
**CES-D**: intervention pre 23.4 (14.2), post 19.7 (13), follow-up 5.3 (5.68); general support pre 13.5 (10), post 17.4 (10.1), follow-up 8.7 (6.15); control pre 15.6 (16.9), post 18.4 (10.2), follow-up 15.2 (10.8)  
**CD-RISC intervention pre**: 51.8 (13.2), post 60.5 (13.8), follow-up 70.8 (19.8); general support pre 49.3 (6.5), post 60.3 (11.1), follow-up 70.1 (12.6); control pre 52.7 (17.9), post 54 (14.1), follow-up 53.1 (12.7) | Unclear |
| Christensen (2020) | Indications of mental health issues as measured by the mHealth screening tool [referral rate] | **Referral rate**: total 20.46% (196/958), female 17.56% (130/740), male: 30.27% (66/218) | High |
| Cole (2021) | Mean score (95% CI):  
| GAD: pre-intervention 13.42 (12.45-14.38), post-intervention 8.96 (8.03-9.89) (p<0.0005)  
| PHQ-9: pre-intervention 14.51 (14.10-16.72), post-intervention 10.90 (9.96-12.11) (p=0.30)  
| WSAS: pre-intervention 24.58 (22.67-26.48), post-intervention 17.29 (15.64-18.95) (p<0.0005) |
| • Anxiety measured by the Generalized Anxiety Disorder (GAD7; scale 0-21)  
| • Depression measured by the Patient Health Questionnaire-9 item (PHQ9; 5 – mild, 10 – moderate, 15- moderately severe, 20 – severe)  
| • Functional Impairment measured by the Work and Social Adjustment Scale (WSAS; >20 indicates moderately severe, 10-20 indicates significant impairment)  
| Corboz (2019) | Mean score (95% CI):  
| Peer violence perpetration or victimization: boys baseline 57.7 (19.4-88.6), midline 43.5 (10.9-83), endline 29.1 (7.5-67.5) (p<0.001); girls baseline 46.9 (29-65.7), midline 41.5 (22.4-63.5), endline 23.6 (11.9-41.3) (p<0.001)  
| Corporal punishment: boys baseline 43.7 (9.7-84.9), midline 33.4 (17.3-62.9), endline 27.2 (10.4-54.5) (p<0.001); girls baseline 35.0 (23.6-48.5), midline 20.3 (13.2-30.1), endline 14.2 (18.6-29.7) (p<0.001)  
| Physical punishment: boys baseline 16.6 (5-42.7), midline 14.9 (4.1-41.7), endline 4.7 (1.3-15.3) (p<0.001); girls baseline 20.0 (7.0-45.4), midline 8.5 (4.7-15.1), endline 2.7 (1.6-4.4) (p<0.001)  
| Depression: boys baseline 63.7 (47.8-79.6), midline 57.8 (50.3-65.2), endline 57.7 (47.3-68) (p<0.001); girls baseline 57.7 (54.5-61.1), midline 55.6 (50.8-60.4), endline 52.1 (48.8-55.5) (p<0.001)  
| Hope: boys baseline 14.2 (11.8-16.7), midline 15.3 (11.5-19.0), endline 15.0 (13.8-16.2); girls baseline 13.5 (12.4-14.6), midline 13.7 (13.2-14.2), endline 16.0 (14.6-17.4) |
| • Peer violence perpetration at school measured by the Peer Perpetration Scale  
| • Peer violence victimization measured through the Peer Victimization Scale  
| • Corporal punishment experience at school  
| • Physical punishment experience at home in last 4 weeks  
| • Depression measured with the Children’s Depression Inventory (CDI-2; range 40-90)  
<p>| • Hope measured with Snyder et al’s Hope Scale (range 0-18) |</p>
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| **Corna (2019)** | • General mental health by mini-mental state examination (MMSE)  
• Self-esteem by Rosenberg’s Self-Esteem scale  
• Depression by Center of Epidemiologic Studies Depression Scale (CES-D; subdomains include depressed mood, guilt/worthlessness, helplessness/hopelessness, lethargy/fatigue, loss of appetite and sleep disturbance)  
• Caregiver skills by Knowledge Attitude Practices Questionnaire: self-care during pregnancy, pregnancy and delivery care, feeding practices and newborn care, access to resources for care, child development and psychosocial stimulation |
| **Mean difference by camp (95% CI):** | |**Moderate** |
| MMSE: Kutupalong 21.5 (20.3-22.4, p<0.001), Nayapara 23.1 (21.8-24.4, p<0.001)  
Self-esteem: Kutupalong 2.8 (1.5-4.2, p<0.001), Nayapara 1.5 (0.5-2.5, p<0.001)  
Depression: Kutupalong -9.9 (-15.4 to -4.4, p<0.001), Nayapara -0.7 (-6.0 to 4.5)  
Self-care: Kutupalong 6.1 (5.6-6.7, p<0.001), Nayapara 2.8 (2.3-3.4, p<0.001)  
Pregnancy and delivery care: Kutupalong 8.4 (7.5-9.2, p<0.001), Nayapara 5.4 (4.5-6.3, p<0.001)  
Feeding practices and newborn care: Kutupalong 2.0 (1.6-2.4, p<0.001), Nayapara 2.5 (2.1-2.9, p<0.001)  
Resources for care: Kutupalong 0.4 (-0.1 to 0.7), Nayapara 0.45 (0.2-0.8, p<0.01)  
Child development and psychosocial stimulation: Kutupalong 8.4 (5.4-11.3, p<0.001), Nayapara 10.7 (7.6-13.9, p<0.001) |
| **Crombach (2018)** | • PTSD Symptom Severity measured with the PTSD Symptom Scale -Interview (PSS-I)  
• Depression measured with the Patient Health Questionnaire (PHQ-9) |
| **Hedges’ g:** | |**High** |
| PSS-I: intervention 3-month 1.62, 9-month 3.44; control 3-month 0.64, 9-month 2.55  
PHQ-9: intervention 3-month 0.84, 9-month 1.88; control 3-month -0.06, 9-month 0.72 |
| **Czaicki (2015)** | • CAGE screening tool for alcohol use disorder  
• Alcohol dependence and harmful drinking patterns measured with the Alcohol Use Disorders Identification Test (AUDIT; score >7 considered indicative of harmful alcohol use requiring some intervention) |
| **Alcohol problem risk, n (%):** | |**Unclear** |
| CAGE assessment: low 73 (30.5%), medium 134 (56.1%), high 32 (13.4%)  
AUDIT assessment: low 67 (57.3%), medium 24 (20.5%), high 26 (22.2%) |
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<td><strong>Self-reported trauma exposure/PTSD:</strong> between-group -0.17 (-0.79 to 0.45); within-group CBT -3.73 (-3.97 to -2.75), PS -2.68 (-3.29 to -2.07)&lt;br&gt;<strong>Depression:</strong> between-group -0.18 (-0.86 to 0.48); within-group CBT -0.39 (-0.85 to 0.08), PS -0.25 (-0.70 to 0.22)&lt;br&gt;<strong>Anger:</strong> between-group 0.19 (-0.57 to 0.96); within-group CBT -1.69 (-2.17 to -1.21), PS -2.03 (-2.64 to -1.44)&lt;br&gt;<strong>Caregiver-reported trauma exposure/PTSD:</strong> between-group 0.03 (-0.77 to 0.83); within-group CBT -1.90 (-2.42 to -1.39), PS -1.98 (-2.43 to -1.52)</td>
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<td>de Fouchier (2018)</td>
<td>• Anxiety and depression measured with the Hopkins Symptoms Checklist (HSCL-25)&lt;br&gt;• Post-traumatic stress disorder measured with the Harvard Trauma Questionnaire (HTQ)</td>
<td><strong>Pre- and post-intervention (SD):</strong>&lt;br&gt;<strong>HSCL - anxiety:</strong> pre 2.02 (0.64), post 1.67 (0.53); effect size 0.34 (p&lt;0.001)&lt;br&gt;<strong>HSCL - depression:</strong> pre 1.96 (0.64), post 1.69 (0.53); effect size 0.23 (p&lt;0.001)&lt;br&gt;<strong>HTQ - PTSD:</strong> pre 2.08 (0.70), post 1.83 (0.49); effect size 0.23 (p&lt;0.001)</td>
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<td>Dhital (2019)</td>
<td>• PTSD symptoms measured with the Child PTSD Symptom Scale (range 0-52)&lt;br&gt;• Depression symptoms measured with the Self-Rating Scale (range 0-36)&lt;br&gt;• Hope measured with the Children’s Hope Scale (range 1-36)</td>
<td><strong>Adjusted effect size (95% CI):</strong>&lt;br&gt;<strong>PTSD symptoms:</strong> 0.33 (-0.71 to 1.37, p=0.536)&lt;br&gt;<strong>Depression symptoms:</strong> 0.30 (-0.21 to 0.80, p=0.249)&lt;br&gt;<strong>Hope:</strong> -0.23 (-1.07 to 0.61, p=0.588)</td>
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<td>Doty (2018)</td>
<td>• Instrument reliability for: depression symptom scale (IDSS), global post-traumatic stress scale (GPTSS), HSCL anxiety sub-scale, ASSIST 3.0 alcohol scale, local functioning scale, WHODAS 2.0 functioning scale</td>
<td><strong>Instrument reliability - consistency (α) and test-retest (ρ):</strong>&lt;br&gt;IDSS α baseline 0.94, re-interview 0.93, IRT-based analysis 0.89; ρ re-interview 0.84, IRT-based analysis 0.87&lt;br&gt;GPTSS α baseline 0.97, re-interview 0.97, IRT-based analysis 0.91; ρ re-interview 0.87, IRT-based analysis 0.87&lt;br&gt;HSCL Anxiety α baseline 0.90, re-interview 0.89, IRT-based analysis 0.82; ρ re-interview 0.80, IRT-based analysis 0.80&lt;br&gt;ASSIST 3.0 α baseline 0.86, re-interview 0.87; ρ re-interview 0.91&lt;br&gt;Local Functioning Scale α baseline 0.92, re-interview 0.78; ρ re-interview 0.85&lt;br&gt;WHODAS 2.0 functioning α baseline 0.95, re-interview 0.80; ρ re-interview 0.90</td>
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<td><strong>ICD-11 PTSD:</strong> pre 100%, post 6.7% (p&lt;0.00001); remission rate 93.3%, effect size 3.78 (95% CI 3.56-3.99, p&lt;0.001)</td>
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| Falb (2020)          | - Food insecurity measured by Household Food Insecurity Access Scale (HFIAS; range 0-9)  
                       - Perceived serious household needs and daily stressors (Humanitarian Emergency Settings Perceived Needs (HESPER; range 0-20)  
                       - Depressive symptom score (PHQ-9; range 0-27) | (95% CI):  
HFIAS: adjusted model -0.90 (-1.14 to 0.65, p<0.0001); household fixed effects model -0.95 (-1.19 to -0.71, p<0.0001)  
HESPER: adjusted model 0.04 (-0.31 to 0.40, p=0.83); household fixed effects model 0.12 (-0.24 to 0.48, p=0.52)  
PHQ-9: adjusted model 0.92 (0.35-1.49, p=0.001); household fixed effects model 0.89 (0.34-1.43, p=0.001) | Low       |
| Foka (2021)          | - Well-being measured with the World Health Organization Well-being Index (WHO-5)  
                       - Optimism measured with the Youth Life Orientation Test  
                       - Self-esteem measured with the Lifespan Self-Esteem Scale  
                       - Depressive Symptoms measured with the 10 item version of the Center for Epidemiological Studies Depression Scale for Children (CES-DC) | Pre- and post-intervention (SD):  
Well-being: treatment pre 41.67 (20.90), post 88.27 (13.24); waitlist pre 40.77 (18.20), post 47.89 (22.03); effect size 42.99 (p<0.001)  
Optimism: treatment pre 4.52 (3.15), post 9.19 (2.24); waitlist pre 4.97 (2.59), post 5.36 (2.74); effect size 27.16 (p<0.001)  
Self-esteem: treatment pre 2.48 (1.38), post 4.57 (0.82); waitlist pre 3.30 (0.92), post 3.28 (1.03); effect size 29.11 (p<0.001)  
Depressive symptoms:  
treatment pre 17.09 (7.06), post 4.40 (4.39); waitlist pre 17.13 (6.86), post 19.04 (5.96); effect size 62.14 (p<0.001) | Unclear   |
| Gammoh (2017)        | - Sleep quality (LSEQ) assessed ease of getting to sleep (GTS), quality of sleep (QOS), awakening from sleep (AFS), and behaviour following wakefulness (BFW)  
                       - Mean sedation (visual analogue scale; range 0-10) at 1 hour, at awakening and at 24 hours  
                       - Mean anxiety (visual analogue scale; range 0-10) at 1 hour, at awakening, and at 24 hours  
                       - Sleep latency at awakening | LSEQ (GTS): control 4.82, valerian 5.02, chlorpheniramine 6.28 (p=0.001)  
LSEQ (QOS): control 4.85, valerian 5.33, chlorpheniramine 6.82 (p=0.001)  
LSEQ (AFS): control 4.79, valerian 5.26, chlorpheniramine 6.32 (p=0.001)  
LSEQ (BFW): control 4.80, valerian 5.37, chlorpheniramine 6.64 (p=0.001)  
Sedation: 1 hour control 5.25, valerian 5.18, chlorpheniramine 5.88 (p=0.001); awakening control 5.29, valerian 4.92, chlorpheniramine 4.98 (p=0.001); 24 hours control 5.15, valerian 4.90, chlorpheniramine 5.03 (p=0.164)  
Anxiety (1 hour): control 5.10, valerian 4.63, chlorpheniramine 4.35 (p=0.001); awakening control 5.01, valerian 4.76, chlorpheniramine 4.17 (p=0.001); 24 hours control 5.15, valerian 4.90, chlorpheniramine 4.62 (p=0.004)  
Sleep latency: control 71.83, valerian 64.11, chlorpheniramine 36.08 (p=0.001) | Unclear   |
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| Getanda (2020) | Post-traumatic stress disorder symptoms measured by Revised Child Impact of Event Scale 13 (CRIES-13; cut-off>=17) | Pre-intervention, post-intervention, and 1 week follow-up (SD): CRIES-13: intervention pre 45.0 (6.3), post 17.3 (11.5), follow-up 12.0 (6.4); control pre 40.4 (8.4), post 38.0 (10.0), follow-up 35.2 (9.7); effect size time x group 0.309 (p<0.001) RCMAS: intervention pre 52.6 (10.1), post 44.8 (8.0), follow-up 49.1 (11.7); control pre 47.8 (9.9), post 53.3 (9.1), follow-up 51.9 (7.7); effect size time x group 0.646 (p<0.001) DSRS: intervention pre 18.1 (6.7), post 10.0 (6.9), follow-up 8.6 (8.8); control pre 15.8 (5.3), post 17.0 (5.5), follow-up 18.8 (4.0); effect size time x group 0.662 (p<0.001) KIDSCREEN: intervention pre 26.1 (6.82), post 28.9 (5.85); control pre 30.4 (8.5), post 30.9 (8.2); effect size time x group 0.444 (p<0.001) |
| Gibbs (2020) | Past year experience of physical intimate partner violence (IPV) among currently married women | Adjusted odds ratio (95% CI): Past year experience of physical intimate partner violence (IPV) among currently married women: 0.88 (0.62-1.23, p=0.447) Past year experience of severe physical IPV among currently married women: 0.75 (0.50-1.11, p=0.15) Women’s past week depressive symptoms: -0.35 (-1.19 to 0.48, p=0.406) Past year emotional IPV among currently married women: 0.87 (0.64-1.18, p=0.381) |
| Giraldo (2020) | Adjusted content validity ratio (CVR) sufficiency | Adjusted CVR sufficiency: dEX2 0.88, iEX2 0.88 Internal consistency: 18-item EX2 0.82, dEX2 0.78, iEX2 0.48; 14-item EX2 0.77, dEX2 0.75, iEX2 0.48 Construct validity: 18-item high exposure vs. low exposure EX2 p<0.001, dEX2 p<0.001, iEX2 p<0.001; 14-item high exposure vs. low exposure EX2 p<0.001, dEX2 p<0.001, iEX2=p<0.001 |
| Glass (2020) | • Adolescent internalizing behaviour and prosocial behaviour measured with the Acholi Psychosocial Assessment Instrument (APAI)  
• Experienced stigma | **(SD):**  
**Internalizing behaviour:** PFP only baseline 1.32 (0.24), 12 mo 1.21 (0.21), 24 mo 1.21 (0.21); RFR only baseline 1.33 (0.27), 12 mo 1.34 (0.24), 24 mo 1.34 (0.24); RFR+PFP baseline 1.36 (0.28), 12 mo 1.26 (0.25), 24 mo 1.25 (0.24); effect size group x time $\chi^2=0.96$ (p=0.915)  
**Prosocial behaviour:** PFP only baseline 3.00 (0.59), 12 mo 3.02 (0.54), 24 mo 3.00 (0.54); RFR only baseline 2.94 (0.57), 12 mo 3.02 (0.53), 24 mo 3.01 (0.52); RFR+PFP baseline 2.85 (0.55), 12 mo 3.07 (0.55), 24 mo 3.09 (0.55); effect size group x time $\chi^2=10.56$ (p=0.032)  
**Experienced stigma:** PFP only baseline 1.27 (0.32), 12 mo 1.16 (0.21), 24 mo 1.16 (0.22); RFR only baseline 1.25 (0.32), 12 mo 1.17 (0.28), 24 mo 1.16 (0.28); RFR+PFP baseline 1.29 (0.33), 12 mo 1.16 (0.25), 24 mo 1.16 (0.25); effect size group x time $\chi^2=2.22$ (p=0.695) | Unclear |
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<td><strong>SPTSS (SD):</strong> ITG baseline 49.92 (12.09), post-intervention 22.43 (15.73), $t(42)=9.48$ (p&lt;0.001, d=1.93); DTG baseline 57.10, (10.81), post-intervention 43.01 (13.86), $t(54)=6.30$ (p&lt;0.001, d=1.11)</td>
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| Gormez (2017) | • Post traumatic stress reactions measured by the Child Post-Traumatic Stress - Reaction Index (CPTS-RI; subdomains: intrusion, avoidance, arousal)  
• Anxiety-related psychopathologies measured by the Spence Children’s Anxiety Scale (SCAS)  
• Strengths, emotional difficulties and behavioural problems measured by the Strengths and Difficulties questionnaire (SDQ) | **(SD):**  
**CPTS-RI Total:** pre-test 23.90 (12.76), post-test 17.63 (13.64) (p=0.011)  
**SCAS Total:** pre-test 53.29 (13.78), post-test 40.38 (20.59) (p=0.001)  
**SDQ Total:** pre-test 18.77 (4.28), post-test 16.81 (5.41) (p=0.021) | Unclear |
| Greene (2020) | • Participant Distress | **Change in Distress:** children: pre- vs post-interview -3.30 (p=0.001), pre vs follow-up -0.87 (p=0.385); caregivers pre- vs post-interview -3.55 (p<0.001), pre vs follow-up -2.23 (p=0.026) | Low |
| Study            | Measured Outcomes                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Statistical Tests                                                                                                      | Comments |
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| Haar (2020)      | - Children’s behavioural, emotional, and social issues were assessed with the Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire (SDQ)  
                   - Parenting practices and family functioning were assessed with the Parenting and Family Adjustment Scales (PAFAS): parental consistency, coercive parenting, positive encouragement, parent-child relationships, parental adjustment, family relationships, parental teamwork |  
                   **SDQ (Total Difficulty Scale):** X²(2)=34.16 (p<0.001)  
                   **Parental consistency:** F(2, 45)=7.72 (p=0.001)  
                   **Coercive parenting:** F(1.49, 86.76)=37.72 (p<0.001)  
                   **Positive encouragement:** X²(2)=14.83 (p=0.001)  
                   **Parent-child relationship:** X²(20)=22.54 (p<0.001)  
                   **Parental adjustment:** F(2, 50)=13.51 (p<0.001)  
                   **Family relationships:** X²(2)=40.73 (p<0.001)  
                   **Parental teamwork:** X²(2)=17.06 (p<0.001)  
                   **Hospital Anxiety and Depression Scale (HADS)** range: 0-21; higher scores indicate elevated anxiety or depression  
                   **World Health Organization Disability Assessment Schedule 2.0 (WHO DAS)**, 12-item version, range: 0-48; higher scores indicate more severe impairment  
                   **Depression caseness**, defined as a Patient Health Questionnaire score >=10 | Unclear |

| Hamdani (2020)   | - Plaque Index (PI)  
                   - Gingival Index (GI)  
                   - Oral health related quality of life measured Child Perception Questionnaire (CPQ)  
                   - Child Posttraumatic Stress Reaction Index (CPTSD-RI; high scores indicate worse symptoms) | **Difference-in-differences between PTSD children in intervention and control group:**  
                   **PI:** 0.114 (p<0.001)  
                   **GI:** 0.927 (p<0.001)  
                   **CPQ:** 0.852 (p<0.001)  
                   **CPTSD-RI:** 0.957 (p<0.001) | Unclear |

| Hamid (2021)     | - Hospital Anxiety and Depression Scale (HADS)** | **(95% CI):**  
                   **HADS:** ICER for treatment with international specialist supervisor PKR 2,957.45 (2,261.64-4,029.00); with local supervisor PKR 588.82 (434.01-820.27)  
                   **WHO DAS:** ICER for treatment with international specialist supervisor PKR 4,096.51 (2978.13-6,045.66); with local supervisor PKR 815.89 (575.80-1,225.10)  
                   **Depression caseness:** ICER for treatment with international specialist supervisor PKR 53,759.91 (39,393.57-77,398.62); with local supervisor PKR 10,705.35 (7,730.95-15,627) | Unclear |
| Hermosilla (2019) | • Child protection concerns assessed with the Child Protection Rapid Assessment (CPRA)  
• Psychosocial wellbeing assessed with the Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire (SDQ), Child Psychosocial Well-being (CWB), the Middle East Psychosocial Measure (MEPS), the Short Mood and Feelings Questionnaire (SMFQ), and the Child Hope Scale (HOPE)  
• Developmental assets assessed with the Caregiver Rating of Developmental Assets (CRDA), Developmental Assets Profile (Emergency or Brief; EmDAP/ B-DAP)  
• Knowledge of community resources assessed with the Child Protection Rapid Assessment (CPRA) | (95% CI):  
**Protection concerns:** ages 6-11 0.13 (-0.04 to 0.31, I²=46.35%); ages >12 0.00 (-0.30 to 0.30, I²=63.42%, p<0.036); Ethiopia 0.48 (0.08-0.88); Iraq: 0.58 (0.07-1.09)  
**Psychosocial wellbeing:** ages 6-11 0.18 (0.03-0.33), ages >12 0.12 (-0.13 to 0.38); Ethiopia 0.51 (0.10-0.91); Uganda 0.21 (0.03-0.40)  
**Developmental assets:** ages 6-11 0.19 (-0.11 to 0.48, I²=71.53%, p<0.010); ages >12 0.08 (-0.11 to 0.28); Uganda 0.37 (0.15-0.59); Iraq 0.86 (0.18-1.54)  
**Knowledge of community resources:** ages 6-11 -0.05 (-0.17 to 0.08); ages >12 0.03 (-0.23 to 0.16) | Moderate  
| Hugelius 2021 | • Alternate forms reliability evaluation assessed with the intraclass correlation coefficient (ICC) between HESPER scale and HESPER web  
• First priority need rating agreement between HESPER scale and HESPER Web assessed with Cohen’s K. (see paper for individual items)  
• Feasibility evaluation | Alternate forms reliability evaluation: ICC 0.88 (95% CI 0.60-0.91), Cohen’s K 0.43-1.0; first priority need rating match between HESPER scale and HESPER Web 81%  
**Feasibility:** HESPER Web was quicker than the HESPER interview (p<0.001) | Unclear  

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### Impact of trauma on mental health assessed with the PTSD Check List – Civilian Version

#### PTSD Symptoms:
- **no/low PTSD pre-test:** 27.41 (6.67), **post-test:** 34.48 (12.83) \(p<0.001\)
- **high PTSD pre-test:** 50.09 (7.52), **post-test:** 31.93 (13.86) \(p<0.001\)

#### Violence:
- **no/low PTSD pre-test:** 5.72 (7.52), **post-test:** 5.48 (3.77) \(p=0.544\)
- **high PTSD pre-test:** 6.78 (6.18), **post-test:** 6.18 (4.35) \(p=0.486\)

#### Sense of community:
- **no/low PTSD pre-test:** 6.98 (3.76), **post-test:** 6.35 (3.21) \(p=0.003\)
- **high PTSD pre-test:** 6.67 (3.49), **post-test:** 7.84 (3.25) \(p=0.101\)

#### Emotional coping:
- **no/low PTSD pre-test:** 6.35 (3.01), **post-test:** 7.23 (2.94) \(p=0.053\)
- **high PTSD pre-test:** 7.15 (3.08), **post-test:** 6.74 (3.53) \(p=0.609\)

#### Problem solving:
- **no/low PTSD pre-test:** 9.47 (4.27), **post-test:** 10.16 (3.21) \(p=0.215\)
- **high PTSD pre-test:** 10.26 (3.51), **post-test:** 9.90 (4.26) \(p=0.603\)

#### Social support:
- **no/low PTSD pre-test:** 4.60 (2.55), **post-test:** 4.94 (1.89) \(p=0.315\)
- **high PTSD pre-test:** 3.67 (2.54), **post-test:** 5.33 (2.50) \(p=0.002\)

#### Awareness:
- **no/low PTSD pre-test:** 6.21 (3.64), **post-test:** 7.62 (3.37) \(p=0.009\)
- **high PTSD pre-test:** 8.44 (3.67), **post-test:** 8.15 (3.68) \(p=0.731\)

### Physical aggression and children's ability to deal with aggression measured with the Aggression Questionnaire (range 0-36)

#### Aggression:
- **intervention mean change:** -10.15% \(p=0.033\)
- **control mean change:** 13.11% \(p=0.017\)
- **between group comparison effect size:** 0.60 \(p=0.001\)

### Depression symptoms assessed using the Depression Self Rating Scale (DSRS; range 0-36)

#### Depression:
- **intervention mean change:** 6.18% \(p=0.099\)
- **control mean change:** 3.44% \(p=0.373\)
- **between group comparison effect size:** 0.08 \(p=0.654\)

### Perceived family social support measured with the A-SCAT (range 0-33)

#### Family social support:
- **intervention mean change:** -4.42% \(p=0.402\)
- **control mean change:** 8.82% \(p=0.109\)
- **between group comparison effect size:** 0.32 \(p=0.086\)

### Posttraumatic stress evaluated with the PTSD symptom Scale Interview (PSSI; range 0-51)

#### PTSD severity:
- DS1 baseline \(t(45)=-0.56\), Cohen's \(d=-0.16\) (-0.76 to 0.44), 6 months \(t(45)=2.74\), Cohen's \(d=0.76\) (0.13-1.38)
- DS2 baseline \(t(49)=-0.49\), Cohen's \(d=-0.14\) (-0.71 to 0.44), 6 months \(t(49)=2.32\), Cohen's \(d=0.65\) (0.06-1.25)

