



TANZANIA

RISE – VMMC

(VOLUNTARY MEDICAL MALE CIRCUMCISION)

USAID, through the U.S. President’s Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR), has supported the scale-up of VMMC in five of the 17 priority regions covered by the PEPFAR program since 2009. Through PEPFAR technical and financial support, VMMC coverage in Tanzania has risen to a national average of 74% (THIS2, 2023).

This is a cooperative agreement with Reaching Impact, Saturation, and Epidemic Control (RISE) to provide technical support for sustainable and accelerated scale-up of voluntary medical male circumcision (VMMC) services combined with other HIV prevention interventions in Iringa, Njombe, Tabora, Morogoro, and Singida regions of Tanzania.

OBJECTIVES

RISE will provide technical support for site-level implementation including technical leadership, service delivery, in-service training, quality management, policy and guideline revision, domestic resource mobilization, communications, and monitoring and evaluation for sustainable and accelerated scale-up of VMMC services combined with other HIV prevention interventions.

BUDGET \$3,631,472

DURATION

July 1 ,2022 - September 30, 2023

ACTIVITY LOCATIONS

Iringa, Njombe, Tabora, Morogoro and Singida Regions.

IMPLEMENTING PARTNER

Reaching Impact, Saturation, and Epidemic Control (RISE)

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EXPECTED RESULTS

- Expand access to safe, high-quality VMMC services for boys and men ages 15 years and above.
- Increase availability of population specific/friendly VMMC services by strengthening 138 existing static mother sites and supporting 100 satellite sites.
- Increase demand for, and use of, VMMC services through expanded development and use of population-specific Social and Behavior Change (SBC) tools and strategies.
- Improve demand for linkages to care, treatment, and other prevention services.