HUMAN RESOURCES FOR HEALTH

IMPROVING HEALTH SERVICES
The Human Resources for Health (HRH) project builds critical human resource capacities in the Government of Mali and in health workers to ensure that adequate numbers of trained health workers are available at all levels of the health system to reduce maternal and child mortality and respond to emerging infectious diseases. The project supports the government of Mali’s 10-year health and social development strategy and the Global Health Security Agenda to sustain improvements in health through increased use of high-impact health services and adoption of healthy behaviors.

QUALIFIED HEALTH WORKERS
Through improved human resource management processes, including the use of new software, the project builds the government of Mali’s capacity to recruit, train, and deploy qualified health workers to all parts of the country, including rural areas.

The project’s overall goal is to improve health outcomes for the Malian population by ensuring an adequate supply of qualified health workers who can sustain progress towards ending preventable child and maternal deaths and preventing of pandemic influenza and other emerging threats, including Ebola.

HUMAN RESOURCES FOR HEALTH PROJECT GOALS

BUDGET: $ 4.8 million
TARGET AREAS: Kayes, Koulikoro, Sikasso, Gao and Bamako
PROJECT CYCLE: July 2017 – June 2020
KEY ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE:
• 30 national and regional trainers trained on improving health worker performance for maternal and child health and infectious diseases
• 24 human resources managers and 15 national trainers trained on the use of human resource management software
• Human resources management software installed in 5 regions and 7 national and regional hospitals
• 100 scholarships awarded in Gao health schools for health workers for the three northern regions
• National Human Resources Policy for the health sector updated