#### Appetitive aggression:
- DS1 baseline \(t(45)=-0.85\), Cohen's \(d=-0.25\) (-0.86 to 0.36), 6 months \(t(45)=-0.74\), Cohen's \(d=-0.23\) (-0.82 to 0.39)
- DS2 baseline \(t(49)=-1.31\), Cohen's \(d=-0.37\) (-0.95 to 0.21), 6 months \(t(49)=-1.16\), Cohen's \(d=-0.33\) (-0.91 to 0.25)
| Khan (2017) | Help-seeking for psychological distress by pregnant women  
Psychological distress measured by the Self-Reporting Questionnaire (SRQ) at endline  
Social support measured by the Multidimensional Scale of Perceived Social Support (MSPSS) at endline | Help-seeking for psychological distress by pregnant women: intervention 71%, control 46% (p=0.036)  
SRQ score (SD): intervention 5.35 (3.29), control 6.43 (3.73) (p=0.20)  
MSPSS score (SD): intervention 57.15 (19.11), control 57.11 (14.28) (p=0.992) | Moderate |
| Khan (2019) | Individual psychological distress, measured by levels of anxiety and depression on the Hospital Anxiety and Depression Scale (HADS-A, HADS-D) at 7th week after baseline.  
PTSD assessed using the PTSD Checklist for DSM-5 (PCL-5)  
Depressive Disorder was assessed with the Patient Health Questionnaire (PHQ-9)  
General psychological profile determined with the PSYCHLOPS  
Levels of functioning and generalized psychological distress measured with WHO Disability Assessment Schedule (WHODAS) | (95% CI):  
Combined HADS-A and HADS-D: -4.65 (-7.35 to -1.95, p=0.0009)  
HADS-A: -2.62 (-4.37 to -0.86, p=0.0039)  
HADS-D: -2.48 (-4.00 to -0.96, p=0.0016)  
PCL: -2.79 (-9.51 to 3.94, p=0.4128)  
PHQ: -1.06 (-3.59 to 1.48, p=0.4112)  
PSYCHLOPS: -4.49 (-6.41 to -2.58, p<0.0001)  
WHODAS: -5.37 (-8.97 to -1.76, p=0.0040) | Unclear |
| Khoja (2016) | Improvement in awareness of mental health | % correct response (odds ratio):  
Mental health conditions are treatable: intervention 94%, control 86% (2.52, p=0.0027)  
Symptoms of depression: intervention 90%, control 73% (2.17, p<0.0001)  
Use of drugs and alcohol can be signs of depression: intervention 88%, control 78% (2.03, p=0.0027)  
Denied that myths of jins, jadu, or “wrath of God” is the cause of psychosis: intervention 68%, control 27% (5.66, p=0.0001)  
Questions regarding signs of psychosis: intervention 64%, control 55% (1.56, p<0.0001)  
Past traumatic events may be the cause of PTSD: intervention 77%, control 53% (2.99, p=0.0001)  
Awareness regarding PTSD is extremely important: intervention 83%, control 58% (3.41, p=0.0001)  
Disagreed that mental health patients are largely to blame for their own condition: intervention 93%, control 85% (2.33, p=0.003)  
People should be very caring and kind to patients with mental health problems: intervention 92%, control 80% (2.76, p=0.0001) |
| Knaevels-rud (2015) | Posttraumatic Stress symptoms measured with the Posttraumatic Stress Diagnostic Scale (PDS)  
Depression and Anxiety measured with the Hopkins Symptom Checklist (HSCL-25)  
Somatization measured with the Symptom Checklist-90-Revised (SCL-90-R)  
Quality of life measured with the EUROHIS-QOL | PDS: intrusion F(1,157) 30.74 (p<0.001, d=0.72); avoidance F(1,157) 34.26 (p<0.001, d=0.92); hyperarousal F(1,157) 28.58 (p<0.001, d=0.68), total score F(1,157) 44.29 (p<0.001, d=0.92)  
HSCL-25: anxiety F(1,157) 28.30 (p<0.001, d=0.79); depression F(1,157) 40.66 (p<0.001, d=1.03)  
SCL: F(1,157) 11.68 (p<0.001, d=0.56)  
EUROHIS: F(1,157) 44.20 (p<0.001, d=0.84)  
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| Knappe (2019) | \begin{itemize} 
  \item Symptoms of post-traumatic stress measured with the Impact of Event Scale -Revised (IES-R) 
  \item Mental Health including depression (Patient Health Questionnaire; PHQ-9), anxiety (Hospital Anxiety and Depression Scale; HAD-A) 
  \item Fitness including sleep complaints, pain, health-related quality of life, self-perceived fitness, handgrip strength test, 20 m shuttle run test 
\end{itemize} |
| \textbf{(95% CI):} | PTSD symptoms: $t=3.53$ (p<0.05), $d=0.57$ (0.23-0.91) 
Depressive symptoms: $t=2.48$ (p<0.10), $d=0.40$ (0.07-0.73) 
Anxiety symptoms: $t=1.53$, $d=0.25$ (-0.08 to 0.57) 
Sleep complaints: $t=2.11$ (p<0.10), $d=0.34$ (0.01-0.67) 
Pain: $t=1.55$, $d=0.25$ (-0.07 to 0.57) 
Health-related quality of life: $t=-1.72$, $d=-0.28$ (-0.60 to 0.15) 
Self-perceived fitness: $t=-1.07$, $d=-0.17$ (-0.49 to 0.15) 
Handgrip strength test: $t=-5.61$ (p<0.001), $d=-0.91$ (-0.53 to -1.28) 
20 m shuttle run test: $t=-1.34$, $d=-0.21$ (-0.54 to 0.11) |
| Lakkis (2020) | \begin{itemize} 
  \item Psychological well-being including depression, measured by the WHO Well-being Index 1998 (WHO-5) 
  \item Parenting stress measured with the Parenting Stress Index-Short Form (PSI-SF) 
  \item Psychosocial problems and strengths in child’s daily life measured with the Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire (SDQ) 
\end{itemize} |
| F (df): | WHO-5: all children -4 (66) (p<0.001), Cohen’s $d=0.61$; 3-6 years -4 (49) (p<0.001), Cohen’s $d=0.66$; <3 years -2 (16) (p=0.153), Cohen’s $d=0.46$ 
PSI-SF: all children 7.625 (65) (p<0.001), $d=1.24$; 3-6 years 7.114 (48) (p<0.001), $d=1.31$; <3 years 3.198 (16) (p=0.006), $d=1.07$ 
SDQ: 3-6 years 2.286 (48) (p=0.027), $d=0.40$ |
| Leichner (2021) | \begin{itemize} 
  \item Changes in healthcare provider knowledge and skills measured by a Perceived Competency Checklist (PCC), Assessment of Clinical Expertise (ACE), and Enhancing Assessment of Common Therapeutic Factors (ENACT-18), by participant type 
  \item Service user outcomes including improved functioning and satisfaction with services 
\end{itemize} |
| PCC (95% CI): | psychosocial counsellors +0.44 (-0.11 to 0.77), non-prescriber +0.37 (0.37-0.37), prescriber +1.41 (1.27-1.55) 
ACE (95% CI): | psychosocial counsellors +0.65 (0.34-0.97), non-prescribers +0.46 (0.37-0.56), prescribers +0.12 (0.07-0.18) 
ENACT-18 (95% CI): | psychosocial counsellors +13.64 (8.47-18.8), non-prescribers +7.74 (6.97-10.37), prescribers +8.53 (6.35-10.72) 
Improved functioning: | 57% 
User satisfaction: | Completely satisfied 67%, somewhat satisfied 31%, unsatisfied 2% |

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| Lenglet (2018) | • Change in functioning assessed using the Short Form 6 (SF6; subdomains: body pain, social functioning, role emotional)  
• Changes in symptoms of anxiety and depression measured by the Hopkins Symptoms Checklist-25 (HSCL-25)  
• Changes in coping strategies as measured by the Coping Strategy Indicator (CSI)  
• Changes in perceived social support measured by the Social Provisions Scale (SPS)  

(95% CI):  
**SF6 general health:** 11.81 (4.90-18.72), F=11.41 (p=0.0009)  
**HSCL-25 overall:** -0.53 (-0.67 to 0.38), F=53.71 (p<0.0001)  
**Coping and social support:** problem solving 0.12 (0.02-0.25), F=3.05 (p=0.0825); social support -0.02 (-0.19 to 0.16), F=0.03 (p=0.8622); avoidance 0.30 (0.17-0.43), F=20.16 (p<0.000); perceived social support 2.03 (0.68-3.37), F=8.83 (p=0.0034)  

| Llosa (2017) | • Phase 1 –  
• Screening Method A:  
  • Vignettes of Local Terms and Concepts (VOLTAC)  
  • WHO Assessment Schedule of Serious Symptoms in Humanitarian Settings Household Interview (WASSS-H);  
  • Screening Method B:  
  • Individual interviews  
  • Field-test version of WASSS-I  
  • Self-reporting Questionnaire (SRQ);  
  • Phase 2 – Reappraisal  
  • Mini International Neuropsychiatric Interview (MINI)  
  • Global Assessment Functioning (GAF)  
  • WHO Disability  

**VOLTAC:** sensitivity 56.1%, specificity 93.4%, positive predictive value (PPV) 8.3%, negative predictive value (NPV) 99.5%, correctly classified 93%, area under curve (AUC) 0.75  
**WASSS-H:** sensitivity 100%, specificity 67.9%, PPV 3.2%, NPV 100.0%, correctly classified 68.3%, AUC 0.84  
**Combined WASSS:** sensitivity 100.0%, specificity 56.1%, PPV 2.4%, NPV 100.0%, correctly classified 56.6%, AUC 0.78  
**Combined Method A:** sensitivity 100.0%, specificity 74.4%, PPV 4.0%, NPV 100.0%, correctly classified 74.7%, AUC 0.87  
**Combined Phase 1-Procedures:** sensitivity 100.0%, specificity 50.8%, PPV 2.1%, NPV 100.0%, correctly classified 51.3%, AUC 0.75  
**WASSS-I:** sensitivity 50.0%, specificity 83.4%, PPV 8.1%, NPV 98.3%, AUC 0.67  
SRQ-20 (at least 6 + responses): sensitivity 100.0%, specificity 82.5%, PPV 14.3%, NPV 100.0%, AUC 0.91  
**Combined Method B:** sensitivity 100%, specificity 78.1%, AUC 0.89  

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| Logie (2014) | • Change in HIV knowledge, assessed by the Brief HIV Knowledge Questionnaire  
• Change in STI knowledge, assessed by the Sexually Transmitted Disease Knowledge Questionnaire  
• Change in condom use, assessed by reported consistent use of condoms for sex in last 6 weeks  
• Change in social support from family, friends and significant other, assessed by the Multidimensional Scale of Perceived Social Support  
• Change in resilient coping, assessed by the Brief Resilient Coping Scale  
• Change in depression, assessed by the Beck Depression Inventory Fast-Screen (BDI-FS)  
• Change in relationship control, assessed by the Sexual Relationship Power Scale's 'relationship control' subscale | **Adjusted mean difference (95% CI):**  
**Change in HIV knowledge:** 4.81 (4.36-5.26, p<0.001)  
**Change in STI knowledge:** 0.84 (0.70-0.99, p<0.001)  
**Change in condom use:** 4.05 (1.86-8.83, p<0.001)  
**Change in social support - overall:** 1.02 (-0.30 to 2.34, p=0.130)  
**Change in social support - family:** 0.45 (-0.15 to 1.04, p=0.141)  
**Change in social support - friends:** 0.48 (-0.09 to 1.06, p=0.100)  
**Change in social support - significant other:** 0.17 (-0.28 to 0.62, p=0.456)  
**Change in resilient coping:** 0.04 (-0.36 to 0.45, p=0.837)  
**Change in depression:** -0.63 (-0.88 to -0.39, p<0.001)  
**Change in relationship control:** 0.43 (-0.41 to 1.27, p=0.315) | Moderate |
| Malla (2019) | • Changes in patients' symptoms and functionality using the Global Assessment of Functioning (GAF) scale and Indian Disability Evaluation and Assessment Scale (IDEAS) | **F (df):**  
**GAF scale:** 104.729 (3.449, p=0.001)  
**IDEAS:** 4.364 (1.806, p=0.016) | Unclear |
| Mattheß (2019) | • Changes in PTSD symptoms measured with the Harvard Trauma Questionnaire (HTQ) | **PTSD (95% CI):**  
DSM-V 3.03 (2.83-3.22), t(196)=30.62 (p<0.001), r=0.91, Hedges's g(av)=3.08 (2.88-3.27); ICD-11 2.46 (2.32-2.60), t(163)=34.36 (p<0.001), r=0.937, Hedges's g(av)=3.78 (3.60-3.99) | Unclear |
| McBain (2015) | Changes in Emotional Distress (range 1-4) and functional impairment (range 1-4) measured via Burden Assessment Scale (BAS)  
Changes in prosocial behaviour (range 0-3), internalizing (range 0-3), and externalizing (range 0-3) measured with the Oxford Measure of Psychosocial Adjustment (OMPA) | (95% CI):  
**Emotional distress**: -0.252 (0.026, 0.478, effect size 0.51)  
**Functional impairment**: 0.073 (-0.169 to 0.315, effect size 0.13)  
**Prosocial behaviour**: 0.249 (0.012-0.486, effect size 0.46)  
**Internalizing**: -0.001 (-0.199 to 0.197, effect size 0.00)  
**Externalizing**: 0.002 (-0.157 to 0.162, effect size 0.00) | Unclear |
| McBain (2016) | Incremental cost-effectiveness ratios determined from functional impairment, measured with the World Health Organization Disability Scale (WHODAS) then converted to quality-adjusted life years (QALYs)  
Total costs of program (Y0 and Y1): financial cost and economic cost  
Effectiveness estimates from mixed linear effects models measured at post-intervention and at 6 month follow-up: disability, adaptive behaviour, internalizing, externalizing, emotion regulation | Full sample 0-5% discount rate: linear reduction $7,260 to $10,044/QALY; within study 5% discount rate $8,052 to $10,140/QALY  
Full sample 80-120% estimated cost: linear reduction $5,808 to $9,432/QALY; within study $6,444 to $9,672/QALY  
Upper quartile 0-5% discount rate: linear reduction $3,564 to $6,276/QALY; within study $8,088 to $11,820/QALY  
Upper quartile 80-120% estimated cost: linear reduction $2,856 to $4,272/QALY; within study $6,480 to $9,708  
Total costs of program: financial cost 18,227.6, economic cost 23,102.1  
Costs per person: financial cost 82.1, economic cost 104.1  
Effectiveness estimates (95% CI):  
**Disability**: post-intervention 3.46 (0.87-6.04, p=0.01, effect size 0.31), follow-up 1.07 (-1.92 to 4.07, p=0.48, effect size 0.10)  
**Adaptive behaviour**: post-intervention 0.15 (0.06-0.24, p<0.01, effect size 0.38), follow-up 0.01 (-0.12 to 0.13, p=0.92, effect size 0.02)  
**Internalizing**: post-intervention 0.01 (-0.09 to 0.10, p=0.91, effect size 0.01), follow-up 0.03 (-0.09 to 0.14, p=0.63, effect size 0.07)  
**Externalizing**: post-intervention -0.03 (-0.13 to 0.07, p=0.54, effect size -0.07), follow-up -0.01 (-0.13 to 0.11, p=0.88, effect size -0.02)  
**Emotion regulation**: post-intervention 0.11 (0.03-0.19, p=0.01, effect size 0.31), follow-up 0.02 (-0.09 to 0.12, p=0.79, effect size 0.04) | Low |
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<td>Changes in symptoms of posttraumatic stress measured with the UCLA-PTSD Reaction Index</td>
<td><strong>PTSD:</strong> intervention -26.5 (10.7), control -2.6 (13.2) (F=89.27, p&lt;0.001, effect size 0.665)</td>
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<td>Changes in depressive and anxiety-like symptoms, conduct problems, and prosocial behaviour measured with the African Youth Psychosocial Assessment (AYPA)</td>
<td><strong>Psychosocial distress:</strong> intervention -46.3 (15.2), control -12.5 (19.8) (F=72.47, p&lt;.001, effect size 0.617)</td>
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<td><strong>Depression/anxiety:</strong> intervention -31.1 (9.4), control -8.9 (14.3) (F=58.82, p&lt;0.001, effect size 0.567)</td>
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<td><strong>Conduct problems:</strong> intervention -4.8 (6.3), control -0.1 (7.8) (F=18.18, p&lt;0.001, effect size 0.288)</td>
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<td><strong>Prosocial behaviour:</strong> intervention -8.2 (6.6), control -4.0 (6.4) (F=34.18, p&lt;0.001, effect size 0.432)</td>
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<td>Metzler (2019)</td>
<td>Protection of children and systems of support, care, and protection assessed with the Child Protection Rapid Assessment (CPRA)</td>
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<td>Mental Health and PSWB assessed with Caregiver Rating of Developmental Assets (CRDA) scale</td>
<td><strong>Child protection concerns:</strong> endline -0.001 (-0.416 to 0.414, p=.996), follow-up -0.384 (-1.413 to 0.624, p=0.447)</td>
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<td>Vulnerability assessment</td>
<td><strong>Caregiver stresses:</strong> endline -0.207 (-0.461 to 0.047, p=0.110), follow-up 0.004 (-0.402 to 0.410, p=0.985)</td>
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<td><strong>Psychosocial well-being:</strong> endline 2.093 (1.303-2.883, p&lt;0.001), follow-up 1.324 (-0.391 to 3.038, p=0.074)</td>
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<td><strong>Developmental assets:</strong> endline 2.517 (1.384-3.650, p&lt;0.001), follow-up 2.109 (-0.208 to 4.426, p=0.074)</td>
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<td><strong>Knowledge of CP resources:</strong> endline 0.016 (-0.308 to 0.340, p=0.924), follow-up 0.123 (-0.491 to 0.737, p=0.694)</td>
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<td><strong>Perceived barriers to accessing resources:</strong> endline 0.379 (0.039-0.718, p=0.29), follow-up 0.098 (-0.462 to 0.659, p=0.730)</td>
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<td><strong>Perceived barriers to known reporting mechanisms:</strong> endline -0.268 (-0.885 to 0.350, p=0.394), follow-up 0.062 (-0.703 to 0.827, p=0.873)</td>
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<td>Miller (2020)</td>
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<td>Mean change (95% CI):</td>
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<td>Changes in Caregiver Psychosocial Wellbeing assessed with the Warwick-Edinburgh Mental Wellbeing Scale (WEMWBS; range 14-70)</td>
<td><strong>Stress:</strong> intervention -2.56 (-3.46 to -1.65, Cohen's d=0.65); control -0.51 (-1.34 to 0.31, Cohen's d=0.15)</td>
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<td><strong>Psychosocial Wellbeing:</strong> intervention 2.92 (1.35-4.49, Cohen's d=0.43); control 0.03 (-1.55 to 1.60, Cohen's d&lt;0.01)</td>
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<td><strong>Psychological Distress:</strong> intervention -5.93 (-7.75 to -4.12, Cohen's d=0.75); control 0.88 (-0.98 to 2.73, Cohen's d=0.11)</td>
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| Miller (2020) | - Changes in caregiver Psychological Distress assessed with the Kessler Psychological Distress (K10; range 10-50)  
- Changes in Stress Management assessed with a 10-item scale  
- Changes in parenting assessed with a 24 item measure (range 24-72): warmth responsiveness, harsh parenting, parenting knowledge  
- Changes in Child Psychosocial Wellbeing-Parent report was assessed with the Kid-KINDL; range 24-120)  
- Stress management: intervention 2.95 (1.99-3.90, Cohen’s d=0.71); control 0.18 (-0.56 to 0.94, Cohen’s d=0.06)  
- Parenting total score: intervention 4.27 (2.61-5.93, Cohen’s d=0.59); control 0.29 (-0.79 to 1.38, Cohen’s d=0.07)  
- Warmth-responsiveness: intervention 2.00 (0.94-3.06, Cohen’s d=0.43); control 0.27 (-0.50 to 1.03, Cohen’s d=0.08)  
- Harsh parenting: intervention -0.81 (-1.28 to -0.33, Cohen’s d=0.39); control -0.06 (-0.48 to 0.34, Cohen’s d=0.04)  
- Parenting knowledge: intervention 1.26 (0.86-1.66, Cohen’s d=0.72); control 0.11 (-0.31 to 0.53, Cohen’s d=0.06)  
- Psychosocial wellbeing (parent report): intervention 6.10 (2.24-9.96, Cohen’s d=0.51); control 1.50 (-2.33 to 5.33, Cohen’s d=0.14)  
- Psychosocial wellbeing (child report): intervention: -2.30 (-1.91 to 6.51, Cohen’s d=0.26); control -2.14 (-6.80 to 2.51, Cohen’s d=0.28) |
| Momotaz (2019) | - Psychological wellbeing measured with the Warwick-Edinburgh Mental Wellbeing Scale (WEMWBS; range 14-70)  
- Strengths and Difficulties assessed with the Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire – Child/Adolescent Form (SDQ; range 0-40)  
- Hope assessed with the Children’s Hope Scale (CHS; range 6-36)  
- T0 (baseline), T1 (endline), and T2 (follow-up) (SD):  
  - Wellbeing: intervention T0 53.00 (7.62), T1 52.33 (8.74), T2 53.47 (7.50); control T0 52.39 (7.96), T1 53.70 (7.77), T2 53.66 (6.69)  
  - SDQ: intervention T0 19.57 (6.41), T1 19.57 (5.31), T2 19.23 (5.06); control 18.63 (5.12), T1 18.46 (4.95), T2 17.23 (4.95)  
  - Hope: intervention T0 26.77 (5.41), T1 27.65 (5.38), T2 27.64 (5.49); control T0 26.94 (5.48), T1 27.76 (5.64), T2 27.97 (5.07) |

| Quality of training: scale 1-5  
| Confidence in applying training to their work | Quality of training: average score for all aspects of training 3.5, average score of trainers 4.9  
| Confidence in applying training to their work: 76% felt very confident | Moderate  
| Unclear |
| Mughairbi (2020) | • Change in PTSD diagnosis measured with the Posttraumatic Stress Disorder Checklist pre- and post-intervention  
• Re-experiencing; Avoidance; Hyperarousal symptoms pre- and post-intervention  
• Coping dimensions of task-focused emotion-focused, social diversion, and distraction pre- and post-intervention  

**(SD):**  
PTSD: pre 47.29 (9.96), post 40.12 (8.99) \((t=5.40, p<0.001)\)  
Re-experiencing: pre 14.47 (3.53), post 13.05 (3.13) \((t=2.73, p<0.01)\)  
Avoidance: pre 18.59 (5.53), post 15.37 (4.84) \((t=3.55, p<0.001)\)  
Hyperarousal: pre 14.34 (3.69), post 11.71 (3.76) \((t=4.33, p<0.001)\) |

| Murray (2018) | • Changes in internalizing symptoms measured with the Achenbach Child Behavior Checklist (CBCL/YSR)  
• Changes in externalizing symptoms measured with the CBCL/YSR  
• Changes in trauma symptoms measured with the Child Post Traumatic Stress Disorder Symptom Scale-Interview Format (CPSS-I)  
• Changes in child well-being measured with the Orphans and Vulnerable Children Wellbeing Tool  

**(SD):**  
Internalizing symptoms: children pre: 25.73 (1.97), post 7.76 (1.66); caregivers pre 12, post 3 \((z=4.965, p<0.001, \text{ effect size 0.85})\)  
Externalizing symptoms: children pre 7.5, post 1 \((z=4.958, p<0.001, \text{ effect size 0.85})\); caregivers pre 7, post 2 \((z=4.625, p<0.001, \text{ effect size 0.82})\)  
CPSS-I: children pre 20.83 (8.69), post 5.56 (5.89) \((t(36)=10.38, p<0.001, \text{ effect size 1.71})\); caregivers pre 11, post 4 \((z=5.168, p<0.001, \text{ effect size 0.76})\)  
Wellbeing: children pre 47.48 (15.98), post 62.72 (15.34) \((t=-4.58, p<0.001, \text{ effect size 0.75})\) |

