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## Strengthening NCD Care systems

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**Country:** Malawi

**Website:** [Christian Health Association of Malawi - To Serve and To Heal \(cham.org.mw\)](http://Christian Health Association of Malawi - To Serve and To Heal (cham.org.mw))

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### Activity

Patient Care  
HCP Empowerment

### Disease area(s) in focus

Diabetes  
Cardio

### Other stakeholders:

Ministry of Health, Malawi

### Project Overview:

Build the capacity of Health Workers and Community Educators in Christian Health Institutions on Diabetes and Hypertension Prevention and Management;

Raise community awareness on common NCDs Risk factors, and screen for NCDs

Providing quality Diabetes and Hypertension diagnostic and treatment services in the supported Church Health Institutions.

Strengthen governance, coordination and monitoring for NCDs in the 2 supported districts

### Achieved Reach

- >**330K** people reached with awareness messages on NCDS
- +**130K** of People screened
- +**12K** Patients receiving diagnostic and treatment services
- 242** CHWs received NCD training
- 380** HCPs received NCD training

### Outcomes Achieved:

*Communities are more aware of NCD risks, prevention and have access to "early" diagnosis*

*NCD Services and support are easily accessible to patients*

*HCPs have improved knowledge, confidence and tools to support Patient*

*"Support DHMT to conduct 291 outreach clinics remote and hard to reach areas*

*Service Delivery Expansion: The project improved access to NCD services through decentralization of 35 facilities out of a project target of 12 facilities. This has helped to significantly reduce travel distances for patients across the three districts. Prior to the project, only the district hospitals were offering NCD services."*