



Evidence Lab

at the Duke Global Health Institute

IMPROVING THE WORLD'S HEALTH
USING RIGOROUS EVALUATION

Our mission: Conduct objective, high-quality evaluations of global health programs, interventions, and technologies in order to provide evidence of impact.

Our goal is to generate evidence that informs policy, programs and/or funding decisions. To achieve this, the DGHI Evidence Lab uses rigorous research designs paired with cutting-edge methods to collect and analyze data to understand whether health programs are having their intended effect.

**Our
Evaluation
Expertise
& Offerings**



FORMATIVE EVALUATION

How is the identified need being met and what can we do to meet the need?

Methods: Descriptive Studies



OUTCOME EVALUATION

Is the intervention/program achieving its objectives?

Methods: Quasi-experimental study designs



IMPACT EVALUATION

What health-related changes can be attributed to our intervention/program?

Methods: Randomized controlled trials or other robust designs



IMPLEMENTATION SCIENCE

Is our intervention/program operating as planned?

Methods: Mixed (qualitative & quantitative)



ECONOMIC EVALUATION

Is our intervention/program/product cost-effective?

Methods: A range of economic analyses



RESEARCH DISSEMINATION & UTILIZATION

How can our findings be scaled-up and better utilized?

Methods: Strategic activities for translating evidence into action



CURRENT PROJECT LOCATIONS:

Cameroon South Africa
India Tanzania
Ghana Uganda
Kenya Zambia

Our team **blends theory and practice** and draws upon the research and policy expertise across Duke University to inform our evaluations and to **disseminate new evidence to policymakers, donors and diverse stakeholders** to inform decision-making. With deep, on-the-ground knowledge and experience with a wide range of global health projects, our team offers research and practice-based understandings of regional health challenges.

A core principle of the DGHI Evidence Lab is to **strengthen the evaluation capacity** of our local and project counterparts on collaborative projects.

Key Topical Expertise



Reproductive,
Maternal,
Adolescent, and
Child Health



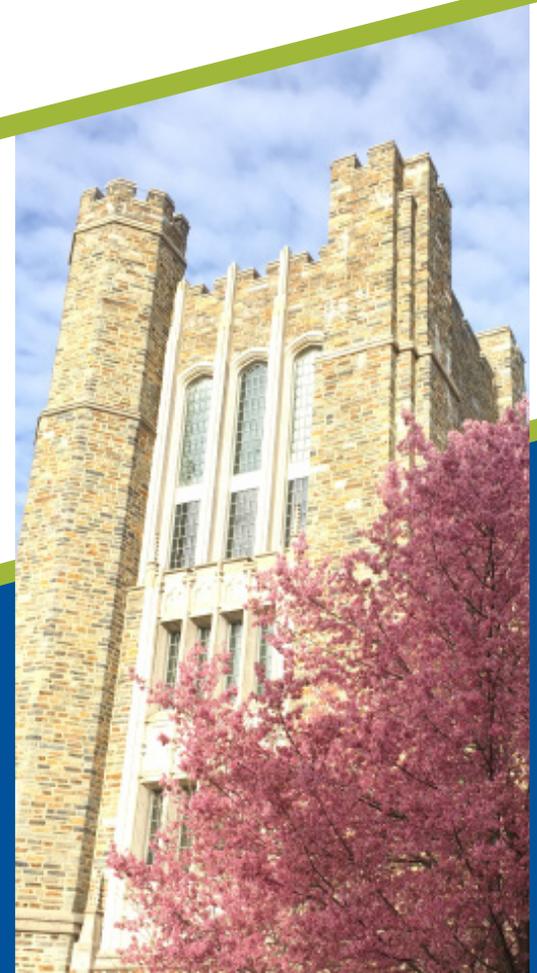
Global Mental
Health



Strengthening
Health Services
and Systems



Private-Sector
Social Enterprises
in Health



INTERESTED IN COLLABORATING? CONTACT US!

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