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| Murray (2018) | Changes in feelings of perceived and internalized (felt) stigma  
Moderation of intervention by stigma on the following outcomes: Depression and Anxiety, Posttraumatic stress, and functioning (measured by the Harvard Trauma Questionnaire and the Hopkins Symptoms Checklist) | Difference-in-differences (SE):  
**Effect of CPT on felt stigma:** post-intervention $b=-0.30$ (0.13, $p=0.024$); 6 months post-intervention $b=-0.31$ (0.20, $p=0.119$)  
**Moderation of felt stigma for depression and anxiety:** post-intervention $b=-0.07$ (0.17, $p=0.71$); 6 months post-intervention $b=0.01$ (0.18, $p=0.94$)  
**Moderation of felt stigma for post-traumatic stress:** post-intervention $b=-0.18$ (0.16, $p=0.27$); 6 months post-intervention $b=0.01$ (0.20, $p=0.95$)  
**Moderation of felt stigma for functioning:** post-intervention $b=-0.17$ (0.21, $p=0.42$); 6 months post-intervention $b=0.18$ (0.25, $p=0.48$)  
**Moderation of enacted stigma for depression and anxiety:** post-intervention $b=0.04$ (0.02, $p=0.08$); 6 months post-intervention $b=0.03$ (0.03, $p=0.36$)  
**Moderation of enacted stigma for post-traumatic stress:** post-intervention $b=0.02$ (0.03, $p=0.56$); 6 months post-intervention $b=-0.004$ (0.03, $p=0.88$)  
**Moderation of enacted stigma for functioning:** post-intervention $b=-0.02$ (0.03, $p=0.55$); 6 months post-intervention $b=-0.01$ (0.04, $p=0.73$) | Unclear |
| Nakimuli-Mpungu (2013) | Depression symptoms assessed using the Self-reporting questionnaire (SRQ-20)  
Posttraumatic Stress symptoms measured using the locally adapted Harvard Trauma Questionnaire (HTQ)  
Functioning level assessed using a locally-developed function assessment | (95% CI):  
**Depression:** $\beta$ -1.84 (-3.38 to -0.30, $p=0.019$)  
**PTSD:** $\beta$ -2.14 (-4.21 to -0.10, $p=0.042$)  
**Functioning level:** $\beta$ 3.51 (0.61-6.40, $p=0.018$) | Unclear |
| Nayak (2019) | PTSD Symptoms by a structured checklist of DSM-IV posttraumatic stress symptoms (PTSS Scale) including subdomains of re-experiencing, avoidance/numbing, and hypervigilance | B(SE):  
**PTSD:** model 1 0.06 (0.05), beta=0.04 (p=0.242); model 2 -0.01 (0.07), beta=-0.01 (p=0.860)  
**Re-experiencing:** 0.18 (0.12), beta=0.05 (p=0.144)  
**Avoidance/numbing:** 0.10 (0.14), beta=0.03 (p=0.477)  
**Hypervigilance:** 0.15 (0.11), beta=0.05 (p=0.175) | Unclear |
| Newnham (2015) | Psychological symptoms by the Oxford Measure of Psychosocial Adjustment (OMPA; subdomains: internalizing, externalizing, adaptive attitudes) | **Internalizing:** $p<0.0001$, effect size 0.88; 48% reliable improvement  
**Externalizing:** $p=0.0001$, effect size 0.79; 20% reliable improvement  
**Adaptive attitudes:** $p<0.01$, effect size 0.49; 32% reliable improvement  
**Physical health:** $p<0.05$, effect size 0.41; 12% reliable improvement  
**Psychological health:** $p<0.001$, effect size=0.69; 24% reliable improvement  
**Environment:** $p<0.05$, effect size 0.48; 16% reliable improvement  
**Difficulties in emotion regulation:** $p<0.001$, effect size 0.74; 41% reliable improvement | Unclear |
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| O’Callaghan (2014) | Changes in posttraumatic stress reaction symptoms by the Impact of Events Scale (CRIES-8)  
Changes in internalizing symptoms, conduct problems, prosocial behaviour by the African Youth Psychosocial Assessment Instrument (AYPA) | (95% CI):  
**CRIES:** post 10.03 (8.96-11.09), follow-up 10.11 (9.08-11.15); $F=3.38$, $p=0.36$, $n_2p=0.04$  
**AYPA depression/anxiety:** post 11.57 (10.37-12.77), follow-up 8.23 (7.04-9.42); $F=37.02$, $p<0.001$, $n_2p=0.32$  
**AYPA conduct:** post 5.18 (4.54-5.81), follow-up 4.82 (4.10-5.55); $F=2.42$, $p=0.97$, $n_2p=0.03$  
**AYPA conduct-rated:** post 5.47 (4.65-6.28), follow-up 4.18 (3.37-4.99); $F=11.60$, $p<0.001$, $n_2p=0.13$  
**AYPA pro-social:** post 13.73 (13.08-14.40), follow-up 12.42 (11.27-13.31); $F=6.82$, $p=0.001$, $n_2p=0.08$ | Low |
| Panter-Brick (2018) | Insecurity and Stress by the Human Insecurity (HI)  
Human Distress (HD) scales  
Perceived Stress Scale (PSS)  
Depression and anxiety assessed with the Arab Youth Mental Health (AYMH)  
Emotional and behavioural mental health difficulties assessed with the Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire (SDQ)  
Symptoms of post-trauma intrusion and avoidance by the Child Revised Impact of Events Scale (CRIES-8) | (95% CI):  
**Human insecurity:** -7.04 (-10.90 to -3.17, $p<0.0001$), Cohen’s $d=-0.40$  
**Human distress:** -5.78 (-9.02 to -2.54, $p<0.0001$), Cohen’s $d=-0.28$  
**Perceived stress:** -1.92 (-3.05 to -0.79, $p<0.001$), Cohen’s $d=-0.34$  
**AYMH:** -3.35 (-4.68 to -2.02, $p<0.0001$), Cohen’s $d=-0.44$  
**SDQ total:** -1.46 (-2.42 to -0.50, $p<0.01$), Cohen’s $d=-0.23$  
**SDQ prosocial:** 0.16 (-0.15 to 0.47, $p=0.32$), Cohen’s $d=0.09$  
**CRIES:** -0.94 (-3.07 to 1.19, $p=0.39$), Cohen’s $d=-0.13$ | Moderate |
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| Poole (2020) | • Response rate  
• Validity of screening methods (PHQ-2 and PHQ-2/8 sequential screening) relative to the PHQ-8 MDD classification | **PHQ-2:** p=0.000; Cohen’s kappa 0.42 (95% CI 0.26-0.57); overall agreement 68 (59-76); Area Under Curve (AUC) 0.69, positive predictive value (PPV) 61%, negative predictive value 83%; response rate 91%  
**PHQ-2/8:** p=0.008; Cohen’s kappa 0.70 (0.55-0.80); overall agreement 95(89-98); AUC 0.94, PPV 100%, NPV 91%; response rate 87% | Low |
| Powell (2021) | • Cardiovascular disease risk factors: BMI, blood pressure  
• HbA1C levels | **Difference estimate at 18 months (95% CI):**  
**BMI at 18 months:** HCC -3.98 (-4.16 to -3.80, p<0.001), HCC-MH -4.08 (-4.28 to -3.88, p<0.001), standard of care: reference  
**Systolic blood pressure:** HCC -5.18 (-9.21 to -1.14, p<0.01), HCC-MH -8.76 (-12.79 to -4.74 p<0.001), standard of care: reference  
HbA1C: HCC -0.15 (-0.36 to 0.07) HCC-MH -0.55 (-0.77 to -0.33, p<0.001), standard of care: reference | Unclear |
| Poznysh (2019) | • Anxiety mean index (points) pre- and post-treatment  
• Aggressiveness mean index (points) pre- and post-treatment  
• Exhaustion mean index (points) pre- and post-treatment | **Mean index (SD):**  
**Anxiety:** pre 3.07 (0.36), post 0.93 (0.27) (p<0.001)  
**Aggressiveness:** pre 3.58 (0.39), post 0.75 (0.28) (p<0.001)  
**Exhaustion:** pre 2.01 (0.53), post 0.87 (0.31) (p<0.05) | Unclear |
| Rahman (2016) | • Anxiety and Depression symptom difference by the Hospital Anxiety and Depression Scale (HADS)  
• Posttraumatic stress symptoms difference by the Posttraumatic Stress Disorder Checklist for DSM-5 (PCL-5)  
• Functional impairment difference by the WHO Disability Assessment Schedule (WHODAS 2.0)  
• Progress on problems for which the person sought help by the Psychological Outcome Profiles (PSYCHLOPS) difference  
• Symptoms of depressive disorder difference with the Patient Health Questionnaire (PHQ-9) | **Score difference at post-treatment and 3 month follow-up (95% CI):**  
**HADS-Anxiety:** post -2.77 (-3.72 to -1.82, p<0.001, effect size 0.76), follow-up -2.77 (-3.56 to -1.98, p<0.001, effect size 0.74)  
**HADS-Depression:** post -3.02 (-3.93 to -2.10, p<0.001, effect size 0.91), follow-up -2.98 (-3.74 to -2.22, p<0.001, effect size 0.85)  
**HADS total:** post -5.83 (-7.60, -4.06, p<0.001, effect size 0.88), follow-up -5.75 (-7.21 to -4.29, p<0.001, effect size 0.83)  
**PCL-5:** post -5.86 (-9.09 to -2.63, p<0.001, effect size 0.54), follow-up -5.86 (-8.53 to -3.19, p<0.001, effect size 0.63)  
**WHODAS 2.0:** post -5.42 (-7.42 to -3.41, p<0.001, effect size 0.72), follow-up -4.17 (-5.84 to -2.51, p<0.001; effect size 0.67)  
**PSYCHLOPS:** post –, follow-up -1.58 (-2.40 to -0.77, p<0.001, effect size 0.34)  
**PHQ-9:** post -4.36 (-5.65 to -3.07, p<0.001, effect size 0.87), follow-up -3.41 (-4.49 to -2.34, p<0.001, effect size 0.73) | Low |
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<td>PTSD Symptoms difference measured with the Posttraumatic Stress Disorder Checklist (PCL-5)</td>
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<td>Prevalence of depressive disorders difference by the Patient Health Questionnaire (PHQ-9)</td>
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| Sangraula (2020)                          | • Change in symptoms of depression by the Patient Health Questionnaire (PHQ-9) pretest and posttest  
  • Daily Functioning assessed with the WHO Disability Assessment Schedule (WHODAS; range 12-60)  
  • General psychological distress by the General Health Questionnaire (GHQ-12; range 0-36)  
  • Posttraumatic Stress Disorder Checklist DSM-5 (PCL-5; range 8-40)  
  • Psychosocial Mental Health Problems (PMHP; range 5-20)  
  • Connectedness with family and friends by the Multidimensional Scale of Perceived Social Support (MSPSS; range 12-60)  
  • Coping strategies by the Reducing Tension Checklist (RTC; range 0-40)  | **Mean (SD) | Intracluster correlation coefficient (95% CI):**  
  PHQ-9: intervention -3.5 (4.8), control -1.6 (3.4); ICC baseline 0.12 (0.03-0.41), endline –  
  WHODAS: intervention -9.4 (8.4), control -5.2 (6.7); ICC baseline 0.10 (0.01-0.59), endline 0.09 (0.01-0.62)  
  GHQ-12: intervention -12.3 (7.5), control -3.7 (7.0); ICC baseline 0.16 (0.02-0.62), endline 0.06 (0.00-0.75)  
  PCL-5: intervention -2.7 (7.0), control -1.3 (5.6); ICC baseline 0.21 (0.08-0.45), endline –  
  PMHP: intervention -1.0 (2.8), control -0.1 (2.7); ICC baseline 0.16 (0.05-0.41), endline 0.03 (0.00-0.97)  
  MSPSS: intervention 0.9 (7.5), control -0.1 (7.9); ICC baseline –, endline 0.04 (0.00-0.87)  
  RTC: intervention 5.0 (5.8), control -0.7 (4.6); ICC baseline 0.24 (0.09-0.50), endline 0.21 (0.05-0.59) | Low |
| Schubert (2016)                           | • Trauma exposure and symptoms consistent with PTSD were assessed with the Harvard Trauma Questionnaire (HTQ)  
  • Depression and Anxiety symptoms were measured with the Hopkins Symptom Checklist (HSCL-25) | **PTSD:** post p<0.001, d=2.48; follow-up p<0.001; n2p=0.74  
  **Depression:** post p<0.001, d=2.09; follow-up p<0.001; n2p=0.72  
  **Anxiety:** Post: p<0.001; d=1.77; Follow-up; p<0.001; n2p=0.51 | Unclear |
| Shaw (2019)                               | • Emotional Distress using the Refugee Health Screener-15 (RHS-15) from pretest to posttest for intervention group  
  • Anxiety and Depression using the Hopkins Symptom Checklist-25 (HSCL-25) from pretest to posttest for intervention  
  • PTSD symptoms measured using the Harvard Trauma Questionnaire (HTQ) from pretest to posttest for intervention | **RHS-15:** intervention b=-16.90 (p<0.001), control b=-20.88 (p<0.001), Cohen’s d=2.14  
  **Anxiety:** intervention b=-.80 (p<0.001), control b=-1.10 (p<0.001), Cohen’s d=2.31  
  **Depression:** intervention b=-.59 p<0.001, control b=-.79 (p<0.001), Cohen’s d=2.42  
  **PTSD:** intervention b=-0.24 (p<0.05), control b=-0.82 (p<0.001), Cohen’s d=2.42 | Unclear |
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| Shultz (2019)            | • Dropout rates  
  • Major depressive disorder symptoms measured with pre-, post-, and follow-up scores of the Patient Health Questionnaire (PHQ-9; range 0-27) (n=56)  
  • Anxiety measured with pre-, post-, follow-up measures of the Generalized Anxiety Disorder Screener (GAD-7; range 0-21) (n=47)  
  • PTSD symptoms measured with pre-, post-, follow-up measures of the PTSD Checklist-Civilian Version (PCL-C; range 17-85) (n=40) | (SE):  
  **Dropout rates**: loss to follow-up 30%  
  **PHQ-9**: post 5.64 (0.68, p<0.001), follow-up 8.34 (0.61, p<0.001)  
  **GAD-7**: post 5.36 (0.68, p<0.001), follow-up 6.34 (0.75, p<0.001)  
  **PCL-C**: post 14.33 (1.88, p<0.001), follow-up 16.25 (2.43, p<0.001) | Unclear |
| Sijbrandij (2020)        | • Knowledge retention measured with Knowledge Retention score  
  • Scenario score measured understanding of how to apply appropriate skills and response strategies | Mean difference (95% CI):  
  **Knowledge retention**: post 1.73 (0.98-2.47, p<0.0001), Cohen's d=0.50; follow-up 1.54 (0.76-2.33, p=0.0001), Cohen's d=0.43  
  **Scenario**: post 0.19 (-0.14 to 0.51, p=0.26), Cohen's d=0.04; follow-up 0.65 (0.31-0.98, p=0.0002), Cohen's d=0.38 | Unclear |
| Steinhilber (2019)       | • Self-reported level of anxiety by the Beck Anxiety Inventory (range 0-63)  
  • Previous experience of traumatic event (yes/no)  
  • Need to talk to someone (yes/no)  
  • Perceived social support with the Perceived Support Scale (range 11-44) | Mean (SD):  
  **Depression**: 12.53 (8.01);  
  gender t(41)=-2.90, p<0.05;  
  nationality t(41)=1.48  
  **Anxiety**: 19.47 (11.95); gender t(41)=-2.45, p<0.05; nationality t(41)=-1.12  
  **Traumatic event**: 67.4% experienced a traumatic event  
  **Social support team 1**: 27.63 (9.92)  
  **Social Support team 2**: 24.86 (9.54) | Unclear |
| Sullivan (2019)          | • Reported effect on complaints in a 7-day follow-up (complaints include: general mood, difficulty sleeping, pain, stress) in reported effect N (%) | General mood: helped a lot: 37%, helped 7%, no change 0%, made worse 0%, made much worse 0%, not stated 57%  
  **Difficulty sleeping**: helped a lot 54%, helped 2%, no change 0%, made worse 0%, made much worse 0%, not stated 43%  
  **Stress**: helped a lot 37%, helped 15%, no change 0%, made worse 0%, made much worse 0%, not stated 48%  
  **Pain**: helped a lot 50%, helped 4%, no change 0%, made worse 0%, made much worse 0%, not stated 46% | High |

Annex 10: Study Design and Outcomes of Mental Health and Psychosocial Support Intervention Studies
Taiwanese version of the Multidimensional Anxiety Scale for Children (MASC-T)  
Mandarin Chinese version of the Center for Epidemiologic Studies Depression Scale (CES-D)  
(SD):  
**C-IES-R:** intervention baseline 34.02 (19.85), endline 18.37 (19.60); control baseline 23.10 (18.21), endline 21.36 (17.73) (F=3.79, p=0.05)  
**MASC-T:** intervention baseline 69.78 (19.54), endline 30.61 (25.70); control baseline 48.02 (19.39), endline 41.88 (20.51) (F=9.39, p=0.03)  
**CES-D:** intervention baseline 25.10 (11.50), endline 14.78 (11.36); control baseline 23.14 (10.45), endline 21.07 (9.85) (F=11.87, p=0.01)  
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| Tay (2019) | Predictors of severity for high impairment compared to low impairment using Refugee Mental Health Assessment Package (R-MHAP) assessed trauma events (TEs), peri-migration stressors, post-migration living difficulties (PMLDs) and common mental disorders (CMDs) including PTSD, major depressive disorder, generalized anxiety disorder, and persistent complex bereavement disorder Short Form (WHODAS 2.0) for functional impairment. High impairment >=32; moderate impairment 19-31; lower impairment 0-18  
**Odds ratio (95% CI):**  
**Age:** moderate 0.85 (0.73-0.98, p=0.029), severe 0.70 (0.58-0.86, p<0.001)  
**Male:** moderate 2.54 (1.62-4, p<0.001), severe 5.97 (2.96-12, p<0.001)  
**Employed:** moderate 0.97 (0.61-1.54, p=0.90), severe 5.15 (2.41-10.96, p<0.001)  
**Residency status (being stateless):** moderate 1.75 (1.18-2.63, p=0.006), severe 16.67 (5-50, p<0.001)  
**Exposure to pre-migration traumatic events:** moderate 3.27 (1.70-6.29, p<0.001), severe 3.4 (1.66-7.03, p<0.001)  
**Peri-migration stressors:** moderate 1.11 (1.05-1.16, p<0.001), severe 1.38 (1.27-1.49, p<0.001)  
**Exposure to post-migration living difficulties:** moderate 1.08 (1.05-1.12, p<0.001), severe 1.25 (1.20-1.3, p<0.001)  
**1 mental disorder:** moderate 2.1 (1.48-2.99, p<0.001), severe 4.02 (2.45-6.58, p<0.001)  
**2 or more mental disorders:** moderate 5.36 (3.54-8.11, p<0.001), severe 9.50 (5.52-16.34, p<0.001)  
Low |
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| Tay (2020) | Adjusted treatment effects assessing differences in post-treatment scores between IAT and CBT for Posttraumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD), Complex PTSD (CPTSD) with the International Classification of Diseases (ICD-11), Major Depressive Disorder (MDD), Stressors with the 5 scales of Adaptive stress Index (ASI), and measures of resilience by the Connor-Davidson Resilience Scale (CDRS; range 0-100) | **PTSD** -0.08 (-0.14 to 0.02, p=0.012)  
**CPTSD**: -0.07 (-0.14 to -0.01)  
**MDD**: -0.007 (-0.13 to -0.01, p=0.025)  
**ASI**:  
ASI-1 (safety/security) -0.12 (-0.20 to -0.03, p<0.001);  
ASI-2 (traumatic losses) -0.10 (-0.18 to -0.02, p=0.02);  
ASI-3 (injustice) -0.03 (-0.11 to 0.06, p=0.513);  
ASI-4 (role/identity disruptions) -0.12 (-0.21 to -0.04, p< 0.001);  
ASI-5 (existential meaning) -0.18 (-0.19 to -0.05, p< 0.001)  
**CDRS**: 0.16 (0.06-0.026, p< 0.001) | Low |
| Tol (2014) | PTSD assessed with the Child Posttraumatic Symptom Scale (range 0-51)  
Depressive symptoms assessed with the Depression Self-Rating Scale (range 0-36)  
Hope assessed with the Children’s Hope Scale (range 6-36)  
Functional impairment assessed with a 9 item measure asking about daily activities (range 9-36) | **Mean (SD):**  
**PTSD**: -0.073 (0.109)  
**Depressive symptoms**: -0.008 (0.062)  
**Hope**: 0.065 (0.073)  
**Functional impairment**: -0.035 (0.045) | High |
| Tol (2020) | Psychological distress measured using the Kessler 6 (K6) | (95% CI): K6: post -3.25 (-4.31 to -2.19, p<0.001, effect size -0.72), follow-up -1.20 (-2.33 to -0.08, p=0.04, effect size -0.26) |
| Personal problems identified with the Psychological Outcome profiles (PSYCHLOPS) | PSYCHLOPS: post -2.79 (-4.07 to -1.51, p<0.0001, effect size -0.58), follow-up -1.17 (-2.37 to 0.04, p=0.06, effect size -0.25) |
| PTSD symptoms assessed with the PTSD Checklist Civilian (PCL-6) | PCL-6: post: -3.53 (-4.67 to -2.38, p<0.0001, effect size -0.68), follow-up -1.55 (-2.87 to -0.24, p=0.02, effect size -0.30) |
| Depression symptoms assessed with the Patient Health Questionnaire (PHQ-9) | PHQ-9: post -3.78 (-5.39 to -2.17, p=0.0003, effect size -0.75), follow-up -1.55 (-2.77 to -0.15, p=0.03, effect size -0.31) |
| Anger with 2 dichotomous questions about explosive anger attacks | Explosive anger: post 0.50 (0.32-0.50, p=0.002, effect size 0.50), follow-up 0.63 (0.40-1.0, p=0.04, effect size 0.63) |
| Positive interactions between ethnic groups | Interethnic relationship: post -0.14 (-0.47 to 0.19, p=0.37, effect size -0.06), follow-up -0.19 (-0.56 to 0.19, p=0.30, effect size -0.07) |
| Psychological flexibility with the Acceptance and Action Questionnaire (AAQ-II) | AAQ-II score: post 4.49 (0.90-8.09, p=0.02, effect size 0.42), follow-up 1.11 (-4.26 to 6.48, p=0.66, effect size 0.09) |
| Functional impairment with the WHO Disability (WHODAS) | WHODAS 2.0 score: post -6.10 (-7.86 to -4.34, p<0.0001, effect size -0.77), follow-up -2.52 (-5.01 to -0.03, p=0.05, effect size -0.30) |
| Subjective wellbeing assessed with the WHO-5 | WHO-5 score: post 2.89 (1.52-4.27, p=0.0006, effect size 0.51), follow-up 1.94 (0.81-3.06, p=0.0028, effect size 0.36) |

| Tomita (2016) | Depression symptoms using the Quick Inventory of Depressive Symptomatology (range 0-27: none (<5), mild (6-10), moderate (11-15), severe (16-20), very severe (>21)) | Depression symptoms: overall baseline score 10.3, follow-up score 8.0 (p<0.01); none baseline 22.2%, follow-up 30.4%; mild baseline 26.1%, follow-up 39.3%; moderate baseline 37.3%, follow-up 27.4%; severe baseline 13.7%, follow-up 3%; very severe baseline 0.7%, follow-up 0% |
| Reliability between face-to-face and SMS-based depression screening (test-retest agreement) | Test and re-test reliability: weighted Kappa coefficient test 0.45, re-test 0.25 |
| Preference of screening method | Preferred method: SMS 58.7%, face-to-face 41.3% (p=0.99) |
| Participant feedback | Feedback: would recommend 95%, difficult to use 10%, comfortable to use 86.9% |

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| Ugurlu (2016)                             | PTSD assessed with the UCLA Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (UCLA PTSD) Index for DSM-IV (range 0-84)  
Depression symptoms with the Child Depression Inventory (CDI; range 0-54)  
Symptoms of anxiety with the State-Trait Anxiety Scale (range 20-80) | Mean (SD):  
PTSD: pre 29.80 (10.50), post 15.32 (9.59) (t=5.451, df=24, p<0.001)  
Depression: pre 9.97 (1.01), post 6.00 (4.54) (t=3.955, df=29, p<0.001)  
Trait Anxiety: pre 36.92 (6.96), post 30.28 (7.39) (t=4.366, df=24, p<0.001)  
State Anxiety: pre 30.52 (8.31), post 28.84 (7.15), (t=1.010, df=24) | High      |
| Vallieres (2018)                          | PTSD and Complex PTSD (CPTSD) prevalence rates and associations of symptom levels and age  
Analysis of the factor structure of PTSD/CPTSD symptoms | (95% CI):  
PTSD: 25.2% (17-34); sex X2=0.60, df=1, p=0.437; OR 0.63 (0.19-2.05)  
CPTSD: 36.1% (27-46); sex: X2 =0.24, df=1, p=0.626; OR 1.27 (0.49-3.31)  
Confirmatory factor analysis: results supported a 2-factor higher-order model consistent with ICD-11 PTSD/CPTSD | Unclear   |
| Ventevogal (2014)                         | Depression Self-Rating Scale (DSRS); cut-off score of 19  
Child PTSD Symptom Scale (CPSS); cut off score of 26  
Screen for Child Anxiety Related Emotional Disorders (SCARED-41); cut off score of 44 | DSRS: AUC 0.85 (95% CI 0.73-0.97), sensitivity 0.64, specificity 0.88  
CPSS: AUC 0.78 (95% CI 0.62-0.95), sensitivity 0.71, specificity 0.83  
SCARED-41: AUC 0.69 (95% CI 0.54-0.84), sensitivity 0.55, specificity 0.90 | Unclear   |
| Vijayakumar (2017)                        | Change in rate per 100,000 of suicidal behaviour (suicide, attempted suicide, combined) assessed with Beck’s Scale for Suicidal Ideation (SSI) from baseline to follow-up | Difference in change (95% CI):  
Suicide: 223 (-29 to 747, p=0.09)  
Attempted suicide: 296 (6.7-587, p=0.05)  
Combined: 519 (136-902, p=0.01) | High      |
| Wieling (2015) | Parenting behaviours assessed with the Alabama Parenting Questionnaire (APQ) Subdomains: Parental involvement (range 6-30), positive parenting (range 4-20), poor monitoring (range 5-25) • Sum of parental aggression by the Conflict Tactics Scale-PC total aggression (CTS-PC; range 0-18) • Caring behaviour assessed with the Parental Bonding Instrument Caring Subscale (PBI; range 0-36) • #of child-reported experiences of family violence with the Family Violence Checklist (range 0-30) | Mean (SD): APQ parental involvement: pre 19.0 (4.5), post 22.5 (4.7); paired t test 2.61 (p=0.011) APQ positive parenting: pre 13.0 (3.1), post 15.9 (3.3); paired t test 2.36 (p=0.018) APQ poor monitoring: pre 10.8 (4.7), post 11.4 (4.8); paired t test 0.32 (p=0.751) CTS-PC: pre 5.3 (1.7), post 2.8 (2.6); paired t test 2.93 (p=0.007) PBI: pre 29.2 (7.4), post 32.6 (5.4); paired t test 1.89 (p=0.041) Family violence checklist: pre 3.2 (2.5), post 2.4 (2.0); paired t test 2.12 (p=0.027) | Unclear |
| Ziveri (2019) | Skills and Knowledge (scale 1-4) • Social Well-being (scale 1-4) • Emotional well-being (scale 1-4) • Economic well-being (scale 1-4) • Overall feeling (scale 1-4) | Skills and Knowledge: intervention pre 1.8, post 1.2; control pre 1.8, post 1.7 Social Well-being: intervention pre 1.8, post 1.3; control pre 1.7, post 1.7 Emotional Well-being: intervention pre 1.8, post 1.1; control pre 1.9, post 1.6 Economic Well-being: intervention pre 1.7, post 1.2; control pre 1.9, post 1.6 Overall Feeling: intervention pre 2.4, post 1.4; control pre 2.7, post 2.5 | Unclear |
### ANNEX 11: STUDY DESIGN AND OUTCOMES OF NON-COMMUNICABLE DISEASE INTERVENTION STUDIES

