

# ZIMBABWE



## KEY ACHIEVEMENTS

01

**1.8 million more** people now have access to crucial mental health services

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**More than 3,000 people** for the first time received services for mental, neurological and substance use conditions

03

**A first-ever Zimbabwe Mental Health Minimum Services Package** developed, currently under review

04

**Developed national MH data collection and reporting tools** in collaboration with ZimTTECH and FB

05

**Provided Technical support to CHAI** for development of national mental health mentorship guidelines

## ACTIVITIES



### Capacity building

**373 new people** trained in mental health and psychosocial support

**More than 1,500 people** completed QualityRights e-training

Ensured all mhGAP/PST trained participants completed the WHO QR E-training as a prerequisite



### Advocacy

MoH has given approval to review MH Act, Policy and strategy

Pioneered Multi-Stakeholder Engagement, established regular quarterly collaboration with **seven Thematic TWGs** in collaboration with user-led organisations and other Gvt ministries, dpts & agencies

WHO collaborated with FB, ZimTTECH and Pamumvuri on the development of draft zero of the user requirements for the MH module of the EHR



### Scaling up mental health services

EQUIP and mhGAP training were rolled out in pilot province, Mashwest

Integration of mental health screening and service provision with HIV services

Introduced routine MH screening for all primary healthcare facilities "MH Temperature"

Developed and disseminated mental health IEC for demand creation

## RESOURCE MOBILISATION

**Three levels of WHO** participated in strengthening resource mobilisation, MH integrated in 5 pillars of Global fund

## PRIORITIES FOR 2024

The focus will mainly be on dissemination of QR

- ✓ Scaling up EQUIP-supported mhGAP/PST in four priority provinces
- ✓ Dissemination of Mental Health services package
- ✓ Reviewing the Mental Health Act and Strategy

Delivering lived experience testimonials through song and dance; inmates from Zimbabwe Prisons and Correctional Service performing a song on the correlation between MNS conditions and crime



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