#### Study Design of Non-Communicable Disease Intervention Studies in Humanitarian Crisis Settings, 2013-2021 (n=15)

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| Al alawneh (2019) | **Country:** Jordan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** Home medication management review service  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - pharmacists and physicians  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 9 months  
**Sample description:** Adult Syrian refugees with at least 1 chronic condition or taking 5 or more medications  
**Sample size:** 106 (53 intervention, 53 control) |
| Al alawneh (2020) | **Country:** Jordan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** Home medication management  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - pharmacists and physicians  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 9 months  
**Sample description:** Adult Syrian refugees with at least 1 chronic condition or taking 5 or more medications  
**Sample size:** 106 (53 intervention, 53 control) |
| Ansbro (2019) | **Country:** Democratic Republic of Congo, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Internally displaced | **Description:** Introduction of an integrated diabetic clinic within a hospital outpatient department  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Mixed methods (retrospective cohort & costing study)  
**Study duration:** 3 years  
**Sample description:** Diabetic adults attending an outpatient program in Mweso hospital, North Kivu  
**Sample size:** 243 |
| Ansbro (2020) | **Country:** Jordan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Host community, refugee | **Description:** Primary-level NCD program  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Mixed methods (descriptive quantitative and costing study)  
**Study duration:** 3 years  
**Sample description:** Syrian refugees and vulnerable members of Jordanian population with NCDs  
**Sample size:** 5,045 |
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<th>Population: Emergency-affected (non-displaced)</th>
<th>Description: Health education to enhance exercise behaviour</th>
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<th>Study design: Randomized controlled trial</th>
<th>Study duration: 5 months</th>
<th>Sample description: Seniors living in geriatric homes in Baghdad city</th>
<th>Sample size: 97 (49 experimental, 48 control)</th>
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<td>Crisis type: Armed conflict</td>
<td>Context type: Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Population: Host community, refugee</td>
<td>Description: Outpatient CVD risk-based prevention strategies</td>
<td>Implementation site: Facility-based</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): Health professional cadre</td>
<td>Part of broader program: No</td>
<td>Study design: Mixed methods</td>
<td>Study duration: 1 year</td>
<td>Sample description: Syrian refugee or Jordanian adults ≥ 40 years with 1 of 5 NCDs (CVD, diabetes, hypertension, COPD, or asthma)</td>
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<td>Erenoğlu (2020)</td>
<td>Country: Turkey, regional sample</td>
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<td>Description: Health education to increase awareness of breast and cervical cancer</td>
<td>Implementation site: Facility-based</td>
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<td>Integrated physical and mental health awareness education intervention to reduce non-communicable diseases – participants assigned to 1) the Health Community Clinic (HCC), 2) HCC with mental health awareness sessions, and 3) standard healthcare</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - Masters’ level trained health awareness educators</td>
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<td>Syrian refugees and Jordanian nationals between 18-75 years old that utilized services at the health centres and were at risk for or diagnosed with an NCD</td>
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<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced), internally displaced</td>
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<td>Host community, refugee</td>
<td>Screening for diabetes and hypertension using an eHealth netbook application</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel</td>
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<td>Observational (descriptive quantitative)</td>
<td>8 months</td>
<td>Rural Lebanese &gt;40 years living in catchment areas of 8 primary health centres, Palestinian refugees in 3 camps</td>
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<td>Phone surveys evaluating use of an eHealth intervention</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>15 months</td>
<td>Rural Lebanese &gt;40 years living in catchment areas of 8 primary health centres, Palestinian refugees in 3 camps</td>
<td>1,000 survey respondents</td>
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<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
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<td>Multicomponent intervention to advance the level of care and management of hypertension and diabetes at PHC centres, including logistics and technical support of the health centres; human resource development, promotion of good practice in care, and use of basic documentation tools; and empowering patients attending PHCs and catchment area communities</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>6 months</td>
<td>Adults aged 40 years and above with hypertension and/or diabetes</td>
<td>390 enrolled; 140 analysed</td>
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| Wolff (2020) | **Country:** Rwanda, regional sample | **Description:** Energy-efficient wood-fuelled cookstove and a polypropylene heat retaining box | **Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** May 2015 – Mar 2016 (1 year follow-up)  
**Sample description:** Female Congolese camp residents at least 16 years of age  
**Sample size:** 436 |
|--------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|
|              | **Crisis type:** Armed conflict      | **Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Context type:** Camp  
**Population:** Refugee  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study duration:** May 2015 – Mar 2016 (1 year follow-up)  
**Sample description:** Female Congolese camp residents at least 16 years of age  
**Sample size:** 436 |
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| Al alawneh (2019) | Frequency of treatment-related problems (TRPs) | **Total TRPs at baseline:** intervention 600 events, control 541 events  
**Total TRPs at follow-up:** intervention 182 events, control 514 events  
% change in # of TRPs at follow-up: intervention -69.7% (p<0.001), control -5% (p=0.116) | Low |
| Al alawneh (2020) | EQ-5D QoL scores  
Generalized anxiety score (Zigmond & Snaith) | **Difference in EQ-5D score between groups:** baseline p=0.45, follow-up p=0.266  
**Difference in follow-up EQ-5D 'Health Status' domain, mean (SD):** intervention baseline 50.0 (6.2), follow-up 60.4 (5.1) (p<0.001); control baseline 68.7 (7.2), follow-up 58.6 (5.4) (p=0.03)  
**Difference in generalized anxiety scores between groups:** baseline p=0.202, follow-up: p<0.001 | Moderate |
| Ansbro (2019) | Incremental program costs  
Intermediate clinical and programmatic diabetes outcomes | **Total costs:** 2014 €36,573, 2015 €30 861 (-16% from 2014)  
**Annual cost per patient:** 2014 €475, 2015 €214  
**Visits with achieved control:** blood pressure ~80%, glycaemic 60%; odds of attaining BP control appeared to worsen post-implementation, odds of attaining glucose control improved | High |
| Ansbro (2020) | Total program costs  
Costs per patient per year  
Cost drivers | **Total program costs (INT$):** 2015 4,206,481, 2016 6,400,611, 2017 6,739,438  
**Cost drivers (% of total costs):** drugs 38.4-47%, human resources 35.1-27.9%  
**Costs per patient per year (INT$):** 2015 1,424, 2016 1,751, 2017 1,904 | High |
| Baktash (2019) | Changes in the health belief model concepts, assessed by a pre-test, post-test immediately following intervention, and follow-up 2 months following intervention | **Perceived seriousness, mean (SD):** intervention pre 3.51 (0.80), follow-up 3.88 (0.95); control pre 3.54 (0.69), follow-up 3.60 (0.82); multivariate F(2,94)=8.408, p<0.000  
**Perceived susceptibility, mean (SD):** intervention pre 2.38 (0.65), follow-up 3.08 (1.35); control pre 2.42 (0.66), follow-up 2.79 (1.11); multivariate F(2,94)=12.578, p<0.000  
**Perceived benefit, mean (SD):** intervention pre 2.97 (0.75), post 3.72 (1.17), follow-up 3.56 (1.12); control pre 3.02 (0.65), post 3.35 (0.76), follow-up 3.33 (1.05); multivariate F(2,94)=15.224, p<0.000 | Unclear |
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| Collins (2017)  | • CVD risk scores  
• Concordance of lipid-lowering treatment prescriptions with guidance  
% (95% CI):  
WHO/ISH risk category: <10% (n=1650) 56.8 (54.9-58.6), 10 to <20% (n=325) 11.2 (10.1-12.4), 20 to <30% (n=139) 4.8 (4.0-5.6), 30 to <40% (n=70) 2.4 (1.9-3.1), ≥40% (n=115) 4.0 (3.3-4.7)  
History of CVD (n=608): 20.9 (19.5-22.4)  
Eligible for lipid-lowering treatment: 60.4% (58.6-62.2)  
% of eligible receiving lipid-lowering treatment: 48.3% (45.9-50.6) | Moderate |
| Erenoğlu (2020) | • Awareness of breast and cervical cancer  
Awareness of breast and cervical cancer, mean (SD), between groups:  
baseline intervention 11.76 (8.44), control 8.80 (14.21) (t 0.98, p=0.330); post-test intervention 64.36 (4.74), control 15.43 (10.41) (t 23.43, p=0.000)  
Awareness of breast and cervical cancer, mean (SD), within group:  
intervention baseline 108.23 (8.44), post-test 55.57 (4.64) (t 69.56, p=0.000); control baseline 111.20 (14.21), post-test 104.6 (10.41) (t 42.47, p=0.000) | Unclear |
| Istepanian (2014) | • HbA1C levels  
HbA1C levels, mean (SD): pre-test intervention 8.85 (0.73), control 8.95 (2.17); post-test intervention 8.05 (1.31, p=0.115), control 8.7 (1.7, p=0.448) | Unclear |
| Kayali (2019) | • HbA1C  
Proportion with HbA1C<8%  
Proportion with BP<140/90 mmHg  
Mean HbA1C (SD): Type 1 DM baseline 9.3 (1.8), 6 months 8.4 (1.4, p=0.022); Type 2 DM baseline 9.4 (2.5), 6 months 8.1 (1.8, p=0.001); DM+HTN baseline 9.0 (2.0), 6 months 7.7 (1.6, p=0.003)  
Proportion with HbA1C<8%: Type 1 DM baseline 20%, 6 months 55% (p=0.016); Type 2 DM baseline 35%, 6 months 65% (p=0.016); DM+HTN baseline 32%, 6 months 64% (p=0.039)  
Proportion with BP<140/90 mmHg: HTN only baseline 27%, 6 months 49% (p<0.001); HTN+DM baseline 36%, 6 months 52% (p=0.006) | Low |

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| Difference estimate at 18 months (95% CI): BMI at 18 months:  
  HCC -3.98 (-4.16 to -3.80, p<0.001), HCC-MH -4.08 (-4.28 to -3.88, p<0.001), standard of care: reference  
  Systolic blood pressure:  
  HCC -5.18 (-9.21 to -1.14, p<0.01), HCC-MH -8.76 (-12.79 to -4.74, p<0.001), standard of care: reference  
  HbA1C:  
  HCC -0.15 (-0.36 to 0.07), HCC-MH -0.55 (-0.77 to -0.33, p<0.001), standard of care: reference  |
| Ratnayake (2021) | Differences in # of consultations for hypertension and diabetes: incidence rate ratio, Treatment adherence.  |
| # of consultations (95% CI): HTN 13.5 (5.8-31.5, p=0.00); diabetes 3.6 (1-12.9, p=0.046)  
  Treatment adherence: HTN attended at least 2 visits 45.4%, remained in care 33.9%; diabetes attended at least 2 visits 55.3%, remained in care 50%; HTN+diabetes attended at least 2 visits 82.1%, remained in care 56%  |
| Saleh (2018)a   | Differences in Diabetes and hypertension detection rates per 100,000.  |
| Diabetes: overall 183.56 total, 10.34 suspected, 173.23 pre-diagnosed; rural 191.27 total, 11.21 suspected, 180.06 pre-diagnosed; refugee camps 161.25 total, 7.84 suspected, 153.42 pre-diagnosed (rural compared to camp total p=0.046, suspected p=0.391, pre-diagnosed p=0.070)  
  Hypertension: overall 355.93 total, 87.33 suspected, 268.6 pre-diagnosed; rural 350.46 total, 91.58 suspected, 258.89 pre-diagnosed; refugee camps 371.78 total, 75.03 suspected, 296.75 pre-diagnosed (rural compared to camp total p=0.233, suspected p=0.131, pre-diagnosed p=0.028)  
  Diabetes and hypertension comorbidity: overall 112.61 total, 2.59 suspected, 110.03 pre-diagnosed; rural 117.85 total, 2.7 suspected, 115.15 pre-diagnosed; refugee camps 97.42 total, 2.24 suspected, 95.19 pre-diagnosed (rural compared to camp total p=0.096, suspected p=0.813, pre-diagnosed p=0.1)  |
| Saleh (2018)b   | Differences in survey participants' views on eSahha SMSs.  |
| Easiness: SMSs are easy/very easy to understand 93.9%  
  Usefulness: SMSs are useful/very useful 93.9%  
  Application: SMSs are applied most of the times/always in daily life 76.9%  |

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| • 12-item ‘Equipment Monitoring’ tool for checking availability and functionality of equipment and medication  
• Health provider knowledge and skills  
• Data collection completeness  
• Patient satisfaction  
• Provider counselling  
• Patient awareness of program/where to seek help | **Equipment and medication availability/functionality:** effective process of replenishing most items in due time, except for glucose strips and waist circumference measuring tape  
**Physician knowledge/skills:** 100% correct related to treatment and monitoring; lower levels on diagnosis (25% disagreement on need to take 2 BP measurements, 81% unable to characterize indications of oral glucose tolerance test or related instructions given to patient when ordering test)  
**Nursing staff equipment usage knowledge post-training:** 33% correctly identified how many beeps they should hear when the test strip is firmly inserted into the instrument, 33% how long before instrument turns off automatically, 44% how to clean lancing site  
**Data completeness:** screening forms [random sample] 94% (range 88-100%), BMI and WC most commonly missing items (range 5-12%); patient records >80%  
**Patient satisfaction with encounters:** 60%  
**Counselling/provider inquiry:** 86% patients queried about compliance to medications; 68% patients queried about advice given on behavioural changes; 31-42% questioned on side effects of medications and potential complications. Patient awareness of program/where to seek help: 40% |
| • Forced expiratory volume (FEV1) per protocol population at follow-up  
• Peak expiratory flow (PEF) increase and reduced COPD Assessment Test (CAT)-score | **FEV1, % predicted:** baseline 2.2 L (87%), 9 months 2.21 L (88.4%) (p=not significant)  
**Pre-defined subgroup with airway obstruction (n=31), FEV1, % predicted:** baseline 1.58 L (65.6%), 9 months 1.7 L (70.9%) (p<0.01) |

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# ANNEX 12: STUDY DESIGN AND OUTCOMES OF INJURY AND REHABILITATION INTERVENTION STUDIES

Study Design of Injury and Rehabilitation Intervention Studies in Humanitarian Crisis Settings, 2013-2021 (n=6)

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| Adhikari (2018) | **Country:** Nepal, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Environmental disaster  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Community-based rehabilitation for physically impaired earthquake victims  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - physiotherapists  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational (pre-post test)  
**Study duration:** 2 weeks  
**Sample description:** Medically and surgically stable patients who require rehabilitation  
**Sample size:** 13 enrolled; 13 analysed |
| Algå (2020) | **Country:** Jordan and Iraq, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Negative pressure wound therapy for patients with acute conflict-related extremity wounds at 2 civilian trauma hospitals  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial (individual randomized)  
**Study duration:** 40 months  
**Sample description:** Patients aged >=18 years who presented to the emergency department within 72 hours of sustaining a conflict-related extremity wound  
**Sample size:** 174 enrolled (88 assigned to NPWT and 86 assigned to standard treatment); 165 analysed (83 received treatment in the NPWT group: 80 received NPWT and 3 received standard treatment, 82 received standard treatment in the standard treatment group) |
| Armstrong (2014) | **Country:** Sri Lanka, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp (urban)  
**Population:** Internally displaced | **Description:** Spinal cord injury rehabilitation program at a rehabilitation facility  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel - mental health specialist, nurse, doctor, logistician, and physiotherapist  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational (retrospective analysis of programmatic data)  
**Study duration:** 13 months  
**Sample description:** Patients admitted to rehabilitation with a spinal cord injury and stable vertebral spine  
**Sample size:** 89 enrolled, 89 analysed |
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<td>Jachetti (2019)</td>
<td>Haiti, regional sample</td>
<td>Multiple</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Protocol for administering tranexamic acid in medical management of trauma</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - doctors, nurses, auxiliary service</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (descriptive retrospective pre-post study)</td>
<td>15 months</td>
<td>Patients aged 18-65 years, with blunt or penetrating trauma and a South Africa Triage Score &gt;=7, arriving to the emergency department within 3 hours of trauma</td>
<td>116 patients, 52 in “before” group (prior to protocol implementation) and 64 in “after” group (use of protocol)</td>
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<td>Schauer (2018)</td>
<td>Iraq and Afghanistan, national sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Multiple</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Resuscitative thoracotomy for paediatric patients in traumatic cardiac arrest either pre-hospital or in the emergency department (ED) in a combat setting</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - not specified</td>
<td>Yes - active treatment for injuries sustained in conflict (Role III facilities and forward-surgical teams throughout Iraq and Afghanistan)</td>
<td>Observational (retrospective cohort study)</td>
<td>9 years</td>
<td>All paediatric patients who underwent a documented resuscitative thoracotomy or CPR in the pre-hospital or ED setting during operations in Iraq and Afghanistan in 2007 to 2016</td>
<td>86 enrolled (13 for thoracotomy and 66 for CPR); 86 analysed</td>
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<td>Yuxi (2017)</td>
<td>China, regional sample</td>
<td>Environmental disaster</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Xuebijing injection to treat sepsis-induced acute kidney injury following the 2008 Wenchuan earthquake in a traditional Chinese medicine hospital</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
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<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (retrospective study with intervention and control groups)</td>
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<td>Patients aged&gt;18 years with a history of infection, trauma, and systemic inflammatory response syndrome</td>
<td>55 enrolled (27 in CG group, 28 in CCXG group)</td>
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| Adhikari (2018) | • WHO-DAS score (Wilcoxon’s signed rank test 2 weeks post-earthquake rehabilitation)  
• NPRS - Pain Level Score (Wilcoxon’s signed rank test)  
• Timed Up and Go (TUG) | **WHO-DAS score:** median pre 17, post 12 (Z=-3.196, p<0.001)  
**NPRS:** pain level pre 3.5, post 2 (Z=-2.72, p=0.007)  
**TUG test:** decrease from pre to post (Z=-1.41, p=0.16) | Unclear |
| Ålgå (2020) | • Wound closure by suture, flap, or split-thickness skin graft, within 5 days from initial debridement surgery: proportion closed within 5 days, median time to wound closure  
• Net clinical benefit: composite of wound closure by day 5 and freedom from any bleeding, wound infection, sepsis, or amputation of the index limb  
• Prevalence of in-hospital death and complications | **Wound closure by day 5 (95% CI):** 49% NPWT, 60% standard treatment, absolute difference 10% (-5 to 25, p=0.212), risk ratio 0.83 (0.62-1.09)  
**Median time to wound closure (IQR):** 5 days (4-11) NPWT, 5 days (4-8) standard treatment  
**Net clinical benefit (95% CI):** 41% NPWT, 44% standard treatment, absolute difference 3% (-12 to 18, p=0.750), risk ratio 0.93 (0.65-1.35)  
**In-hospital death:** 0 in NPWT, 1 in standard treatment  
**Prevalence of wound infection:** 12% NPWT, 23% standard treatment, absolute difference 11% (-0.5 to 23, p=0.068), risk ratio 0.52 (0.26-1.05)  
**Other complications:** proportion of participants with sepsis, bleeding leading to transfusion, limb amputation did not differ between groups | Unclear |
| Armstrong (2014) | • Successful discharge to the community  
• SCIM score change from admission to discharge  
• SCIM score on follow-up at 6-12 weeks | **Successful discharge:** 83.2%  
**Mean SCIM score (SD):** admission 55 (18), discharge 71 (19) (p<0.01)  
**SCIM on follow-up (n=28):** 11% improved, 68% stable, 21% decline | High |
| Jachetti (2019) | • Intra-hospital mortality  
• Early mortality  
• Hospital length of stay | **Intra-hospital mortality (95% CI):** 0.32 (0.12-0.84)  
**Early mortality (95% CI):** 1.5 (0.2-20)  
**Median length of hospital stay (IQR):** before group 8 days (4-9), after group 6 days (6-12) (p=0.02) | Low |
| Schauer (2018) | • Survival to discharge  
• Survival by pre-hospital signs of life  
• Survival by ED signs of life | **Survival to discharge:** thoracotomy group 31%, CPR group 9% (p=0.108)  
**Pre-hospital signs of life:** thoracotomy group 75% among survivors, 11% among non-survivors (p=0.104); CPR group 67% among survivors, 28% among non-survivors (p=0.152)  
**ED signs of life:** thoracotomy group 100% among survivors, 56% among non-survivors (p=0.352); CPR group 100% among survivors, 60% among non-survivors (p=0.116) | Low |
|---|---|---|
| Yuxi (2017) | • Change in renal function and inflammatory markers: BUN, CPK, IL-1, IL-6 | **Mean (SD) by CCXG and CG Groups, p-value compared to baseline:**  
BUN: CCXG baseline 16.40 (5.25), day 5 9.96 (2.74, p=0.47), day 7 7.61 (1.73, p=0.023), day 10 6.59 (1.20, p=0.012); CG baseline 15.51 (1.58) (p=0.820 compared to CCXG), day 5 12.09 (1.77, p=0.037, p=0.033 compared to CCXG), day 7 8.96 (1.49, p=0.031, p=0.040 compared to CCXG), day 10 6.19 (0.91, p=0.022, p=0.041 compared to CCXG)  
CPK: CCXG baseline 2887.0 (252.00), day 5 1991.3 (770.70, p=0.037), day 7 1042.7 (477.80, p=0.002), day 10 974.1 (247.22, p=0.001); CG baseline 2605.0 (226.20, p=0.067 compared to CCXG), day 5 2034.3 (514.90, p=0.029, p=0.025 compared to CCXG), day 7 1624.3 (345.50, p=0.013, p=0.017 compared to CCXG), day 10 1260.0 (332.21, p=0.002, p=0.001 compared to CCXG) | Low |
## ANNEX 13: STUDY DESIGN AND OUTCOMES OF HEALTH SERVICE DELIVERY INTERVENTION STUDIES

**Study Design of Health Service Delivery Intervention Studies in Humanitarian Crisis Settings, 2013-2021 (n=56)**

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| Al alawneh    | Country: Jordan regional sample  
Crisis type: Armed conflict  
Context type: Non-camp (urban)  
Population: Refugee | **Description:** Home medication management review service  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - pharmacists and physicians  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 9 months  
**Sample description:** Adult Syrian refugees with at least 1 chronic condition or taking 5 or more medications  
**Sample size:** 106 (53 intervention, 53 control) |
| Alkoudsi      | Country: Jordan and Syria, regional sample  
Crisis type: Armed conflict  
Context type: Non-camp (urban)  
Population: Emergency affected (non-displaced), general population | **Description:** Pharmaceutical care service for polycystic ovarian syndrome (PCOS)  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based - pharmacies only  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - pharmacists  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 4 months  
**Sample description:** Women diagnosed with PCOS  
**Sample size:** 125 enrolled (63 intervention, 62 control); 118 analysed (60 intervention, 58 control) |
| Al Shdaifat   | Country: Jordan, national sample  
Crisis type: Armed conflict  
Context type: Camp and non-camp (rural and urban)  
Population: Refugee | **Description:** 3-stage training program with needs assessments, didactics, and on-the-job training for general practitioners (GPs)  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - GPs  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational (cohort; pre/post)  
**Study duration:** 2 years  
**Sample description:** GPs at health centres  
**Sample size:** 84 GPs |
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<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Host community, internally displaced</td>
<td>8-day essential newborn care course addressing recommendations in the Newborn Health in Humanitarian Settings: Field Guide, with 5-day refresher course at 6 months, supply provision and installation of newborn register</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - registered nurses and midwives</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (interrupted time series)</td>
<td>29 months</td>
<td>Pregnant women who sought childbirth care at a study facility</td>
<td>Women who sought child-birth care: 525 enrolled, 419 analysed; healthcare workers: 12 enrolled, 10 analysed</td>
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<td>Bangladesh, regional sample</td>
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<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Host community</td>
<td>Satellite/mobile clinics, referral services, ambulance services, and community health service workers</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - doctors and other clinic staff, community health workers</td>
<td>Yes - Chittagong Hill Tracts Development Facility (CHTDF) multi-sector program</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)</td>
<td>5 years</td>
<td>Households with women of reproductive age</td>
<td>3,664 enrolled (2,192 intervention, 694 control); 778 analysed (584 treatment, 194 control)</td>
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<td>Iraq, regional sample</td>
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<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced), internally displaced, refugee</td>
<td>6-8 session trauma-informed support, skills, and psychoeducation intervention provided by community mental health workers (CMHWs)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - recruited CMHWs who were pharmacists, nurses, and physician assistants with no prior formal mental health training</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>12 months</td>
<td>Adults in Dohuk reporting experiences of torture and presenting with significant depressive symptoms</td>
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<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Implementation of a 6-monthly appointment spacing approach in HIV care to improve retention</td>
<td>Facility-based, including pharmacies</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (retrospective cohort study)</td>
<td>24 months</td>
<td>Stable HIV patients aged &gt;15 years with current viral load &lt;=1000 copies/ul</td>
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<td>Bernasconi (2019)</td>
<td>Nigeria, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced), internally displaced</td>
<td>Use of the Integrated Management of Childhood Illness (IMCI) clinical decision support system</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Observational (cross-sectional)</td>
<td>1 year</td>
<td>Paediatric consultations of children from age 2-59 months</td>
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<td>Bolton (2014)</td>
<td>Thailand, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
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<td>Transdiagnostic psychotherapy, Common Elements Treatment Approach (CETA)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>8 months</td>
<td>Burmese individuals aged &gt;=18 years who witnessed or experienced a traumatic event, with moderate to severe depression and/or PTSS</td>
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| **Bruno (2019)** | **Country:** Gaza Strip, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Unclear  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** Comprehensive (tiered) mental health and psychosocial support services meant to integrate mental health care into primary care services  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 20 days  
**Sample description:** Randomly selected patients at the study clinic  
**Sample size:** 408 enrolled (205 intervention, 203 control) |
| **Chamla (2018)** | **Country:** Nigeria, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural and urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Integration of child nutrition screening with polio vaccination campaign  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel - vaccinators, nutrition screener, data collectors, supervisors, support staff  
**Part of broader program:** Yes - combined bivalent oral (bOPV) and inactivated polio vaccination (IPV) campaign | **Study design:** Observational (cross-sectional)  
**Study duration:** 1 month  
**Sample description:** Children attending the vaccination campaign (6 weeks-59 months for vaccination, 6-59 months for nutrition screening) in 4 local government areas (LGAs)  
**Sample size:** 1,698,950 targeted for bOPV, 1,618,354 targeted for IPV, 725,509 targeted for nutrition screening |
| **Corna (2019)** | **Country:** Bangladesh, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp (urban)  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** Psychosocial support intervention that consisted of support groups and home visits  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - psychosocial workers trained by clinical psychologist  
**Part of broader program:** Yes - psychosocial and mental health intervention | **Study design:** Observational (single arm pre-post study)  
**Study duration:** 5 months  
**Sample description:** Pregnant refugee women in 4th-6th month of pregnancy  
**Sample size:** 260 enrolled (130 Kutupalong, 130 Nayapara); size of analysed sample not specified |
| **Coskun (2020)** | **Country:** Turkey, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Host community, refugee | **Description:** TORCH infection screening during pregnancy  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Not specified  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Economic evaluation  
**Study duration:** 27 months  
**Sample description:** Pregnant women not serologically tested for TORCH infections before 10th week of pregnancy  
**Sample size:** 9,754 (1,333 Syrian refugee women, 8,421 Turkish women) |
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<td>Deboutte (2013)</td>
<td>Democratic Republic of Congo, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Provision of emergency obstetric care (EmOC), including Caesarean sections</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - health workers trained in anaesthesia, obstetric surgery, and pre- and post-operative care</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Economic evaluation (within a case-control study)</td>
<td>7 months</td>
<td>Women who delivered by C-section at a study facility, matched to women who delivered vaginally</td>
<td>368 enrolled (178 intervention, 180 control); 368 analysed</td>
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<td>Devine (2017)</td>
<td>Thailand, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp and non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>3 strategies for prevention of Hepatitis B Virus (HBV) transmission, with universal HBV vaccination of infants in all options: 1. vaccine only, 2. HBIG after positive maternal rapid diagnostic test (RDT), 3. HBIG after positive maternal confirmatory test</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>Yes - provision of antenatal, obstetric, paediatric and general medical care</td>
<td>Economic evaluation (cost-effectiveness analysis)</td>
<td>2 years</td>
<td>Pregnant women at clinic sites</td>
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<td>Dhital (2019)</td>
<td>Nepal, regional sample</td>
<td>Environmental disaster</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Psychosocial support training for school teachers</td>
<td>School-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - school teachers trained by clinical psychologist</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial (cluster randomized)</td>
<td>6 months</td>
<td>School-going adolescents from grades 6 to 8 with a minimum attendance of 80% and no known diagnosis of mental health problems</td>
<td>15 schools enrolled, 7 pairs and 1 unpaired; 1,220 students enrolled (605 intervention, 615 control); 1,070 analysed (559 intervention, 511 control)</td>
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<td>Djimeu (2014)</td>
<td>Angola, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Multiple (displaced and non-displaced)</td>
<td>Social and economic development health and water, sanitation, and waste management projects</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Children &lt;5 years of age</td>
<td>1,373 children (674 ASAF, 699 non-ASAF)</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)</td>
<td>1 year</td>
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<td>Dozio (2021)</td>
<td>Central African Republic, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Internally displaced</td>
<td>5-session group Problem Management Plus (PM+)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Beneficiaries of the larger income-generating activities program, priority given to participants with a low level of wellbeing</td>
<td>baseline 946, endline 838, post-intervention 140</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>9 weeks</td>
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<td>Draiko (2021)</td>
<td>South Sudan, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Application of chlorhexidine gel to umbilical cord stumps</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - community health workers</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Pregnant women in 2nd or 3rd trimester</td>
<td>2,650 pregnant women enrolled (1,520 treatment, 1,075 control); 1,790 neonates enrolled and analysed (968 treatment, 822 control)</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental</td>
<td>10 months</td>
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<td>Edmond (2018)</td>
<td>Afghanistan, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Standardized training and supportive supervision package aimed at improving existing community health worker (CHW) capacity to provide maternal and neonatal home visits and behaviour change communication messages</td>
<td>System-level</td>
<td>Lay personnel - community health workers</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Random selection of villages and households</td>
<td>1,408 women enrolled (709 intervention, 699 control); 1,378 analysed (689 intervention, 689 control)</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental</td>
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<td>Crisis type: Armed conflict</td>
<td>Context type: Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Population: Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Description</td>
<td>Implementation site: Community-based</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): Health professional cadre - midwives, vaccinators, and nurses</td>
<td>Part of broader program: Yes</td>
<td>Study design: Observational (cross-sectional, population-based evaluation study)</td>
<td>Study duration: 1 year</td>
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<td>Edmond</td>
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<td>Maternal and child health mobile health teams (MHTs) providing primary care services to pregnant and postpartum women and children under 5</td>
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<td>Foster</td>
<td>2017</td>
<td>Establishment of 2 provider networks (including training, technical assistance, supply of medication and logistical support) to provide information about misoprostol and free medication for a medication abortion</td>
<td>Myanmar and Thailand, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp and non-camp (rural)</td>
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<td>Gallagher</td>
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<td>Service approach based on The Essential Elements of Postabortion Care as developed by the PAC Consortium: community mobilization, strengthening provider counselling, treatment of abortion complications, provision of voluntary contraceptive services, and referrals as needed</td>
<td>Democratic Republic of Congo, Somalia, and Yemen, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict, environmental disaster, outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
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Annex 13: Study Design and Outcomes of Health Service Delivery Intervention Studies
| **Gormez (2017)** | **Country:** Turkey, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** 8-week group cognitive behavioural therapy (CBT) delivered by teachers  
**Implementation site:** School-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel - teachers  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 8 weeks  
**Sample description:** Primary and secondary grade Syrian refugee students aged 10-15 years and attending a temporary education centre, selected based on their trauma-related psychopathology as reflected in the Child Post-Traumatic Stress- Reaction Index score  
**Sample size:** 32 enrolled |
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| **Hamdani (2020)** | **Country:** Pakistan, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** 5-week transdiagnostic Problem Management Plus (PM+)  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Mixed methods  
**Study duration:** 4 months  
**Sample description:** Primary care attendees with high levels of psychological distress (score >2 on the General Health Questionnaire (GHQ-12) and functional impairment (score >16 on the 12-item version of the WHO Disability Assessment Schedule 2.0 (WHODAS 2.0))  
**Sample size:** 346 enrolled (172 intervention, 174 control) |
| **Hashmi (2019)** | **Country:** Thailand, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp (rural)  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** Monthly household visits by a nurse with mother-infant pairs when infant was 3-9 months old, with assessment of appropriate infant feeding and WaSH practices as well as counselling on appropriate behaviours via ‘The Healthy Baby Flipbook’  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional (Nurses)  
**Part of broader program:** Yes | **Study design:** Observational (cohort study)  
**Study duration:** 6 months  
**Sample description:** Mother-infant pairs with term, healthy infants aged 2 months  
**Sample size:** 20 mother-infant pairs |
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| **Istepanian (2014)** | **Country:** Iraq, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Emergency-affected (non-displaced)  
**Description:** Mobile health for diabetes management in primary care  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre  
**Part of broader program:** No  
**Study design:** Randomized controlled trial (feasibility study)  
**Study duration:** 9 months  
**Sample description:** Type 2 diabetic patients from the study clinic with possession of a mobile phone device  
**Sample size:** 12 (6 intervention, 6 control) |
| **Jachetti (2019)** | **Country:** Haiti, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Multiple  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced)  
**Description:** Protocol for administering tranexamic acid in medical management of trauma  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - doctors, nurses, auxiliary service  
**Part of broader program:** No  
**Study design:** Observational (descriptive retrospective pre-post study)  
**Study duration:** 15 months  
**Sample description:** Patients aged 18-65 years, with blunt or penetrating trauma and a South Africa Triage Score >=7, arriving to the emergency department within 3 hours of trauma  
**Sample size:** 116 patients, 52 in “before” group (prior to protocol implementation) and 64 in “after” group (use of protocol) |
| **Kayali (2019)** | **Country:** Lebanon, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp (urban)  
**Population:** Refugee  
**Description:** Clinic-based healthcare provision for diabetes and hypertension  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre  
**Part of broader program:** No  
**Study design:** Observational (retrospective cohort)  
**Study duration:** 18 months  
**Sample description:** Syrian patients with DM (types 1 and 2) or HTN who had at least 2 tests for HbA1c or blood pressure during 6-18 month follow-up  
**Sample size:** 2,644 patients (984 DM only, 780 HTN only, 880 DM and HTN) |
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<td>Agok, Abyei area (disputed zone between the Republic of the Sudan and the Republic of South Sudan), regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>Approach to systematically measure quality of care</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>14 observations of care encounters; 67 patient files; 23 semi-structured interviews (4 project managers, 9 health care workers, 10 patients following discharge)</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>3 weeks</td>
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<td>Khan (2017)</td>
<td>Pakistan, regional sample</td>
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<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced), internally displaced</td>
<td>Intervention - 2 interactive psychoeducation sessions with pregnant women and their families, “Happy Mother, Healthy Child in Ten Steps,” in addition to routine visits; control - routine visits only</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - Lady Health Workers (LHWs)</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>81 enrolled (42 intervention, 39 control); 71 analysed (34 intervention, 37 control)</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>4 months</td>
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<td>Khan (2019)</td>
<td>Pakistan, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Internally displaced</td>
<td>Locally adapted Group PM+ intervention in collaboration with the Lady Health Workers (LHWs) program in 10 catchment areas with 5 weekly sessions</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Females aged &gt;= 18 years, referred for screening by LHW who scored above 2 on the General Health Questionnaire (GHQ) and above 16 on the WHO Disability Assessment Schedule (WHODAS)</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>7 weeks</td>
<td>119 enrolled (59 intervention, 60 control); 112 completed [1 week post intervention] (54 intervention, 58 control)</td>
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<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
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<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>e-Health solutions addressing the 4 mental health challenges: depression, psychosis, post-traumatic stress disorder, and substance abuse</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - community health workers (CHWs) and facility-based healthcare providers</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (cross-sectional evaluation)</td>
<td>Unclear</td>
<td>Existing registered population of the health facilities and young adults registered in the populations</td>
<td>550 survey participants (345 intervention, 205 control); 1,400 young adults registered for SMS messages (329 surveyed)</td>
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<td>Iraq, regional sample</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
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<td>5-week web-based psychotherapy (cognitive based therapy)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - psychotherapists or psychiatrists</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>7 months</td>
<td>Persons aged 18-65 years with knowledge of Arabic and a history of trauma accompanied by posttraumatic stress symptoms</td>
<td>159 enrolled (79 intervention, 80 waitlist control); 159 analysed</td>
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<td>Nepal, regional sample</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Environmental disaster</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Capacity building of mental health workforce to provide quality mental health and psychosocial support (MHPSS)</td>
<td>Community-based, facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>22 months</td>
<td>Health workers from 78 participating health facilities</td>
<td>435 health workers trained</td>
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<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Training program for lay health workers in mental healthcare</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (descriptive evaluation)</td>
<td>14 months</td>
<td>Identified cases with mental health disorders, who were then diagnosed by a psychiatrist</td>
<td>262 patients</td>
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<td>Mattheß (2019)</td>
<td>Cambodia, Indonesia, and Thailand, regional sample</td>
<td>Environmental disaster</td>
<td>Non-camp</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Trauma Stabilization Therapy as a 'stand-alone' treatment for clients with PTSD</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - psychiatrists and psychologists</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Observational (descriptive)</td>
<td>4 years</td>
<td>Individuals who fulfilled the DSM-V criteria for PTSD pre-treatment or the ICD-11 criteria for PTSD</td>
<td>Data collected on 4,799 clients (197 fulfilled DSM-V criteria, 164 fulfilled ICD-11 criteria)</td>
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<td>Afghanistan, regional sample</td>
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<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
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<td>Treatment and care of patients with rifampin-resistant tuberculosis (RR-TB)</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - not specified</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (retrospective cohort study)</td>
<td>3 years</td>
<td>Patients with treatment initiated for RR-TB</td>
<td>146 enrolled in care, 112 started treatment, 77 with treatment outcome</td>
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<td>Momotaz (2019)</td>
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<td>Mental Health Gap Action Programme training and supervision</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - physicians, psychosocial staff</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (descriptive evaluation)</td>
<td>4 months</td>
<td>Physicians and counsellors (BA Psychology, social work or sociology) from government facilities and NGOs serving both the refugee and host population</td>
<td>21 participants at initial training, 19 participants at follow-up (10 new)</td>
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<td>Murray (2018)</td>
<td>Ethiopia, regional sample</td>
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<td>Camp</td>
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<td>Common elements treatment approach (CETA)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>13 months</td>
<td>Children between 7-18 years, living in 1 of the 3 identified camps, and elevated symptoms in at least 1 of the following: trauma-related symptoms, externalizing symptoms, internalizing symptoms</td>
<td>38 children enrolled; 37 children completed</td>
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<td>Nayak (2019)</td>
<td>Rwanda, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Unspecified</td>
<td>Internally displaced</td>
<td>Trauma training of staff on children in unaccompanied children's centres (UCCs)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - individuals with backgrounds in education, social work, and nursing</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (descriptive)</td>
<td>9 months</td>
<td>Children residing in the UCCs, aged 8-19 years</td>
<td>888 analysed</td>
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<td>Parr (2014)</td>
<td>Thailand, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp and non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Migrant, refugee</td>
<td>Efforts to change nuchal cord management during delivery by multi-stage interventions by doctor and registered midwife providing education and clinical support to skilled birth attendants (SBAs)</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - doctor, registered midwife, SBAs</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Mixed methods (retrospective cohort study of birth data, knowledge survey and semi-structured interviews with SBAs)</td>
<td>2 years</td>
<td>Birth records for normal singletons born &gt;= 28 weeks gestation between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2013; SBAs at study sites</td>
<td>4,270 births; 5 interviews and 26 knowledge surveys</td>
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<td>Rahman (2019)</td>
<td>Pakistan, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>5 sessions of Group WHO PM+ intervention for women</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
<td>3 months</td>
<td>Women in designated community clusters aged 18-60 years who intended to reside in the catchment area for the next 6 months who score 3 or more on the General Health Questionnaire-12 (GHQ-12) and 17 or more on the WHODAS</td>
<td>612 enrolled (306 intervention, 306 control); 578 followed up at 3 months (288 intervention, 290 control)</td>
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<td>Ratnayake (2016)</td>
<td>Sierra Leone</td>
<td>Regional</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Infection prevention and control</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - HCWs, district health officials, community health officers, and community representatives</td>
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<td>Mixed methods</td>
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<td>HCWs surveyed at peripheral health units (PHUs)</td>
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<td>Ratnayake (2021)</td>
<td>Democratic Republic of Congo</td>
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<td>Armed conflict, outbreak</td>
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<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced), internally displaced</td>
<td>Integration of non-communicable disease management program within emergency primary care</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre</td>
<td>No</td>
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<td>2 years</td>
<td>Patients from Beni region with hypertension and/or diabetes</td>
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<td>Regional</td>
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<td>Camp and non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Host community, refugee</td>
<td>Screening for diabetes and hypertension using an eHealth netbook application</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Observational (descriptive quantitative)</td>
<td>8 months</td>
<td>Rural Lebanese &gt;40 years living in catchment areas of 8 primary health centres, Palestinian refugees in 3 camps</td>
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<td>Phone surveys evaluating use of an eHealth intervention</td>
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<td>Nepal, regional sample</td>
<td>Environmental disaster</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>5 session Group Problem Management Plus (PM+)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel - community-based psychosocial workers</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>8-8.5 weeks</td>
<td>Residents of the study Village Development Committees (VDCs) aged &gt;=18 years</td>
<td>121 enrolled (61 intervention, 60 control); 118 completed (60 intervention, 58 control)</td>
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<td>Shultz (2019)</td>
<td>Colombia, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Internally displaced</td>
<td>3-stage stepped-care OSITA (Outreach, Screening, and Intervention for Trauma) involving interpersonal psychotherapy (IPC): Step 1: IPC1 session, Step 2: additional IPC1 sessions; Step 3: for women with thoughts of self-harm/suicide to be referred to psychiatric consultation or psychiatric emergency service</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - government psychosocial professionals, graduate students, and community members</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (descriptive)</td>
<td>1 year</td>
<td>Women residing in Bogota who self-reported to be displaced victims of armed conflict</td>
<td>279 enrolled</td>
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<td>Multicomponent intervention to advance the level of care and management of hypertension and diabetes at PHC centres, including logistics and technical support of the health centres; human resource development, promotion of good practice in care, and use of basic documentation tools; and empowering patients attending PHCs and catchment area communities</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>6 months</td>
<td>Adults aged 40 years and above with hypertension and/or diabetes</td>
<td>390 enrolled; 140 analysed</td>
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<td>Democratic Republic of Congo, national sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
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<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>District Hospital Surgical Services as part of a Complementary Package of Activities</td>
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<td>N/A</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Economic evaluation</td>
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<td>Theocharopoulos (2017)</td>
<td>Sierra Leone, regional sample</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Opening of an Ebola management centre (EMC) to improve geographic accessibility in Tonkolili district</td>
<td>System-level</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - doctors and nurses</td>
<td>Yes - EMC network in the region</td>
<td>Observational (retrospective cohort study)</td>
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<td>Tol (2020)</td>
<td>Uganda, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>5 week facilitator-guided, group-based, self-help intervention (Self-Help Plus)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Lay personnel</td>
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<td>Randomized controlled trial</td>
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<td>Tomita (2016)</td>
<td>South Africa, regional sample</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>mHealth, use of SMS to assess depressive symptoms among refugees</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (cohort study)</td>
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| Vogt (2015) | **Country:** Sierra Leone, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Outbreak  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Triage algorithm for admitted patients at an Ebola management centre, classifying patients as suspect or highly suspect and admitting to separate wards  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - not specified  
**Part of broader program:** Yes | **Study design:** Observational (descriptive evaluation)  
**Study duration:** 3 months  
**Sample description:** Records from all patients who fulfilled Ebola virus disease case definition and were admitted to the study EMC  
**Sample size:** 433 admitted patients: 254 highly suspect and 179 suspect |
| Walker (2015) | **Country:** Sierra Leone, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Outbreak  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Quantitative rapid diagnostic test (RDT) for identification of Ebola virus  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - phlebotomists, local healthcare workers  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational (cohort study)  
**Study duration:** 1 month  
**Sample description:** Patients admitted to Ebola Holding Units suspected of EVD  
**Sample size:** 138 enrolled, 131 analysed (both RDT and PCR) |
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<td>Al alawneh (2019)</td>
<td>Frequency of treatment-related problems (TRPs)</td>
<td><strong>Total TRPs at baseline:</strong> intervention 600 events, control 541 events  <strong>Total TRPs at follow-up:</strong> intervention 182 events, control 514 events  <strong>% change in # of TRPs at follow-up:</strong> intervention -69.7% (p&lt;0.001), control -5% (p=0.116)</td>
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<td>Alkoudsi (2019)</td>
<td>• Change in PCOSQ quality of life (QOL) aggregate and 7-section mean score by country  • QOL score differences by country and group type: multivariable regression analysis</td>
<td><strong>Change in QOL aggregate mean score (SD):</strong> Syria: intervention 17.5 (11.1), control -1.79 (8.85) (p = 0.00); Jordan: intervention 13.5 (12.7), control -2.92 (8.40) (p&lt;0.001)  <strong>Change in QOL 7-section mean score (SD):</strong> Syria: intervention 3.49 (2.66), control -0.44 (2.17) (p = 0.00); Jordan: intervention 3.15 (3.03), control -0.79 (2.16) (p&lt;0.001)  <strong>QOL score differences:</strong> beta 0.490 (p&lt;0.001)</td>
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<td>Al Shdainfat (2019)</td>
<td>• Pre-knowledge and post-knowledge assessment (mean knowledge test score)  • Clinical checklist score  • Satisfaction of provider with training</td>
<td><strong>Mean knowledge test score:</strong> pretest 46%, post-test 81% (p&lt;0.0001)  <strong>Clinical checklist score:</strong> Significant increase across all 8 domains of clinical checklist (exact figures not provided)  <strong>Satisfaction with training:</strong> 97%</td>
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<td>Amsalu (2020)</td>
<td>• Composite outcome: proportion of newborns who received essential newborn care practices (skin-to-skin contact, early breastfeeding, dry cord care)  • Proportion of newborns who received early initiation of breastfeeding, thermal care (immediate drying, skin-to-skin contact, delayed bathing), clean childbirth practices (visibly clean delivery bed, handwashing and glove wearing by attendant, use of sterile delivery kit, dry cord care)</td>
<td><em>(95% CI):</em>  <strong>Odds of receiving 2 or more essential newborn care practices:</strong> 64.5 (15.8-262.6, p&lt;0.001)  <strong>Odds of receiving 3 essential newborn care practices:</strong> 220.0 (33.7-1443.0, p&lt;0.001)  <strong>Odds of receiving early initiation of breastfeeding:</strong> 10.6 (1.6-69.8, p=0.014)  <strong>Odds of receiving thermal care:</strong> 28.4 (8.0-100.9, p&lt;0.001)  <strong>Odds of receiving clean childbirth practices:</strong> 11.1 (2.6-46.6, p=0.001)  <strong>Knowledge test score:</strong> posttraining to pretraining +11.9% (7.2-16.6, p&lt;0.001), 18-month to post-training +10.9% (4.7-17.0, p&lt;0.001)</td>
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| **Badiuzzaman (2020)** | • Impact of CHTDF on maternal care utilization (fixed effect model): receipt of any antenatal care (ANC), delivery attended by trained birth attendant, delivery at a health facility  
• Differences in maternal care utilization by experience of conflict, fear of conflict, and ethnicity  
(Short of:)
  **ANC check-up received:** overall 0.18 (0.09, p<0.1), without experience of conflict 0.19 (0.10, p<0.1), with experience of conflict 0.04 (0.20), without fear of conflict 0.16 (0.12), with fear of conflict 0.17 (0.10), Bengali 0.18 (0.12), Indigenous 0.24 (0.13, p<0.1)  
  **Delivery attended by trained provider:** overall 0.16 (0.15), without experience of conflict 0.10 (0.18), with experience of conflict 0.44 (0.14, p<0.05), without fear of conflict 0.40 (0.19, p<0.1), with fear of conflict -0.01 (0.13), Bengali 0.17 (0.24), Indigenous 0.15 (0.16)  
  **Delivery at a health facility:** overall 0.23 (0.08, p<0.01), without experience of conflict 0.26 (0.09, p<0.01), with experience of conflict 0.23 (0.10, p<0.05), without fear of conflict 0.37 (0.12, p<0.01), with fear of conflict 0.11 (0.06, p<0.1), Bengali 0.18 (0.14), Indigenous 0.24 (0.12, p<0.1)  
| **Bass (2016)** | • Depressive symptoms measured with the adapted Hopkins Symptom Checklist (HSCL-25)  
• Dysfunction, based on a series of tasks and activities and rated on a Likert scale from 0-4  
• Post-traumatic stress measured with the Harvard Trauma Questionnaire (HTQ)  
• Traumatic grief measured with the Inventory of Traumatic Grief  
(Short of:)
  **Adjusted net effect score (SD):**  
  **Depressive symptoms:** -0.22 (-0.39 to -0.04, p=0.02, effect size 0.57)  
  **Dysfunction:** -0.39 (-0.74 to -0.03, p=0.03, effect size 0.53)  
  **Anxiety:** -0.19 (-0.35 to -0.04, p=0.01, effect size 0.41)  
  **HTQ:** -0.13 (-0.27 to 0.01, p=0.07, effect size 0.35)  
  **Traumatic Grief:** -0.11 (-0.24 to 0.02, p=0.08, effect size 0.26)  
| **Bekolo (2017)** | • Attrition from care  
(Short of:)
  **Attrition from care:** control 10.6%, intervention 4.9% (adjusted hazard ratio 0.40, 95% CI 0.27-0.59, p<0.001)  
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<td>Bernasconi (2019)</td>
<td>Danger signs of illness assessed for during consultation</td>
<td><strong>Danger signs assessed for during consultation:</strong> baseline 37.1%, endline 60% (95% CI 53.6-66) (p&lt;0.01)</td>
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<td>Bolton (2014)</td>
<td>Depression measured with the Hopkins Symptom Checklist 25 (range 0-3)</td>
<td><strong>Adjusted net difference (95% CI):</strong> Depression: -0.49 (-0.59 to -0.40, p&lt;0.001, effect size 1.16)</td>
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<td>Post-traumatic severity symptoms measured with the Harvard Trauma Questionnaire (range 0-3)</td>
<td>PTS: -0.43 (-0.51 to -0.35, p&lt;0.001, effect size 1.19)</td>
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<td>Functional impairment measured with a locally developed scale (range 0-4)</td>
<td><strong>Functional impairment:</strong> -0.44 (-0.59 to -0.28, p&lt;0.001, effect size 0.63)</td>
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<td>Anxiety symptoms measured with the HSCL-25 anxiety subscale (range 0-4)</td>
<td>Anxiety: -0.48 (-0.61 to -0.34, p&lt;0.001, effect size 0.79)</td>
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<td>Aggression measured with the 12-item Aggression Questionnaire (range 0-4)</td>
<td>Aggression: -0.24 (-0.34 to -0.15, p&lt;0.001, effect size 0.58)</td>
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<td>Bruno (2019)</td>
<td>Stigmatizing behaviour towards people with mental illness measured by the Reported and Intended Behavior Scale (RIBS)</td>
<td><strong>RIBS:</strong> intervention 14.53, control 13.44 (p&lt;0.001)</td>
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<td>Chamla (2018)</td>
<td>bOPV and IPV vaccination coverage, with comparison of LGAs with and without integration of nutrition screening</td>
<td><strong>Vaccination coverage:</strong> bOPV 98%, IPV 91% (LGAs with and without nutrition screening OR 0.85, 95% CI 0.55-1.29, p=0.42)</td>
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<td>Nutrition screening: overall and by LGA</td>
<td><strong>Nutrition screening:</strong> overall 48.5%, Jere 56.6%, Konduga 22.8%, Mafa 80.0%, Maiduguri 47.1%</td>
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<td>Proportion of children screened found to have Severe Acute Malnutrition (SAM)</td>
<td><strong>Proportion of children screened with SAM:</strong> overall 3.7%, Jere 4.0%, Konduga 5.5%, Mafa 8.5%, Maiduguri 2.6%</td>
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<td>Proportion of SAM cases enrolled in treatment</td>
<td><strong>Proportion of SAM cases enrolled in treatment:</strong> overall 47.5%, Jere 34.9%, Konduga no data, Mafa 31.6%, Maiduguri 68.8%</td>
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| Corna (2019) | General mental health by mini-mental state examination (MMSE)  
Self-esteem by Rosenberg’s Self-Esteem scale  
Depression by Center of Epidemiologic Studies Depression Scale (CES-D; subdomains include depressed mood, guilt/worthlessness, helplessness/hopelessness, lethargy/fatigue, loss of appetite and sleep disturbance)  
Caregiver skills by Knowledge Attitude Practices Questionnaire: self-care during pregnancy, pregnancy and delivery care, feeding practices and newborn care, access to resources for care, child development and psychosocial stimulation | **Mean difference by camp (95% CI):**  
**MMSE:** Kutupalong 21.5 (20.3-22.4, p<0.001), Nayapara 23.1 (21.8-24.4, p<0.001)  
**Self-esteem:** Kutupalong 2.8 (1.5-4.2, p<0.001), Nayapara 1.5 (0.5-2.5, p<0.001)  
**Depression:** Kutupalong -9.9 (-15.4 to -4.4, p<0.001), Nayapara -0.7 (-6.0 to 4.5)  
**Self-care:** Kutupalong 6.1 (5.6-6.7, p<0.001), Nayapara 2.8 (2.3-3.4, p<0.001)  
**Pregnancy and delivery care:** Kutupalong 8.4 (7.5-9.2, p<0.001), Nayapara 5.4 (4.5-6.3, p<0.001)  
**Feeding practices and newborn care:** Kutupalong 2.0 (1.6-2.4, p<0.001), Nayapara 2.5 (2.1-2.9, p<0.001)  
**Resources for care:** Kutupalong 0.4 (-0.1 to 0.7), Nayapara 0.45 (0.2-0.8, p<0.01)  
**Child development and psychosocial stimulation:** Kutupalong 8.4 (5.4-11.3, p<0.001), Nayapara 10.7 (7.6-13.9, p<0.001) | Moderate |
| Coskun (2020) | Detection rate, by diagnostic test  
Cost per test (in New Turkish Lira), by diagnostic test  
Total cost (in New Turkish Lira), by diagnostic test | **Detection rate:** CMV blood test 35-74%, Toxoplasma gondii blood test 35-74%, Rubella blood test 35-74%, IgG avidity test 80%, amniocentesis 100%, PCR-DNA and RT-PCR test 92-98%  
**Cost per test:** CMV blood test 7.13, Toxoplasma gondii blood test 7.13, Rubella blood test 7.13, IgG avidity test 16, amniocentesis 67.7, PCR-DNA and RT-PCR test 90  
**Total cost:** overall 400,563.28, CMV blood test 121,423.9, Toxoplasma gondii blood test 132,931.72, Rubella blood test 139,092.04, IgG avidity test 4,816, amniocentesis 1,489.62, PCR-DNA and RT-PCR test 810 | High |
| Deboutte (2013) | Incremental cost of C-section (CS) delivery  
Health-adjusted life expectancy (HALE) gained  
Incremental cost effectiveness ratio (ICER): C-section cost per year of HALE gained | **Incremental CS cost, in USD:** mission hospital 14,359, government hospital 11,371  
**HALE gained:** overall lower estimate 11,285 and higher estimate 36,604 years, NGO hospital higher estimate 27,453 years  
**ICER at NGO hospital, in USD:** lower estimate 9.2, higher estimate 3.8 | Moderate |
| Devine (2017) | • Total cost  
• Incremental cost  
• Total infections  
• Infections averted  
• Incremental cost effectiveness ratio (ICER) | **Total cost, in USD:** vaccine only 21,673.15, HBIG after RDT 47,477.10, HBIG after confirmatory test 40,553.86  
**Incremental cost, in USD:** HBIG after RDT 25,803.95, HBIG after confirmatory test --  
**Total infections:** vaccine only 64, HBIG after RDT 28, HBIG after confirmatory test 41  
**Infections averted:** HBIG after RDT 36, HBIG after confirmatory test --  
**Incremental cost effectiveness ratio (ICER):** HBIG after RDT 716.78, HBIG after confirmatory test extended dominance | Low |
| Dhital (2019) | • PTSD symptoms measured with the Child PTSD Symptom Scale (range 0-52)  
• Depression symptoms measured with the Self-Rating Scale (range 0-36)  
• Hope measured with the Children’s Hope Scale (range 1-36) | **Adjusted effect size (95% CI):**  
PTSD symptoms: 0.33 (-0.71 to 1.37, p=0.536)  
Depression symptoms: 0.30 (-0.21 to 0.80, p=0.249)  
Hope: -0.23 (-1.07 to 0.61, p=0.588) | High |
| Djimeu (2014) | • Height-for-age Z- scores (HAZ) | **Average treatment effect of ASAF on HAZ (SE):** FEM 0.3255 (0.037, p<0.01), PSM 0.335 (0.155, p<0.05), WLS 0.28445 (0.046, p<0.01) | Unclear |
| Dozio (2021) | • Overall wellbeing (WHO-5)  
• Posttraumatic symptoms measured with the Posttraumatic Stress Disorder Checklist for DSM-5 (PCL-5; range 0-80)  
• Functional impairment (WHODAS 2.0)  
• Problems measured with the Psychological Outcome Profiles (PSYCHLOPS; range <20) | **WHO-5:** baseline to endline change -10.73 (p<0.001), baseline to post-intervention change -10.13 (p<0.001)  
**PCL-5:** baseline to endline change +27.84 (p<0.001), baseline to post-intervention change +27.11 (p<0.001)  
**WHODAS:** baseline to endline change +17.43 (p<0.001), baseline to post-intervention change +16.63 (p<0.001)  
**PSYCHLOPS:** baseline to endline change +8.17 (p<0.001), baseline to post-intervention change +6.64 (p<0.001) | Moderate |
| Draiko (2021) | • Incidence of neonatal umbilical cord infection rate: crude odds ratio  
• Incidence of cord infections by severity  
• Neonatal mortality: crude odds ratio  
• Proportion of women who deliver in a facility: crude odds ratio | **(95% CI):**  
**Cord infections:** 3.03 (2.45-3.76, p=0.000)  
**Signs of cord infection:** Mild redness - intervention 39.4%, control 32.8%; moderate redness - intervention 24.6%, control 24.2%; severe redness - intervention 9.1%, control 15.7%; presence of pus - intervention 3.4%, control 17.9%; pain at the cord - intervention 23.4%, control 9.4%  
**All neonatal deaths:** 2.16 (1.10-4.22, p=0.022)  
**Place of delivery:** 1.29 (1.03-1.64, p=0.028) | Moderate |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Edmond (2018) | • Proportion of women delivering in a health facility: difference-in-differences  
• Proportion of women who attended at least 1 antenatal care (ANC) and 1 postnatal care (PNC) visit with a skilled healthcare provider: difference-in-differences | **Proportion of women who (95% CI):**  
**Delivered in a health facility:** 10.97% (4.0-18.0, p=0.002)  
**Attended at least 1 ANC visit with a skilled healthcare provider:** 10.54 (4.2-16.9, p=0.001)  
**Attended at least 1 PNC visit with a skilled healthcare provider:** 7.20 (0.2-14.2, p=0.04) | Unclear |
| Edmond (2020) | District service provision:  
• Proportion of pregnant women who were recorded in HMIS as having received at least 1 antenatal care (ANC) visit  
• Proportion of children under 1 year who received their first measles vaccine  
• Proportion of children under 5 years who received at least 1 integrated management of childhood illness (IMCI) service for diarrhoea or pneumonia  
• Proportion of postpartum women who received at least 1 postnatal care (PNC) visit  
• Proportion of pregnant women who delivered at a health facility  
• Proportion of pregnant women who received a tetanus toxoid vaccine  
• Proportion of children under 1 year who received their 3rd pentavalent vaccine | **Mean difference between intervention and control districts (95% CI):**  
**Proportion of pregnant women receiving >= 1 ANC visit:** 14.84 (1.66-28.01, p=0.03)  
**Proportion of children under 1 who received their first measles vaccine:** 12.78 (2.08-23.48, p=0.02)  
**Proportion of children under 5 who received at least 1 IMCI service for diarrhoea or pneumonia:** 10.34 (1.40-19.27, p=0.02)  
**Proportion of postpartum women receiving >= 1 PNC visit:** 2.79 (-5.11 to 10.70, p=0.48)  
**Proportion of pregnant women who delivered at a health facility:** 13.53 (-0.57 to 27.63, p=0.06)  
**Proportion of pregnant women who received a tetanus toxoid vaccine:** 14.48 (0.11-28.84, p=0.04)  
**Proportion of children under 1 who received their 3rd pentavalent vaccine:** 7.55 (-4.20 to 19.30, p=0.20)  
**Mean # of ANC visits:** 41.32 (-52.46 to 135.11, p=0.37)  
**Mean # of tetanus toxoid vaccines for pregnant women:** 82.01 (-38.69 to 202.71, p=0.18) | Low |
| Clinic service provision:                           | Mean # of facility deliveries: 119.35 (-9.48 to 248.19, p=0.07) |
|                                                  | Mean # of PNC visits: 10.68 (-33.12 to 54.49, p=0.63) |
| • Mean # of ANC visits per clinic                | Mean # of 3rd pentavalent vaccines for children under 1 year: -74.14 (-13.52 to 161.8, p=0.10) |
| • Mean # of tetanus toxoid vaccines for pregnant | Mean # of measles vaccines for children under 1 year: -83.79 (-1.44 to 169.03, p=0.05) |
| women                                            | Mean # of IMCI visits for diarrhoea or pneumonia for children under 5 years: 280.95 (-40.11 to 602.00, p=0.09) |
| • Mean # of facility deliveries                  |                                                            |
| • Mean # of PNC visits per clinic                |                                                            |
| • Mean # of 3rd pentavalent vaccines for children |                                                            |
| under 1 year                                     |                                                            |
| • Mean # of measles vaccines for children under 1|                                                            |
| year                                              |                                                            |
| • Mean # of IMCI visits for diarrhoea or pneumonia|                                                            |
| for children under 5 years                       |                                                            |

| Foster (2017)                                    | Proportion of women not pregnant at follow-up: 96.4% |
| • Proportion of women not pregnant at follow-up  | Occurrence of complications in women who were not pregnant at follow-up: 0% |
| • Occurrence of complications in women who were | Pregnancy outcomes for women who remained pregnant at follow-up: 3.2% pregnant at follow-up: 2.6% had a live birth, 0.2% received medication abortion elsewhere, 0.3% had ectopic pregnancies |
| not pregnant at follow-up                        |                                                            |
| • Pregnancy outcomes for women who remained      |                                                            |
| pregnant at follow-up                            |                                                            |

| Gallagher (2019)                                 | Overall # of PAC clients: baseline 1,413 (812 DRC, 11 Somalia, 590 Yemen); endline 3,640 (1,412 DRC, 1,065 Somalia, 1,163 Yemen) |
| • Overall # of PAC clients                       | Mode of treatment: DRC: D&C baseline 18%, endline 3% (p<0.001); MVA baseline 69%, endline 95%; miso baseline 12%, endline 2%. Yemen: D&C baseline 25%, endline 3% (p<0.001); MVA baseline 69%, endline 87%; miso baseline 6%, endline 11%. |
| • Mode of treatment: sharp dilation and curettage (D&C), manual vacuum aspiration (MVA), medical treatment with misoprostol (miso) | Proportion of PAC clients who chose a method of contraception prior to leaving the facility: DRC baseline 42%, endline 70% (p<0.001), Yemen baseline 17%, endline 38% (p=0.002), Somalia baseline 64%, endline 82% (p not provided, not statistically significant) |
| • Proportion of PAC clients who chose a method of contraception prior to leaving the facility | Contraceptive method mix among clients choosing a method: DRC: implant baseline 52%, endline 38%; injectable baseline 26%, endline 22%; IUD baseline 7%, endline 32%; pills baseline 15%, endline 8%, LARCs baseline 59%, endline 70% (p=0.02). |
| • Contraceptive method mix among clients choosing a method: implant, injectable, intrauterine device (IUD), pills, long-acting reversible contraceptive (LARC) |                                                            |

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### Gormez (2017)
- Post traumatic stress reactions measured by the Child Post-Traumatic Stress - Reaction Index (CPTS-RI; subdomains: intrusion, avoidance, arousal)
- Anxiety-related psychopathologies measured by the Spence Children’s Anxiety Scale (SCAS)
- Strengths, emotional difficulties and behavioural problems measured by the Strengths and Difficulties questionnaire (SDQ)

**CPTS-RI Total:**
- Pre-test 23.90 (12.76), post-test 17.63 (13.64) (p=0.011)

**SCAS Total:**
- Pre-test 53.29 (13.78), post-test 40.38 (20.59) (p=0.001)

**SDQ Total:**
- Pre-test 18.77 (4.28), post-test 16.81 (5.41) (p=0.021)

### Hamdani (2020)
- Hospital Anxiety and Depression Scale (HADS range: 0-21; higher scores indicate elevated anxiety or depression)
- World Health Organization Disability Assessment Schedule 2.0 (WHO DAS, 12-item version, range: 0-48; higher scores indicate more severe impairment)
- Depression caseness, defined as a Patient Health Questionnaire score >=10

**HADS:**
- ICER for treatment with international specialist supervisor PKR 2,957.45 (2,261.64-4,029.00); with local supervisor PKR 588.82 (434.01-820.27)

**WHO DAS:**
- ICER for treatment with international specialist supervisor PKR 4,096.51 (2,978.13-6,045.66); with local supervisor PKR 815.89 (575.80-1,225.10)

**Depression caseness:**
- ICER for treatment with international specialist supervisor PKR 53,759.91 (39,393.57-77,398.62); with local supervisor PKR 10,705.35 (7,730.95-15,627)

### Hashmi (2019)
- Proportion of exclusively breastfed infants
- Handwashing among mothers who had prepared the family meal the day prior to interview
- Adequate dietary diversity
- Appropriate meal amount
- Minimum acceptable diet
- Safe disposal of infant stool

**Proportion of exclusively breastfed infants:**
- 3 months 42%, 5 months 65%

**Handwashing among mothers who had prepared the family meal the day prior to interview:**
- 3 months 94%, 6 months 100%, 9 months 100%

**Adequate dietary diversity:**
- 6 months 5%, 8 months 58%, 9 months 90%

**Appropriate meal amount:**
- 6 months 10%, 9 months 100%

**Minimum acceptable diet:**
- 6 months 0%, 8 months 47%, 9 months 90%

**Safe disposal of infant stool:**
- 6 months 16%, 9 months 100%
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| Istepanian (2014) | • HbA1C levels | **HbA1C levels, mean (SD):**  
pre-test intervention 8.85 (0.73), control 8.95 (2.17); post-test intervention 8.05 (1.31, p=0.115), control 8.7 (1.7, p=0.448) | Unclear |
| Jachetti (2019)  | • Intra-hospital mortality: adjusted odds ratio  
• Early mortality: adjusted odds ratio  
• Hospital length of stay | **Intra-hospital mortality (95% CI):** 0.32 (0.12-0.84)  
**Early mortality (95% CI):** 1.5 (0.2-20)  
**Median length of hospital stay (IQR):** before group 8 days (4-9), after group 6 days (6-12) (p=0.02) | Low |
| Kayali (2019)    | • HbA1C  
• Proportion with HbA1C<8%  
• Proportion with BP<140/90 mmHg | **Mean HbA1C (SD):** Type 1 DM baseline 9.3 (1.8), 6 months 8.4 (1.4, p=0.022); Type 2 DM baseline 9.4 (2.5), 6 months 8.1 (1.8, p=0.001); DM+HTN baseline 9.0 (2.0), 6 months 7.7 (1.6, p=0.003)  
**Proportion with HbA1C<8%:** Type 1 DM baseline 20%, 6 months 55% (p=0.016); Type 2 DM baseline 35%, 6 months 65% (p=0.016); DM+HTN baseline 32%, 6 months 64% (p=0.039)  
**Proportion with BP<140/90 mmHg:** HTN only baseline 27%, 6 months 49% (p<0.001); HTN+DM baseline 36%, 6 months 52% (p=0.006) | Low |
| Kersten (2013)   | • Mean structural quality for all assessed areas  
(Donabedian's criteria of quality of care)  
• Process quality (observational structured checklist)  
• Overall mortality rate | **Mean structural quality for all assessed areas:** 73% (7) of expected performance level (EPL)  
**Mean process quality:** 59% EPL (9)  
**Process quality for:** supportive depts (lab & pharmacy) 86% (18) of EPL; general nursing care procedures 54% (7); hygiene procedures 41% (11) of EPL  
**Overall mortality rate:** 3.6% (2011) | Unclear |
| Khan (2017)      | • Help-seeking for psychological distress by pregnant women  
• Psychological distress measured by the Self-Reporting Questionnaire (SRQ) at endline  
• Social support measured by the Multidimensional Scale of Perceived Social Support (MSPSS) at endline | **Help-seeking for psychological distress by pregnant women:** intervention 71%, control 46% (p=0.036)  
**SRQ score (SD):** intervention 5.35 (3.29), control 6.43 (3.73) (p=0.20)  
**MSPSS score (SD):** intervention 57.15 (19.11), control 57.11 (14.28) (p=0.992) | Moderate |
### Khan (2019)
- Individual psychological distress, measured by levels of anxiety and depression on the Hospital Anxiety and Depression Scale (HADS-A, HADS-D) at 7th week after baseline.
- PTSD assessed using the PTSD Checklist for DSM-5 (PCL-5)
- Depressive Disorder was assessed with the Patient Health Questionnaire (PHQ-9)
- General psychological profile determined with the PSYCHLOPS
- Levels of functioning and generalized psychological distress measured with WHO Disability Assessment Schedule (WHODAS)

#### (95% CI):
- **Combined HADS-A and HADS-D:** \(-4.65 (-7.35 \text{ to } -1.95, p=0.0009)\)
- **HADS-A:** \(-2.62 (-4.37 \text{ to } -0.86, p=0.0039)\)
- **HADS-D:** \(-2.48 (-4.00 \text{ to } -0.96, p=0.0016)\)
- **PCL:** \(-2.79 (-9.51 \text{ to } 3.94, p=0.4128)\)
- **PHQ:** \(-1.06 (-3.59 \text{ to } 1.48, p=0.4112)\)
- **PSYCHLOPS:** \(-4.49 (-6.41 \text{ to } -2.58, p<0.0001)\)
- **WHODAS:** \(-5.37 (-8.97 \text{ to } -1.76, p=0.0040)\)

#### Khoja (2016)
- Improvement in awareness of mental health
- Reduction in stigma

#### % correct response (odds ratio):
- **Mental health conditions are treatable:** intervention 94%, control 86% (2.52, p=0.0027)
- **Symptoms of depression:** intervention 90%, control 73% (2.17, p<0.0001)
- **Use of drugs and alcohol can be signs of depression:** intervention 88%, control 78% (2.03, p=0.0027)
- **Denied that myths of jins, jadu, or “wrath of God” is the cause of psychosis:** intervention 68%, control 27% (5.66, p=0.0001)
- **Questions regarding signs of psychosis:** intervention 64%, control 55% (1.56, p<0.0001)
- **Past traumatic events may be the cause of PTSD:** intervention 77%, control 53% (2.99, p=0.0001)
- **Awareness regarding PTSD is extremely important:** intervention 83%, control 58% (3.41, p=0.0001)
- **Disagreed that mental health patients are largely to blame for their own condition:** intervention 93%, control 85% (2.33, p=0.003)
- **People should be very caring and kind to patients with mental health problems:** intervention 92%, control 80% (2.76, p=0.0001)
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<td><strong>Improved functioning</strong>: 57%</td>
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<td><strong>ACE (95% CI)</strong>: psychosocial counsellors +0.65 (0.34-0.97), non-prescribers +0.46 (0.37-0.56), prescribers +0.12 (0.07-0.18)</td>
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<td><strong>ENACT-18 (95% CI)</strong>: Psychosocial counsellors +13.64 (8.47-18.8), non-prescribers +7.74 (6.97-10.37), prescribers +8.53 (6.35-10.72)</td>
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| **Mesic (2020)** | - Regimen choice: short-term regimen (STR) or individualized long regimen  
- Treatment tolerability: adverse events (AE)  
- Treatment outcome by regimen  
  - Regimen choice: STR 36.6%, individualized 63.4%  
  - Treatment tolerability: >=1 AE: STR 36.6%, individualized 44.3% (p=0.46); unfavourable treatment outcome: patients with AE 26.1%, patients without AE 73.9% (p=0.01)  
  - Treatment Outcome: 4 month smear conversion STR 96.6%, individualized 97.9%; 6 month smear conversion STR 100%, individualized 97.9% (smear conversion p=0.34); 4 month culture conversion STR 84.6%, individualized 88.1%; 6 month culture conversion STR 96.2%, individualized 97.6% (culture conversion p=0.77); adjusted hazard ratio 1.14 (95% CI 0.42-3.06, p=0.79) |
| **Momotaz (2019)** | - Quality of training: scale 1-5  
  - Confidence in applying training to their work  
  - Quality of training: average score for all aspects of training 3.5, average score of trainers 4.9  
  - Confidence in applying training to their work: 76% felt very confident |
| **Murray (2018)** | - Changes in internalizing symptoms measured with the Achenbach Child Behavior Checklist (CBCL/YSR)  
- Changes in externalizing symptoms measured with the CBCL/YSR  
- Changes in trauma symptoms measured with the Child Post Traumatic Stress Disorder Symptom Scale-Interview Format (CPSS-I)  
- Changes in child well-being measured with the Orphans and Vulnerable Children Wellbeing Tool  
  - (SD):  
    - Internalizing symptoms: children pre: 25.73 (1.97), post 7.76 (1.66); caregivers pre 12, post 3 (z=4.965, p<0.001, effect size 0.85)  
    - Externalizing symptoms: children pre 7.5, post 1 (z=4.958, p<0.001, effect size 0.85); caregivers pre 7, post 2 (z=4.625, p<0.001, effect size 0.82)  
    - CPSS-I: children pre 20.83 (8.69), post 5.56 (5.89) (t(36)=10.38, p<0.001, effect size 1.71); caregivers pre 11, post 4 (z=5.168, p<0.001, effect size 0.76)  
    - Wellbeing: children pre 47.48 (15.98), post 62.72 (15.34) (t=-4.58, p<0.001, effect size 0.75) |
| **Nayak (2019)** | - PTSD Symptoms by a structured checklist of DSM-IV posttraumatic stress symptoms (PTSS Scale) including subdomains of re-experiencing, avoidance/numbing, and hypervigilance  
  - B(SE):  
    - PTSD: model 1 0.06 (0.05), beta=0.04 (p=0.242); model 2 -0.01 (0.07), beta=-0.01 (p=0.860)  
    - Re-experiencing: 0.18 (0.12), beta=0.05 (p=0.144)  
    - Avoidance/numbing: 0.10 (0.14), beta=0.03 (p=0.477)  
    - Hypervigilance: 0.15 (0.11), beta=0.05 (p=0.175) |

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| Parr (2014) | Rate of umbilical cord ligation | Rate of umbilical cord ligation: quarter 1 15.9%, quarter 2 11.1%, quarter 3 2.4%, quarter 4 0.9%
Proportion of cord ligation rates before and after arrival of midwife, by clinic site: Maela before 15.3%, after 1.0%; Wang Pha before 10.6%, after 1.9%; Maw Ker Thai before 13.7%, after 3.0%
Maternal and neonatal outcomes before and after arrival of midwife (SD): birthweight before 2979 (437), after 2989 (429); mean estimated gestational age: before 39.1 (1.5), after 39.1 (1.4); shoulder dystocia before 0.1%, after 0.1%; Apgar (1 minute), median: before 9, after 9; Apgar (5 minute), median: before 10, after 10; proportion of 5-minute Apgar less than 7: before 0.8%, after 0.8%; newborn resuscitation: before 2.8%, after 1.6%; postpartum haemorrhage: before 8.3%, after 6.5%; episiotomy %: before 5.1%, after 5.2%
Proportion of correct answers given by SBAs on knowledge survey: proportion of infants born with nuchal cord: 61.5; presence of fetal nuchal cord is harmful to the infant: 16.7; can cause fetal distress in 2nd labour: 92.3; clamping and cutting of the fetal nuchal cord before birth is a dangerous practice: 84.6; clamping and cutting of the fetal nuchal cord before birth is associated with fetal anaemia: 83.3; clamping and cutting of the fetal nuchal cord before birth is associated with fetal shock and hypovolemia: 38.5; clamping and cutting of the fetal nuchal cord before birth is associated with HIE especially with shoulder dystocia: 88.5

| Rahman (2019) | Individual-level combined symptom score of anxiety and depression difference measured with the Hospital Anxiety and Depression Scale (HADS)
PTSD Symptoms difference measured with the Posttraumatic Stress Disorder Checklist (PCL-5)
Functional impairment difference by the WHO Disability Assessment Schedule (WHODAS 2.0)
Problems for which the person initially sought help difference by the Psychological Outcomes Profile Instrument (PSYCHLOPS)
Perceived social support difference by the Multidimensional Scale of Perceived Social Support (MSPSS) | Post-treatment and 3 month follow-up (95% CI):
HADS Total: post -6.30 (-8.89 to -3.70, p<0.0001, effect size 0.77), follow-up -4.53 (-7.13 to -1.92, p=0.0007, effect size 0.58)
PCL-5: post -3.44 (-6.15 to -0.73, p=0.013, effect size 0.39), follow-up -2.16 (-4.88 to 0.56, p=0.12, effect size 0.28)
WHODAS: post -4.67 (-7.15 to -2.19, p=0.0002, effect size 0.65), follow-up -2.90 (-5.39 to -0.42, p=0.022, effect size 0.41)
PSYCHLOPS: post -3.84 (-5.49 to -2.19, p<0.0001, effect size 0.86), follow-up -2.07 (-3.73 to -0.41, p=0.015, effect size 0.37)
MSPSS: post 3.47 (-1.33 to 8.28, p=0.16, effect size 0.20), follow-up 1.96 (-2.87 to 6.78, p=0.43, effect size 0.11)
PHQ-9: post -3.67 (-5.15 to -2.19, p<0.0001, effect size 0.75), follow-up -1.67 (-3.16 to -0.19, p=0.027, effect size 0.38)

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| Ratnayake (2016) | • Prevalence of depressive disorders difference by the Patient Health Questionnaire (PHQ-9) | **Baseline to follow-up risk ratio (95% CI):**  
**Pre-screening:**  
Patient went directly, or HCW-directed patient, to screening area: 0.53 (0.37-0.77)  
Attendant washed hands: 0  
Screener asked patient to wash hands: 1.45 (1.16-1.80)  
Patient washed hands on direction from HCW: 1.49 (1.19-1.86)  
Patient washed hands directly or washed on direction from HCW: 1.27 (0.95-1.71)  
**Donning:**  
Wore rubber boots or covers: 1.51 (1.14-1.99)  
Wore face shield or mask: 1.27 (1.03-1.58)  
Completed in correct order: 8.94 (0.84-95.61)  
Took off/did not wear jewellery: 0.83 (0.72-0.97)  
Wore new gloves: 2.56 (1.37-4.79)  
Continued to wear gloves: 0.75 (0.6-0.94)  
**Screening:**  
No other HCWs were in screening area: 2.54 (0.69-1.07)  
Stood 1.5 m from patient: 4.09 (0.83-1.48)  
Sat sideways to patient: 2.3 (1.34-3.95)  
Held digital thermometer 5-6 cm from patient: 0.23 (0.12-0.43)  
**Doffing:**  
Removed any light PPE: 2.54 (1.32-4.88)  
Removed gloves: 4.09 (1.34-12.49)  
Washed gloved or ungloved hands: 2.58 (1.0-6.66)  
Removed face shield or goggles: 0.21 (0.05-0.94)  
Completed in correct order: 6.64 (2.09-21.14)  
**Consultations:**  
Washed hands before treating patient: 0.63 (0.18-2.21)  
Washed hands after treating patient: 0.91 (0.5-1.65)  
Put on new gloves before treating patient: 0.97 (0.85-1.1)  
Did not remove gloves after treating patient: 1.51 (0.55-4.12)  
Stood 1.5 m from patient: 1.18 (0.92-1.51) | Unclear |
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| **Ratnayake (2021)** | • # of consultations for hypertension and diabetes: incidence rate ratio  
  • Treatment adherence | # of consultations (95% CI): HTN 13.5 (5.8-31.5, p=0.00); diabetes 3.6 (1-12.9, p=0.046)  
  **Treatment adherence:** HTN attended at least 2 visits 45.4%, remained in care 33.9%; diabetes attended at least 2 visits 55.3%, remained in care 50%; HTN+diabetes attended at least 2 visits 82.1%, remained in care 56% | High |
| **Saleh (2018a)** | • Diabetes and hypertension detection rates per 100,000 | Diabetes: overall 183.56 total, 10.34 suspected, 173.23 pre-diagnosed; rural 191.27 total, 11.21 suspected, 180.06 pre-diagnosed; refugee camps 161.25 total, 7.84 suspected, 153.42 pre-diagnosed (rural compared to camp total p=0.046, suspected p=0.391, pre-diagnosed p=0.070)  
  Hypertension: overall 355.93 total, 87.33 suspected, 268.6 pre-diagnosed; rural 350.46 total, 91.58 suspected, 258.89 pre-diagnosed; refugee camps 371.78 total, 75.03 suspected, 296.75 pre-diagnosed (rural compared to camp total p=0.233, suspected p=0.131, pre-diagnosed p=0.028)  
  **Diabetes and hypertension comorbidity:** overall 112.61 total, 2.59 suspected, 110.03 pre-diagnosed; rural 117.85 total, 2.7 suspected, 115.15 pre-diagnosed; refugee camps 97.42 total, 2.24 suspected, 95.19 pre-diagnosed (rural compared to camp total p=0.096, suspected p=0.813, pre-diagnosed p=0.1) | Moderate |
| **Saleh (2018b)** | • Survey participants’ views on eSahha SMSs | Easiness: SMSs are easy/very easy to understand 93.9%  
  Usefulness: SMSs are useful/very useful 93.9%  
  Application: SMSs are applied most of the times/always in daily life 76.9% | Moderate |
| **Sangraula (2020)** | • Change in symptoms of depression by the Patient Health Questionnaire (PHQ-9) pretest and posttest  
  • Daily Functioning assessed with the WHO Disability Assessment Schedule (WHODAS; range 12-60)  
  • General psychological distress by the General Health Questionnaire (GHQ-12; range 0-36) | **Mean (SD) | Intracluster correlation coefficient (95% CI):**  
  PHQ-9: intervention -3.5 (4.8), control -1.6 (3.4); ICC baseline 0.12 (0.03-0.41), endline –  
  WHODAS: intervention -9.4 (8.4), control -5.2 (6.7); ICC baseline 0.10 (0.01-0.59), endline 0.09 (0.01-0.62)  
  GHQ-12: intervention -12.3 (7.5), control -3.7 (7.0); ICC baseline 0.16 (0.02-0.62), endline 0.06 (0.00-0.75) | Low |
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| Shultz (2019) | - Posttraumatic Stress Disorder Checklist DSM-5 (PCL-5; range 8-40)  
- Psychosocial Mental Health Problems (PMHP; range 5-20)  
- Connectedness with family and friends by the Multidimensional Scale of Perceived Social Support (MSPSS; range 12-60)  
- Coping strategies by the Reducing Tension Checklist (RTC; range 0-40) | **PCL-5:** intervention -2.7 (7.0), control -1.3 (5.6); ICC baseline 0.21 (0.08-0.45), endline –  
**PMHP:** intervention -1.0 (2.8), control -0.1 (2.7); ICC baseline 0.16 (0.05-0.41), endline 0.03 (0.00-0.97)  
**MSPSS:** intervention 0.9 (7.5), control -0.1 (7.9); ICC baseline –, endline 0.04 (0.00-0.87)  
**RTC:** intervention 5.0 (5.8), control -0.7 (4.6); ICC baseline 0.24 (0.09-0.50), endline 0.21 (0.05-0.59) | Unclear |
| Sibai (2020) | - 12-item 'Equipment Monitoring' tool for checking availability and functionality of equipment and medication  
- Health provider knowledge and skills  
- Data collection completeness  
- Patient satisfaction  
- Provider counselling  
- Patient awareness of program/where to seek help | **Dropout rates:** loss to follow-up 30%  
**PHQ-9:** post 5.64 (0.68, p<0.001), follow-up 8.34 (0.61, p<0.001)  
**GAD-7:** post 5.36 (0.68, p<0.001), follow-up 6.34 (0.75, p<0.001)  
**PCL-C:** post 14.33 (1.88, p<0.001), follow-up 16.25 (2.43, p<0.001) | Unclear |

**Equipment and medication availability/functionality:** effective process of replenishing most items in due time, except for glucose strips and waist circumference measuring tape  
**Physician knowledge/skills:** 100% correct related to treatment and monitoring; lower levels on diagnosis (25% disagreement on need to take 2 BP measurements, 81% unable to characterize indications of oral glucose tolerance test or related instructions given to patient when ordering test)  
**Nursing staff equipment usage knowledge post-training:** 33% correctly identified how many beeps they should hear when the test strip is firmly inserted into the instrument, 33% how long before instrument turns off automatically, 44% how to clean lancing site  
**Data completeness:** screening forms [random sample] 94% (range 88-100%), BMI and WC most commonly missing items (range 5-12%); patient records >80%  
**Patient satisfaction with encounters:** 60%
| Sion (2015) | Operating budget for surgical services: USD per inhabitant per year  
Budget for surgical services as proportion of total operating budget  
Proportion of hospital caseload requiring surgical services | **Operating budget for surgical services**: Model Normative Hospital 2.17, Demba Hospital 0.08, Kabare Hospital 0.69  
**Budget for surgical services as % of total operating budget**: Model Normative 18%, Demba 24%, Kabare 20%  
**% of hospital caseload requiring surgical services**: Model Normative 33.3%, Demba 9%, Kabare 3.33% | High |
|--------------|-------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------|
| Theocharopoulos (2017) | Median transport time from cases’ residences to EMCs: comparison of district and distant EMCs  
Median time from symptom onset to admission | **Median transport time**: district EMC 1 hour, distant EMCs 5 hours (p<0.001)  
**Median time to admission**: district EMC 3 days, distant EMCs 6 days (p<0.001) | Low |
| Tol (2020) | Psychological distress measured using the Kessler 6 (K6)  
Personally identified problems with the Psychological Outcome profiles (PSYCHLOPS)  
PTSD symptoms assessed with the PTSD Checklist Civilian (PCL-6)  
Depression symptoms assessed with the Patient Health Questionnaire (PHQ-9)  
Anger with 2 dichotomous questions about explosive anger attacks  
Positive interactions between ethnic groups  
Psychological flexibility with the Acceptance and Action Questionnaire (AAQ-II)  
Functional impairment with the WHO Disability (WHODAS)  
Subjective wellbeing assessed with the WHO-5 | **(95% CI):**  
K6: post -3.25 (-4.31 to -2.19, p<0.001, effect size -0.72), follow-up -1.20 (-2.33 to -0.08, p=0.04, effect size -0.26)  
PSYCHLOPS: post -2.79 (-4.07 to -1.51, p<0.0001, effect size -0.58), follow-up -1.17 (-2.37 to 0.04, p=0.06, effect size -0.25)  
PCL-6: post -3.53 (-4.67 to -2.38, p<0.0001, effect size -0.68), follow-up -1.55 (-2.87 to -0.24, p=0.02, effect size -0.30)  
PHQ-9: post -3.78 (-5.39 to -2.17, p=0.0003, effect size -0.75), follow-up -1.55 (-2.77 to -0.15, p=0.03, effect size -0.31)  
Explosive anger: post 0.50 (0.32-0.50, p=0.002, effect size 0.50), follow-up 0.63 (0.40-1.0, p=0.04, effect size 0.63)  
Interethnic relationship: post -0.14 (-0.47 to 0.19, p=0.37, effect size -0.06), follow-up -0.19 (-0.56 to 0.19, p=0.30, effect size -0.07)  
AAQ-II score: post 4.49 (0.90-8.09, p=0.02, effect size 0.42), follow-up 1.11 (-4.26 to 6.48, p=0.66, effect size 0.09) | Unclear |
WHODAS 2.0 score: post -6.10 (-7.86 to -4.34, p<0.0001, effect size -0.77), follow-up -2.52 (-5.01 to -0.03, p=0.05, effect size -0.30)
WHO-5 score: post 2.89 (1.52-4.27, p=0.0006, effect size 0.51), follow-up 1.94 (0.81-3.06, p=0.0028, effect size 0.36)

Tomita (2016)
- Depression symptoms using the Quick Inventory of Depressive Symptomatology (range 0-27: none (<5), mild (6-10), moderate (11-15), severe (16-20), very severe (>21))
- Reliability between face-to-face and SMS-based depression screening (test-retest agreement)
- Preference of screening method
- Participant feedback

Depression symptoms: overall baseline score 10.3, follow-up score 8.0 (p<0.01); none baseline 22.2%, follow-up 30.4%; mild baseline 26.1%, follow-up 39.3%; moderate baseline 37.3%, follow-up 27.4%; severe baseline 13.7%, follow-up 3%; very severe baseline 0.7%, follow-up 0%
Test and re-test reliability: weighted Kappa coefficient test 0.45, re-test 0.25
Preferred method: SMS 58.7%, face-to-face 41.3% (p=0.99)
Feedback: would recommend 95%, difficult to use 10%, comfortable to use 86.9%

Vogt (2015)
- Test statistics: positive predictive value (PPV), negative predictive value (NPV), sensitivity, specificity, positive likelihood ratio, negative likelihood ratio

Test statistics (95% CI):
PPV: 76.0% (70.2-81.1)
NPV: 53.6% (46.0-61.1)
Sensitivity: 69.9% (64.1-75.3)
Specificity: 61.1% (53.1-68.8)
Positive likelihood ratio: 1.8 (1.5-2.2)
Negative likelihood ratio: 0.5 (0.4-0.6)

Walker (2015)
- Sensitivity of the RDT compared to PCR: by CT score
- Specificity of the RDT compared to PCR: by CT score
- Positive predictive value (PPV) of RDT by CT score
- Negative predictive value (NPV) of RDT by CT score

Results by CT score (95% CI):
Sensitivity: CT>=2 100.0% (78.2-100.0), CT>=4 100.0% (78.2-100.0), CT>=6 100.0% (78.2-100.0), CT>=8 73.3% (44.9-92.2), CT=10 40.0% (16.3-67.7)
Specificity: CT>=2 92.2% (85.8-96.4), CT>=4 93.1% (86.9-97.0), CT>=6 96.6% (91.4-99.1), CT>=8 98.3% (93.9-99.8), CT=10 99.1% (95.3-100.0)
PPV: CT>=2 62.5% (40.6-81.2), CT>=4 65.2% (42.7-85.6), CT>=6 79.0% (54.4-93.8), CT>=8 84.6% (54.5-97.6), CT=10 85.7% (42.2-97.6)
NPV: CT>=2 100.0% (96.6-100.0), CT>=4 100.0% (96.6-100.0), CT>=6 100.0% (96.6-100.0), CT>=8 96.6% (91.5-99.1), CT=10 92.7% (86.7-96.6)

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## ANNEX 14: STUDY DESIGN AND OUTCOMES OF HEALTH SYSTEMS INTERVENTION STUDIES

Study Design of Health Systems Intervention Studies in Humanitarian Crisis Settings, 2013-2021 (n=32)

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| Abbas (2018)  | **Country:** Syria, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Intervention: peer-led basic life support (BLS) training for medical students; Control: professional-led training  
**Implementation site:** University-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - medical students  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** approximately 1 month (1 day training intervention)  
**Sample description:** Medical students from pre-clinical years at Syrian Private University  
**Sample size:** 72 enrolled (36 intervention, 36 control); 64 analysed (34 intervention, 30 control) |
| Akoury-Dirani (2015) | **Country:** Lebanon, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural and urban)  
**Population:** Host community, refugee | **Description:** 2.5 day psychological first aid (PFA) training to enhance the readiness of mental health field workers  
**Implementation site:** System-level  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - mental health providers  
**Part of broader program:** Yes | **Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 1 month  
**Sample description:** Staff working directly with Syrian refugee and host community families  
**Sample size:** 77 attended, 60 followed up |
| Al Shdaifat (2019) | **Country:** Jordan, national sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp and non-camp (rural and urban)  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** 3-stage training program with needs assessments, didactics, and on-the-job training for general practitioners (GPs)  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - GPs  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational (cohort; pre/post)  
**Study duration:** 2 years  
**Sample description:** GPs at health centres  
**Sample size:** 84 GPs |
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<td>2019</td>
<td>Cameroon, regional</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp</td>
<td>Refugee</td>
<td>Diarrheal diseases surveillance system</td>
<td>System-level</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - health personnel not specified, surveillance officer</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed method (health registers, surveillance reports, key informant interviews)</td>
<td>2 years</td>
<td>Health staff from the district health office and camp health facilities who conducted epidemiological surveillance activities</td>
<td>10 KIIs (7 nurses, 2 clinicians, 1 logistician); 138 surveillance reports</td>
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<td>Amsalu</td>
<td>2020</td>
<td>Somalia, regional</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Host community, internally displaced</td>
<td>8-day essential newborn care course addressing recommendations in the Newborn Health in Humanitarian Settings: Field Guide, with 5-day refresher course at 6 months, supply provision and installation of newborn register</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Midwives and registered nurses</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational (interrupted time series)</td>
<td>28 months</td>
<td>Pregnant women who sought childbirth care at a study facility</td>
<td>Women who sought childbirth care: 525 enrolled, 419 analysed; healthcare workers: 12 enrolled, 10 analysed</td>
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<td>Badiuzzaman</td>
<td>2020</td>
<td>Bangladesh, regional</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Host community</td>
<td>Satellite/mobile clinics, referral services, ambulance services, and community health service workers</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Doctors and other clinic staff, community health workers</td>
<td>Yes - Chittagong Hill Tracts Development Facility (CHTDF) multi-sector program</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)</td>
<td>5 years</td>
<td>Households with women of reproductive age</td>
<td>3,664 enrolled (2,192 intervention, 694 control); 778 analysed (584 treatment, 194 control)</td>
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<td>Chemali (2017)</td>
<td>Lebanon, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Other</td>
<td>Host community</td>
<td>4 session adapted version of SMART-ERP (Stress Management Relaxation Response Resilience Training)</td>
<td>System-level</td>
<td>Health professional cadre – social workers</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>23 months</td>
<td>Social and field workers working in Lebanon, with priority given to those directly involved with Syrian refugees</td>
<td>120 social/fieldworkers attended SMART-3RP training; 100 participated in research portion; 52 completed the training</td>
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<td>Deboutte (2013)</td>
<td>Democratic Republic of Congo, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Provision of emergency obstetric care (EmOC), including Caesarean sections</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - health workers trained in anaesthesia, obstetric surgery, and pre- and post-operative care</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Economic evaluation (within a case-control study)</td>
<td>7 months</td>
<td>Women who delivered by C-section at a study facility, matched to women who delivered vaginally</td>
<td>368 enrolled (178 intervention, 180 control); 368 analysed</td>
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<td>Angola, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Multiple (displaced and non-displaced)</td>
<td>Social and economic development health and water, sanitation, and waste management projects</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental (non-randomized trial)</td>
<td>1 year</td>
<td>Children &lt;5 years of age</td>
<td>1,373 children (674 ASAF, 699 non-ASAF)</td>
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<td>Afghanistan, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Standardized training and supportive supervision package aimed at improving existing community health worker (CHW) capacity to provide maternal and neonatal home visits and behaviour change communication messages</td>
<td>System-level</td>
<td>Lay personnel - community health workers</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental</td>
<td>12 months</td>
<td>Random selection of villages and households</td>
<td>1,408 women enrolled (709 intervention, 699 control); 1,378 analysed (689 intervention, 689 control)</td>
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<td>Description: Maternal and child health mobile health teams (MHTs) providing primary care services to pregnant and postpartum women and children under 5</td>
<td>Study design: Observational (cross-sectional, population-based evaluation study)</td>
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<td>Personnel type(s): Health professional cadre - midwives, vaccinators, and nurses</td>
<td>Sample description: Intervention - districts receiving MHT services in prior 3 years; Control - districts not receiving MHT services</td>
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<td>Population: Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Part of broader program: Yes</td>
<td>Sample size: 110 districts (54 intervention, 56 control)</td>
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<td>Gallagher (2019)</td>
<td>Country: Democratic Republic of Congo, Somalia, and Yemen, regional sample</td>
<td>Description: Service approach based on The Essential Elements of Postabortion Care as developed by the PAC Consortium: community mobilization, strengthening provider counselling, treatment of abortion complications, provision of voluntary contraceptive services, and referrals as needed</td>
<td>Study design: Mixed methods</td>
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<td>Implementation site: Community-based, facility-based</td>
<td>Study duration: 5 years</td>
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<td>Context type: Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Personnel type(s): Health professional cadre and lay personnel - healthcare workers, community health workers (CHWs)</td>
<td>Sample description: Women in need of postabortion care</td>
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<td>Population: Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Part of broader program: No</td>
<td>Sample size: Baseline 1,413 clients (812 DRC, 11 Somalia, 590 Yemen); endline 3,640 clients (1,412 DRC, 1,065 Somalia, 1,163 Yemen)</td>
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<td>Jia (2015)</td>
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<td>Description: Community cell phone Ebola Haemorrhagic Fever (EHF) syndromic surveillance</td>
<td>Study design: Observational</td>
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<td>Population: Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Part of broader program: Yes - Moyamba District Community syndromic surveillance system</td>
<td>Sample size: Moyamba district population: 278,119</td>
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<td>Kersten (2013)</td>
<td>Agok, Abyei area (disputed zone between the Republic of the Sudan and the Republic of South Sudan), regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp</td>
<td>Not specified</td>
<td>Approach to systematically measure quality of care</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>3 weeks</td>
<td>Male and female patients 21 years or older; health care workers</td>
<td>14 observations of care encounters; 67 patient files; 23 semi-structured interviews (4 project managers, 9 health care workers, 10 patients following discharge)</td>
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<td>Kunkel (2019)</td>
<td>Democratic Republic of Congo, regional sample</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Health facility (HF)-based active case finding (ACF) surveillance system for control of Ebola Virus Disease (EVD) transmission</td>
<td>Facility-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre - doctors and nurses</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>4 weeks</td>
<td>Health facilities (HFs) and records for all consultations</td>
<td>113 HFs; 37,746 consultation records</td>
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<td>Lee (2016)</td>
<td>Guinea, national sample</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>National Call centre and local alert system for detection of new cases of Ebola Virus Disease (EVD)</td>
<td>System-level</td>
<td>Lay personnel – call centre operators and dispatch team</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>9 months</td>
<td>National viral haemorrhagic fever (VHF) database of all persons tested for EVD and all known, confirmed EVD cases</td>
<td>17,309 alert calls analysed</td>
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<td>Li (2016)</td>
<td>Sierra Leone, regional sample</td>
<td>Outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp (urban)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced)</td>
<td>Community-based strategy to interrupt Ebola Virus Disease (EVD) transmission (widespread community-based education and field-operational intensified control measures)</td>
<td>Community-based</td>
<td>Health professional cadre and lay personnel - disease surveillance officers, contact tracers, support staff, social mobilizers</td>
<td>No</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>6 months</td>
<td>No inclusion/exclusion criteria reported</td>
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| Lovey (2021) | **Country:** Kenya, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Outbreak  
**Context type:** Camp (rural)  
**Population:** Refugee | **Description:** Web-based basic higher education/medical training course (InZone learning ecosystem)  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Quasi-experimental  
**Study duration:** 6 months  
**Sample description:** Residents of Kakuma refugee camp or Kalobeyei integrated settlement with high school diploma satisfying English language proficiency requirements  
**Sample size:** 43 recruited (16 intervention, 27 control); 29 analysed (11 intervention, 18 control) |
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| Mbaeyi (2018) | **Country:** Somalia, national sample  
**Crisis type:** Outbreak  
**Context type:** Non-camp (rural and urban)  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Village Polio Volunteers (VPV) program for poliovirus surveillance  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Lay personnel - local trained volunteers  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 5 years  
**Sample description:** N/A  
**Sample size:** N/A |
| Metuge (2021) | **Country:** Cameroon, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** Community based surveillance (CBS) to identify outbreak prone diseases (OPD) compared to the District Health Service (DHS) facility-based surveillance  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Both health professional cadre and lay personnel – medical doctors, nurses, community health workers (CHW)  
**Part of broader program:** Yes | **Study design:** Observational  
**Study duration:** 11 months  
**Sample description:** N/A  
**Sample size:** N/A |
| Momotaz (2019) | **Country:** Bangladesh, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp (rural)  
**Population:** Host community, refugee | **Description:** Mental Health Gap Action Programme (mhGAP) training and supervision  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - physicians, psychosocial staff  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Observational (descriptive evaluation)  
**Study duration:** 4 months  
**Sample description:** Physicians and counsellors (BA Psychology, social work or sociology) from government facilities and NGOs serving both the refugee and host population  
**Sample size:** 21 participants at initial training, 19 participants at follow-up (10 new) |
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<td>Parr (2014)</td>
<td>Thailand, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Camp and non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Migrant, refugee</td>
<td>Efforts to change nuchal cord management during delivery by multi-stage interventions by doctor and registered midwife providing education and clinical support to skilled birth attendants (SBAs)</td>
<td>Mixed methods (retrospective cohort study of birth data, knowledge survey and semi-structured interviews with SBAs)</td>
<td>2 years</td>
<td>Birth records for normal singletons born &gt;= 28 weeks gestation between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2013; SBAs at study sites</td>
<td>4,270 births; 5 interviews and 26 knowledge surveys</td>
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<td>Ratnayake (2021)</td>
<td>Democratic Republic of Congo, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict, outbreak</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural)</td>
<td>Emergency affected (non-displaced), internally displaced</td>
<td>Integration of non-communicable disease management program within emergency primary care</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>2 years</td>
<td>Patients from Beni region with hypertension and/or diabetes</td>
<td>788 patients</td>
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<td>Sibai (2020)</td>
<td>Lebanon, regional sample</td>
<td>Armed conflict</td>
<td>Non-camp (rural and urban)</td>
<td>Host community, refugee</td>
<td>Multicomponent intervention to advance the level of care and management of hypertension and diabetes at PHC centres, including logistics and technical support of the health centres; human resource development, promotion of good practice in care, and use of basic documentation tools; and empowering patients attending PHCs and catchment area communities</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>6 months</td>
<td>Adults aged 40 years and above with hypertension and/or diabetes</td>
<td>390 enrolled; 140 analysed</td>
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| Sijbrandij (2020) | **Country:** Sierra Leone, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Outbreak  
**Context type:** Non-camp  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** 11 one-day trainings of Psychological First Aid (PFA)  
**Implementation site:** Community-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - trained mental health nurses  
**Part of broader program:** Yes - part of a larger mixed methods study on the effectiveness of psychological first aid | **Study design:** Randomized controlled trial  
**Study duration:** 9 months  
**Sample description:** Primary health care workers >=18 years old with adequate oral and written command of the English or Krio language working at peripheral health units (PHUs) who had not previously received any PFA training or training with overlapping content  
**Sample size:** 129 PHUs enrolled (63 intervention, 66 control); 408 healthcare workers analysed (206 intervention, 202 control) |
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| Sion (2015) | **Country:** Democratic Republic of Congo, national sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Non-camp  
**Population:** Emergency affected (non-displaced) | **Description:** District Hospital Surgical Services as part of a Complementary Package of Activities  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** N/A  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Economic evaluation  
**Study duration:** 1 month  
**Sample description:** District hospitals  
**Sample size:** 12 hospitals |
| Stanley (2015) | **Country:** Thailand, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp and non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Migrant, refugee | **Description:** Training in basic emergency assessment and management for local health workers  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - medics and nurses  
**Part of broader program:** Yes | **Study design:** Observational (cohort)  
**Study duration:** 8 weeks  
**Sample description:** Nurses and medics working at 3 clinic sites  
**Sample size:** 71 enrolled (45 nurses, 26 medics) |
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<td>Steinhardt (2013)</td>
<td>Quasi-experimental</td>
<td>Afghanistan, national sample</td>
<td>Health Financing Pilot (HFP) study with 3 arms: A) User fee arm, with a flat fee for services and percentage charge of wholesale drug price; B) Free services arm; C) Community Health Fund arm, where households pre-pay a set amount for access to health facility</td>
<td>3 years and 3 months</td>
<td>Basic Health Centres (BHC), Comprehensive Health Centres (CHC) and District Hospitals (DH)</td>
<td>47 pilot facilities: 27 user fee facilities, 10 free services facilities, and 10 control facilities</td>
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<td>Tran (2021)</td>
<td>Mixed methods</td>
<td>Democratic Republic of Congo, Nigeria, and Uganda, regional sample</td>
<td>Clinical Outreach Refresher Training Strategy for sexual and reproductive health (S-CORT), designed to update health providers’ competencies on uterine evacuation using both medications and manual vacuum aspiration</td>
<td>4 months</td>
<td>Clinical and programmatic staff at partnering organizations’ sites</td>
<td>72 enrolled (21 Uganda, 21 Nigeria, 30 DRC); 65 analysed (18 Uganda, 20 Nigeria, 27 DRC)</td>
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<td>Van Boetzelaer (2020)</td>
<td>Observational</td>
<td>Bangladesh, regional sample</td>
<td>Active indicator-based community-based surveillance system (CBS) to detect epidemic prone disease early for rapid response</td>
<td>6 months</td>
<td>All HHs in catchment areas</td>
<td>average 97,340 HHs per CBS surveillance cycle (with average of 548,739 persons)</td>
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| White (2016) | **Country:** Thailand, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp and non-camp (rural)  
**Population:** Migrant, refugee | **Description:** Development and utilization of curriculum content and apprenticeship model for competency-based skilled birth attendant (SBA) training, including a train-the-trainer component  
**Implementation site:** Facility-based  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre - SBA  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Mixed methods  
**Study duration:** 6 years  
**Sample description:** Students participating in training program, SBAs supervising students  
**Sample size:** 88 students enrolled; 88 analysed. Qualitative sample of 5 SBAs, 3 teachers |
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| Wijekoon (2020) | **Country:** Bangladesh, regional sample  
**Crisis type:** Armed conflict  
**Context type:** Camp and non-camp (urban)  
**Population:** Host community, refugee | **Description:** Early warning, alert and response system to detect infectious disease outbreaks  
**Implementation site:** System-level  
**Personnel type(s):** Health professional cadre and lay personnel  
**Part of broader program:** No | **Study design:** Mixed methods  
**Study duration:** 1 month  
**Sample description:** Health facilities in the Teknaf and Ukhia subdistricts that serve refugee population  
**Sample size:** 26 health facilities |
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| Abbas          | 2018        | • Course effectiveness in improving BLS knowledge and practical skills  
• Pass rate on practical assessment checklist  
• Improvement from pre to post course assessment                                                                                                    | **Pre-post difference in questionnaire mean score:** 15.031 (p<0.001)  
**Pre-post difference in practical test pass:** 56 (p<0.001)  
**Overall pass rate:** professional trained 26/30, peer trained 30/34 (p=1.00)  
**Re-test overall pass rate:** professional trained 3/6, peer trained 7/8 (p=0.091)  
**Live pass rate:** professional trained 27/30, peer trained 33/34 (p=0.333)  
**Retest live pass rate:** professional trained 2/3, peer trained 7/8 (p=0.245)                                                                 | Low          |
| Akoury-Dirani  | 2015        | • Health worker knowledge of PFA (definitions of mental health concepts, PFA principles and core actions, administration of screening tools)  
• Readiness to deliver PFA services (total score)                                                                                                   | **Change in health worker knowledge:** definition of PTSD +5% (p=0.382); what to avoid when administering PFA +15% (p=0.32); how to approach and interact with refugees when administering PFA +45% (p<0.001); how to behave with refugees +26% (p<0.001); things to avoid when listening to the story of a traumatized person +35% (p<0.001); comprehension of PTSD screening tool +20% (p=0.003)  
**Readiness levels (SD):** baseline 2.16 (0.47); after training 1.72 (0.40); 1 month follow-up 1.86 (0.43) (p<0.001) | Low          |
| Al Shdai-fat   | 2019        | • Pre-knowledge and post-knowledge assessment (mean knowledge test score)  
• Clinical checklist score  
• Satisfaction of provider with training                                                                                                                                                               | **Mean knowledge test score:** pretest 46%, post-test 81% (p<0.0001)  
**Clinical checklist score:** Significant increase across all 8 domains of clinical checklist (exact figures not provided)  
**Satisfaction with training:** 97%                                                                                                                  | Unclear      |
| Amabo          | 2019        | • Simplicity (standardized case definition correctly stated by key informants [expected ≥80%], disease notification sheet is easy to fill in and available [≥80%], next level of data transmission is clearly defined [≥80%], cases are easy to recognize based on case definition [≥80%]; average time spent filling in disease notification report [≤10 min]) | **Simplicity score = 2 (simple if >=4):** Standardized case definition correctly stated by key informants = 20%; Disease notification sheet easy to fill in & available = 100%; Next level of data transmission clearly defined = 100%; Cases are easy to recognize by case definition = 70%; Average time spent filling in disease notification report = 35 min | Moderate     |
### Flexibility

- **Flexibility score = 1 (flexible if >=1):** IDSR report sheet allows for notification of a disease/event other than diarrheal disease = Yes

### Data Quality

- **Data quality score = 2 (data quality good if >=3):**
  - % ‘unknown’ or ‘blank’ responses on weekly notification sheets = 3%; Case definitions used = No; Clear hardcopy of surveillance forms available = Yes; % weekly surveillance forms signed twice = 0%

### Acceptability

- **Acceptability score = 3 (acceptable if ≥1):**
  - Completeness of surveillance forms ≥ 90% = Yes; Timeliness of surveillance forms ≥ 80% = No; % personnel participating in surveillance ≥ 80% = Yes; % key informants that consider surveillance activities part of their routine work ≥ 90% = Yes

### Sensitivity

- **Sensitivity score = 1 (sensitive if = 1):**
  - % suspected cases identified when reviewing logbooks and reported to next level = 100%

### Representativeness

- **Representativeness score = 1 (representative if = 1):**
  - % weekly reports sent by camp’s surveillance sites from 2014 to 2015 = 100%

### Timeliness

- **Timeliness score = 0 (reactive if = 1):**
  - % weekly reports transmitted to district on time from 2014 to 2015 = 66%

### Stability

- **Stability score = 1 (stable if ≥3):**
  - Availability of a focal person for surveillance = Yes; % personnel trained for disease surveillance = 70%; % surveillance reports archived = 70%; Availability of revised Integrated Disease Surveillance Guide and other data collection tool = No

### Amsalu (2020)

- **Composite outcome:** proportion of newborns who received essential newborn care practices (skin-to-skin contact, early breastfeeding, dry cord care)
- **Proportion of newborns who received early initiation of breastfeeding, thermal care (immediate drying, skin-to-skin contact, delayed bathing), clean childbirth practices (visibly clean delivery bed, handwashing and glove wearing by attendant, use of sterile delivery kit, dry cord care)

### (95% CI):

- **Odds of receiving 2 or more essential newborn care practices:** 64.5 (15.8-262.6, p<0.001)
- **Odds of receiving 3 essential newborn care practices:** 220.0 (33.7-1443.0, p<0.001)
- **Odds of receiving early initiation of breastfeeding:** 10.6 (1.6-69.8, p=0.014)
- **Odds of receiving thermal care:** 28.4 (8.0-100.9, p<0.001)
- **Odds of receiving clean childbirth practices:** 11.1 (2.6-46.6, p=0.001)
- **Knowledge test score:** posttraining to pretraining +11.9% (7.2-16.6, p<0.001), 18-month to posttraining +10.9% (4.7-17.0, p<0.001)

### Low

**Annex 14: Study Designs and Outcomes of Health Systems Intervention Studies**
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| Badiuzzaman (2020) | - Health worker knowledge and skills (mean score difference from post-training to pretraining and 18-month follow-up to post-training): knowledge test score, accurate completion of partograph, skills in newborn resuscitation with bag and mask  
- Impact of CHTDF on maternal care utilization (fixed effect model): receipt of any antenatal care (ANC), delivery attended by trained birth attendant, delivery at a health facility  
- Differences in maternal care utilization by experience of conflict, fear of conflict, and ethnicity | **Accurate completion of partograph:** posttraining to pretraining +68.5% (52.7-84.3, p<0.001), 18-month to posttraining -30.3% (-13.5 to -47.1, p=0.002)  
**Skills in newborn resuscitation with bag and mask:** posttraining to pretraining +65.1% (53.4-76.7, p<0.001), 18-month to posttraining +0.4% (-6.6 to 7.4, p=0.903)  
(SE):  
**ANC check-up received:** overall 0.18 (0.09, p<0.1), without experience of conflict 0.19 (0.10, p<0.1), with experience of conflict 0.04 (0.20), without fear of conflict 0.16 (0.12), with fear of conflict 0.17 (0.10), Bengali 0.18 (0.12), Indigenous 0.24 (0.13, p<0.1)  
**Delivery attended by trained provider:** overall 0.16 (0.15), without experience of conflict 0.10 (0.18), with experience of conflict 0.44 (0.14, p<0.05), without fear of conflict 0.40 (0.19, p<0.1), with fear of conflict -0.01 (0.13), Bengali 0.17 (0.24), Indigenous 0.15 (0.16)  
**Delivery at a health facility:** overall 0.23 (0.08, p<0.01), without experience of conflict 0.26 (0.09, p<0.01), with experience of conflict 0.23 (0.10, p<0.05), without fear of conflict 0.37 (0.12, p<0.01), with fear of conflict 0.11 (0.06, p<0.1), Bengali 0.18 (0.14), Indigenous 0.24 (0.12, p<0.1) | Unclear |
| Chemali (2017) | - Symptom Checklist-90 (SCL-90; >64 denotes clinical significance)  
- Physiological measures (blood pressure, pulse) | **Mean change from baseline to follow-up 9 months after intervention (SD):**  
**SCL-90:** -14.7 (29.8, p<0.0001)  
SCL-90≥64: -7 (-13.4, p=0.3141)  
**Systolic blood pressure:** -11.9 (18.4, p<0.0001)  
**Diastolic blood pressure:** -6.4 (10.1, p<0.0001)  
**Pulse:** -8.3 (15.9, p=0.0016) | Low |
| Deboutte (2013) | - Incremental cost of C-section (CS) delivery  
- Health-adjusted life expectancy (HALE) gained  
- Incremental cost effectiveness ratio (ICER): C-section cost per year of HALE gained | **Incremental CS cost, in USD:** mission hospital 14,359, government hospital 11,371  
**HALE gained:** overall lower estimate 11,285 and higher estimate 36,604 years, NGO hospital higher estimate 27,453 years  
**ICER at NGO hospital, in USD:** lower estimate 9.2, higher estimate 3.8 | Moderate |
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<td>Djimeu (2014)</td>
<td>• Height-for-age Z- scores (HAZ)</td>
<td><strong>Average treatment effect of ASAF on HAZ (SE):</strong> FEM 0.3255 (0.037, p&lt;0.01), PSM 0.335 (0.155, p&lt;0.05), WLS 0.28445 (0.046, p&lt;0.01)</td>
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<td>Edmond (2018)</td>
<td>• Proportion of women delivering in a health facility: difference-in-differences</td>
<td><strong>Proportion of women who (95% CI):</strong> Delivered in a health facility: 10.97% (4.0-18.0, p=0.002) Attended at least 1 ANC visit with a skilled healthcare provider: 10.54 (4.2-16.9, p=0.001) Attended at least 1 PNC visit with a skilled healthcare provider: 7.20 (0.2-14.2, p=0.04)</td>
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| Edmond (2020) | District service provision: • Proportion of pregnant women who were recorded in HMIS as having received at least 1 antenatal care (ANC) visit • Proportion of children under 1 year who received their first measles vaccine • Proportion of children under 5 years who received at least 1 IMCI service for diarrhoea or pneumonia • Proportion of postpartum women who received at least 1 postnatal care (PNC) visit • Proportion of pregnant women who delivered at a health facility • Proportion of pregnant women who received a tetanus toxoid vaccine • Proportion of children under 1 year who received their 3rd pentavalent vaccine | **Mean difference between intervention and control districts (95% CI):**  
Proportion of pregnant women receiving >= 1 ANC visit: 14.84 (1.66-28.01, p=0.03)  
Proportion of children under 1 who received their first measles vaccine: 12.78 (2.08-23.48, p=0.02)  
Proportion of children under 5 who received at least 1 IMCI service for diarrhoea or pneumonia: 10.34 (1.40-19.27, p=0.02)  
Proportion of postpartum women receiving >= 1 PNC visit: 2.79 (-5.11 to 10.70, p=0.48)  
Proportion of pregnant women who delivered at a health facility: 13.53 (-0.57 to 27.63, p=0.06)  
Proportion of pregnant women who received a tetanus toxoid vaccine: 14.48 (0.11-28.84, p=0.04)  
Proportion of children under 1 who received their 3rd pentavalent vaccine: 7.55 (-4.20 to 19.30, p=0.20)  
Mean # of ANC visits: 41.32 (-52.46 to 135.11, p=0.18)  
Mean # of tetanus toxoid vaccines for pregnant women: 82.01 (-38.69 to 202.71, p=0.18) | Low |

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**Gallagher (2019)**

- Overall # of PAC clients
- Mode of treatment: sharp dilation and curettage (D&C), manual vacuum aspiration (MVA), medical treatment with misoprostol (miso)
- Proportion of PAC clients who chose a method of contraception prior to leaving the facility
- Contraceptive method mix among clients choosing a method: implant, injectable, intrauterine device (IUD), pills, long-acting reversible contraceptive (LARC)

**Overall # of PAC clients:*** baseline 1,413 (812 DRC, 11 Somalia, 590 Yemen); endline 3,640 (1,412 DRC, 1,065 Somalia, 1,163 Yemen)

**Mode of treatment:**
- **DRC:** D&C baseline 18%, endline 3% (p<0.001); MVA baseline 69%, endline 95%; miso baseline 12%, endline 2%. Yemen: D&C baseline 25%, endline 3% (p<0.001); MVA baseline 69%, endline 87%; miso baseline 6%, endline 11%.

**Proportion of PAC clients who chose a method of contraception prior to leaving the facility:**
- **DRC:** baseline 42%, endline 70% (p<0.001), Yemen baseline 17%, endline 38% (p=0.002), Somalia baseline 64%, endline 82% (p not provided, not statistically significant)

**Contraceptive method mix among clients choosing a method:**
- **DRC:** implant baseline 52%, endline 38%; injectable baseline 26%, endline 22%; IUD baseline 7%, endline 32%; pills baseline 15%, endline 8%, LARCs baseline 59%, endline 70% (p=0.02). Somalia: implant baseline 0%, endline 18%; injectable baseline 14%, endline 29%; IUD baseline 14%, endline 6%; pills baseline 72%, endline 47%, LARCs baseline 14%, endline 24%. Yemen: implant baseline 1%, endline 9%; injectable baseline 16%, endline 6%; IUD baseline 0%, endline 6%; pills baseline 83%, endline 79%, LARCs baseline 1%, endline 15% (p=0.004)

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<td>• Total # of suspect and confirmed cases</td>
<td>Total # of suspect and confirmed cases: 129 suspect and 49 confirmed</td>
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<td>• Average # of suspected and confirmed cases</td>
<td>Average # of suspected and confirmed cases: 4.16 (SD 3.76) suspect, 1.58 (SD 1.43) confirmed</td>
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<td>• % of alerts reporting suspect cases and mortality</td>
<td>% alerts reporting suspect cases: 34% (n=76)</td>
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<td>• Average # EHF mortalities reported</td>
<td>Average # EHF mortalities reported: 6.42 (SD 3.91, 95% CI 5.88-6.94)</td>
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<td>• % of alerts with successful follow-up within a day</td>
<td>% alerts w/ successful follow-up w/in a day: 85.77% (n=223)</td>
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<td>• % unmet calls</td>
<td>% unmet calls: 13.85% (n=36)</td>
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<td>• % false alerts</td>
<td>% false alerts: 0.38% (n=1)</td>
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<td>Kersten (2013)</td>
<td>• Mean structural quality for all assessed areas (Donabedian’s criteria of quality of care)</td>
<td>Mean structural quality for all assessed areas: 73% (7) of expected performance level (EPL)</td>
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<td>• Process quality (observational structured checklist)</td>
<td>Mean process quality: 59% EPL (9)</td>
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<td>• Overall mortality rate</td>
<td>Process quality for: supportive depts (lab &amp; pharmacy) 86% (18) of EPL; general nursing care procedures 54% (7); hygiene procedures 41% (11) of EPL</td>
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<td>Overall mortality rate: 3.6% (2011)</td>
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<td>Kunkel (2019)</td>
<td>• # of consultations reviewed by ACF teams</td>
<td># of consultations reviewed by ACF teams: 37,746 consultations reviewed, 690 suspected EVD case, 358 alert cases, 2 cases validated as suspected EVD cases</td>
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<td>• Impact of HF-based ACF visits on HF-EVD awareness</td>
<td>Adjusted odds of good awareness of EVD by previous ACF visit to HF (ref: no prior visit): 2nd or 3rd visit 4.4 (95% CI 2.0-10.8, p=0.0005); 4th + visit 15.0 (95% CI 3.5-84.3, p=0.0007)</td>
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<td>Lee (2016)</td>
<td>• Sensitivity of the national call centre database</td>
<td>(95% CI): Sensitivity of the national call centre database: 3.9% (3.0–4.9)</td>
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<td>• Sensitivity of calls to the local prefectures</td>
<td>Sensitivity of calls to the local prefectures: alert database (active prefectures) 54.3 (47.8–70.0), local source 51.1 (44.3–57.9), national source 3.2 (1.3–6.4)</td>
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<td>Li (2016)</td>
<td>Proportion of new confirmed cases from registered contacts % (new confirmed cases/ all registered contacts) &lt;br&gt; Median of community infectivity time (range)-days &lt;br&gt; % confirmed EVD died in the community &lt;br&gt; Unsafe burials for probable or confirmed EVD case &lt;br&gt; Districts with at least 1 security incident or other form of incompliance to EVD control measure (number per week)</td>
<td>Proportion of new confirmed cases from registered contacts %: Nationwide = 45.6 (302/662), Pilot communities = 64.3 (9/14) &lt;br&gt; Median of community infectivity time (days): Nationwide = 1.9, Pilot communities = 1.0 &lt;br&gt; % confirmed EVD died in the community: Nationwide = 21.2 (156/736), Pilot communities = 12.5 (1/8) &lt;br&gt; Unsafe burials: Nationwide = 173, Pilot communities = 0 &lt;br&gt; Districts/week with 1+ incompliance form: Nationwide = 2.7, Pilot communities = 0</td>
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<td>Lovey (2021)</td>
<td>Post-test results &lt;br&gt; Knowledge acquisition</td>
<td>Post-test results (95% CI, p-values for 2-tailed and 1-tailed tests between intervention groups): &lt;br&gt; Written exam % score: intervention 51% (38-63, p=0.006, p=0.003), control 30% (23-38) &lt;br&gt; Oral exam % score: intervention 67% (45-56, p=0.05, p=0.03), control 51% (43-59) &lt;br&gt; Final results % score: intervention 59% (44-74, p=0.008, p=0.004), control 41% (34-48) &lt;br&gt; Knowledge acquisition (intervention only): &lt;br&gt; Critical thinking: 4 points (SD 2.6), 53% (95% CI 32-75) &lt;br&gt; Quiz results: 5 points (SD 1.3), 48% (95% CI 40-56)</td>
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<td>Mbaeyi (2018)</td>
<td>Acute flaccid paralysis (AFP) case counts and nonpolio acute flaccid paralysis (NPAFP) rates (cases per 100,000 persons aged &lt;15 years) &lt;br&gt; Stool specimen adequacy rates and timeliness of reporting &lt;br&gt; Mean duration from paralysis onset to notification</td>
<td>AFP cases (#): 172 in 2011, 148 in 2012, 546 in 2013, 420 in 2014 &lt;br&gt; NPAFP rates: 6.5 in 2013, 7.4 in 2014, 4.8 cases in 2015, 5.3 in 2016; incidence rate ratio 2015 vs 2012 = 1.7 (95% CI 1.4-2.1, p&lt;0.001) &lt;br&gt; Stool specimen adequacy rates: Consistently &gt;95% during 2011-2016 except in 2013, when the rate dropped to 86.8% &lt;br&gt; Overall mean duration from paralysis onset to notification: 4.5 days for AFP cases during 2014-2016</td>
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| Metuge (2021) | • Ability of CBS system vs DHS facility-based surveillance to pick up suspected cases of OPDs (# alerts by CBS system vs DHS)  
• Timeliness of reporting (average time first symptoms to alert generation by CBS system) | **Comparative ability of CBS system to pick up suspected cases of OPDs:**  
CBS system - 9 alerts (8 investigated, 5 responses, and 3 confirmed); DHS - 0 alerts  
**Timeliness of reporting:** CBS system - 7.3 days | Low |
| Momotaz (2019) | • Quality of training: scale 1-5  
• Confidence in applying training to their work | **Quality of training:** average score for all aspects of training 3.5, average score of trainers 4.9  
**Confidence in applying training to their work:** 76% felt very confident | Unclear |
| Parr (2014) | • Rate of umbilical cord ligation  
• Proportion of cord ligation rates before and after arrival of midwife  
• Maternal and neonatal outcomes before and after arrival of midwife: birthweight in grams, mean estimated gestational age in weeks, 1 minute and 5 minute Apgars scores, proportion of 5-minute Apgars less than 7, newborn resuscitation percentage, postpartum haemorrhage, episiotomy  
• Proportion of correct answers given by SBAs on knowledge survey | **Rate of umbilical cord ligation:** quarter 1 15.9%, quarter 2 11.1%, quarter 3 2.4%, quarter 4 0.9%  
**Proportion of cord ligation rates before and after arrival of midwife, by clinic site:** Maela before 15.3%, after 1.0%; Wang Pha before 10.6%, after 1.9%; Maw Ker Thai before 13.7%, after 3.0%  
**Maternal and neonatal outcomes before and after arrival of midwife (SD):**  
birthweight before 2979 (437), after 2989 (429); mean estimated gestational age: before 39.1 (1.5), after 39.1 (1.4); shoulder dystocia before 0.1%, after 0.1%; Apgar (1 minute), median: before 9, after 9; Apgar (5 minute), median: before 10, after 10; proportion of 5-minute Apgar less than 7: before 0.8%, after 0.8%; newborn resuscitation: before 2.8%, after 1.6%; postpartum haemorrhage: before 8.3%, after 6.5%; episiotomy %: before 5.1%, after 5.2%  
**Proportion of correct answers given by SBAs on knowledge survey:**  
proportion of infants born with nuchal cord: 61.5; presence of fetal nuchal cord is harmful to the infant: 16.7; can cause fetal distress in 2nd labour: 92.3; clamping and cutting of the fetal nuchal cord before birth is a dangerous practice: 84.6; clamping and cutting of the fetal nuchal cord before birth is associated with fetal anaemia: 83.3; clamping and cutting of the fetal nuchal cord before birth is associated with fetal shock and hypovolemia: 38.5; clamping and cutting of the fetal nuchal cord before birth is associated with HIE especially with shoulder dystocia: 88.5 | Unclear |
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<td># of consultations for hypertension and diabetes: incidence rate ratio</td>
<td><strong># of consultations (95% CI):</strong> HTN 13.5 (5.8-31.5, ( p=0.00 )); diabetes 3.6 (1-12.9, ( p=0.046 ))&lt;br&gt;<strong>Treatment adherence:</strong> HTN attended at least 2 visits 45.4%, remained in care 33.9%; diabetes attended at least 2 visits 55.3%, remained in care 50%; HTN+diabetes attended at least 2 visits 82.1%, remained in care 56%</td>
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<td>Sibai (2020)</td>
<td>12-item 'Equipment Monitoring' tool for checking availability and functionality of equipment and medication</td>
<td>Equipment and medication availability/functionality: effective process of replenishing most items in due time, except for glucose strips and waist circumference measuring tape&lt;br&gt;<strong>Physician knowledge/skills:</strong> 100% correct related to treatment and monitoring; lower levels on diagnosis (25% disagreement on need to take 2 BP measurements, 81% unable to characterize indications of oral glucose tolerance test or related instructions given to patient when ordering test)&lt;br&gt;<strong>Nursing staff equipment usage knowledge post-training:</strong> 33% correctly identified how many beeps they should hear when the test strip is firmly inserted into the instrument, 33% how long before instrument turns off automatically, 44% how to clean lancing site&lt;br&gt;<strong>Data completeness:</strong> screening forms [random sample] 94% (range 88-100%), BMI and WC most commonly missing items (range 5-12%); patient records &gt;80%&lt;br&gt;<strong>Patient satisfaction with encounters:</strong> 60%&lt;br&gt;<strong>Counselling/provider inquiry:</strong> 86% patients queried about compliance to medications; 68% patients queried about advice given on behavioural changes; 31-42% questioned on side effects of medications and potential complications.&lt;br&gt;<strong>Patient awareness of program/where to seek help:</strong> 40%</td>
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<td>Sijbrandij (2020)</td>
<td>Knowledge retention measured with Knowledge Retention score&lt;br&gt;Scenario score measured understanding of how to apply appropriate skills and response strategies</td>
<td><strong>Mean difference (95% CI):</strong>&lt;br&gt;<strong>Knowledge retention:</strong> post 1.73 (0.98-2.47, ( p&lt;0.0001 )), Cohen’s d=0.50; follow-up 1.54 (0.76-2.33, ( p=0.0001 )), Cohen’s d=0.43&lt;br&gt;<strong>Scenario:</strong> post 0.19 (-0.14 to 0.51, ( p=0.26 )), Cohen’s d=0.04; follow-up 0.65 (0.31-0.98, ( p=0.0002 )), Cohen’s d=0.38</td>
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| Sion (2015) | • Operating budget for surgical services: USD per inhabitant per year  
• Budget for surgical services as proportion of total operating budget  
• Proportion of hospital caseload requiring surgical services  
  **Operating budget for surgical services:** Model Normative Hospital 2.17, Demba Hospital 0.08, Kabare Hospital 0.69  
  **Budget for surgical services as % of total operating budget:** Model Normative 18%, Demba 24%, Kabare 20%  
  **% of hospital caseload requiring surgical services:** Model Normative 33.3%, Demba 9%, Kabare 3.33% |
| Stanley (2015) | • Median assessment score  
• Proportion of participants who passed assessment  
  **Median assessment score:** 12 baseline, 20 post-test, 21 8-wk follow up  
  % of participants who passed the assessment: 4.1% baseline, 71.2% post-test, 66% 8-week follow up |
| Steinhardt (2013) | • Observed facility structural quality  
• Patient and household perceived quality of care: adjusted change from baseline to follow-up compared to control catchment areas  
• Utilization of health services: change in average monthly visits  
  **Observed facility structural quality:** Difference in improvement between free service facilities and user fee facilities 2.2 (p-value not reported but indicated to be "not significant")  
  **Patient and household perceived quality of care:** DH user fee facilities 1.74 (p<0.05), non-DH user fee facilities -1.08 (p<0.05), free service facilities 2.28 (p<0.05)  
  **Utilization of health services:** Change in average monthly visits: DH user fee facilities 100.1, non-DH user fee facilities -297.7 (p<0.05), free service facilities 688.2 (p<0.05)  
  **Change in average monthly OPD visits - baseline fee levels (reference = none):** user fee*service+meds fee 592.1 (p<0.05), user fee*service fee 254.1, free service*service+meds fee 1,300.6 (p<0.01), free service*service fee -443.2 |
| Tran (2021) | • Change in score from pre-test to post-test  
  **Change in score from pre-test to post-test:** Uganda pre-test 84%, post-test 89%; DRC pre-test 56%, post-test 76%; Nigeria pre-test 45%, post-test 52% |
| Van Boetzelaer (2020) | • Positive Predictive Value (PPV)  
- Usefulness  
- Timeliness  
- Simplicity  
- Flexibility  
- Acceptability  
- Representativeness  
- Stability | **PPV:** overall range 41.7%-100%, AWD 88.8% (2,528/2,848), acute jaundice syndrome (53.2% (364/684), acute flaccid paralysis (AFP) 100% (28/28), dengue 70% (21/30), diphtheria (suspected) 41.7% (177/425), measles (suspected) 73.7% (101/137), meningitis (suspected) 50% (1/2)  
**Usefulness:** 21 probable (RDT positive) cholera cases identified by HF-based surveillance; 2 alert responses activated for suspected AWD clusters identified by CBS  
**Timeliness:** ID of suspected case - notification of epidemiologist: HF surveillance 1 hour, CBS within 8 hours (at end of working day)  
**ID of suspected case - notification of Epi Alert Team or Medical Response Team:** HF surveillance 2 hours, CBS within 8 hours (at end of working day)  
**Notification of Epi Alert Team - MSF response:** HF surveillance 1-12 hours, CBS 1-12  
**Notification of epidemiologist - EWAR reporting:** HF surveillance 1 hour, CBS 1 hour  
**EWAR reporting - WHO JAT investigation:** HF surveillance 1-5 days; CBS 1-5 days  
**Simplicity:** system was complex and required 354 staff in 10 different roles  
**Flexibility:** dengue added to surveillance list after increase in cases; CBS designed with built-in flexibility for periodic rotation of WaSH indicators  
**Acceptability:** all HHs in catchment areas consented to CBS inclusion & monthly HH visits  
**Representativeness:** exhaustive, including all HHs in catchment area; coverage during holidays was 85.2-86.7% and >90% in other surveillance cycles  
**Stability:** No interruptions reported | **Low** |
<p>| White (2016) | Proportion of students successfully completing the SBA training | Proportion of students successfully completing the SBA training: 79/88 (90%) | Proportion of students successfully completing the SBA training: 79/88 (90%) |
| | Proportion of graduates who worked at the training facility (SMRU) for at least 12 months | Proportion of graduates who worked at the training facility (SMRU) for at least 12 months: 65/88 (74%) | Proportion of graduates who worked at the training facility (SMRU) for at least 12 months: 65/88 (74%) |
| | Proportion of SBAs from first 3 training cohorts who completed the requirements for promotion or who were progressing towards promotion | Proportion of SBAs from first 3 training cohorts who completed the requirements for promotion or who were progressing towards promotion: 28/60 (47%) | Proportion of SBAs from first 3 training cohorts who completed the requirements for promotion or who were progressing towards promotion: 28/60 (47%) |
| | Median score by cohort on theory exam | Median score by cohort on theory exam (IQR): 81 (76-86), 77 (75-89), 81 (75-85), 79 (70-83) | Median score by cohort on theory exam (IQR): 81 (76-86), 77 (75-89), 81 (75-85), 79 (70-83) |
| | Proportion completing the clinical requirements of the program to achieve competence within 12 months | Proportion completing the clinical requirements of the program to achieve competence within 12 months: 100% | Proportion completing the clinical requirements of the program to achieve competence within 12 months: 100% |
| | Perinatal indicators of birth room safety: proportion of women birthing at SMRU, proportion of women having partograms completed, proportion of stillbirth | Proportion of women birthing at SMRU (2008-2015): 57.2%, 59.7%, 66.9%, 76.8%, 81.6%, 81.2%, 83.2%, 81.9% (p&lt;0.001) | Proportion of women birthing at SMRU (2008-2015): 57.2%, 59.7%, 66.9%, 76.8%, 81.6%, 81.2%, 83.2%, 81.9% (p&lt;0.001) |
| | Proportion of women having partograms completed (2008-2015): 87.6%, 98.5%, 94.0%, 96.2%, 98.6%, 99.0%, 99.7%, 99.8% (p&lt;0.001) | Proportion of women having partograms completed (2008-2015): 87.6%, 98.5%, 94.0%, 96.2%, 98.6%, 99.0%, 99.7%, 99.8% (p&lt;0.001) | Proportion of women having partograms completed (2008-2015): 87.6%, 98.5%, 94.0%, 96.2%, 98.6%, 99.0%, 99.7%, 99.8% (p&lt;0.001) |
| | Proportion of stillbirth (2008-2015): 1.0%, 0.7%, 1.0%, 0.8%, 0.9%, 0.7%, 0.7%, 0.4% (p=0.0276) | Proportion of stillbirth (2008-2015): 1.0%, 0.7%, 1.0%, 0.8%, 0.9%, 0.7%, 0.7%, 0.4% (p=0.0276) | Proportion of stillbirth (2008-2015): 1.0%, 0.7%, 1.0%, 0.8%, 0.9%, 0.7%, 0.7%, 0.4% (p=0.0276) |
| Wijekoon (2020) | Simplicity | Simplicity (Structure, design and ease of operation data flow, ease of completing reporting forms, how many should be completed, length of follow-up required for an outcome, time spent in managing, analysing, and disseminating data, degree of integration with other systems and laboratories): Moderate | Simplicity (Structure, design and ease of operation data flow, ease of completing reporting forms, how many should be completed, length of follow-up required for an outcome, time spent in managing, analysing, and disseminating data, degree of integration with other systems and laboratories): Moderate |
| | Flexibility | Flexibility (Ability to adapt to changing information needs or operating conditions with few additional resources. Ability to scale up/down based on context, respond to new or multiple outbreaks, adding or removing new forms, modification of data management, bulletin production based on needs): Moderate | Flexibility (Ability to adapt to changing information needs or operating conditions with few additional resources. Ability to scale up/down based on context, respond to new or multiple outbreaks, adding or removing new forms, modification of data management, bulletin production based on needs): Moderate |
| | Acceptability | Acceptability (Willingness of all stakeholders to participate, as reflected in the completeness and relative ease of reporting, refusal to report, trust in the system and feedback): High | Acceptability (Willingness of all stakeholders to participate, as reflected in the completeness and relative ease of reporting, refusal to report, trust in the system and feedback): High |
| | Representativeness | Representativeness (Ability to describe correctly the occurrence and distribution of a disease across the population by place and person): High | Representativeness (Ability to describe correctly the occurrence and distribution of a disease across the population by place and person): High |
| | Timeliness | | |
| | Sensitivity | | |
| | Positive predictive value (PPV) | | |
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