

# IMPACT

Improving Access to Reproductive, Maternal, and Newborn Health in Mwanza, Tanzania



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CANADA

## PROJECT REACH

Approximately 1.075 million people, over 65% women and girls.

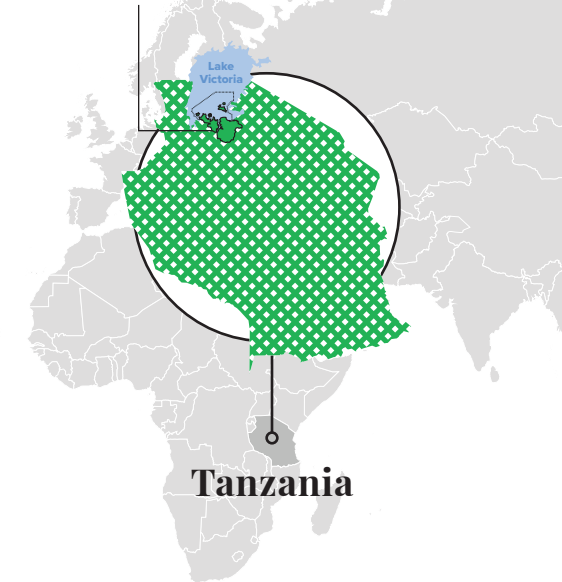
## OUR GOAL

Improve the health of women, adolescent girls, and children, and reduce maternal and newborn mortality in eight underserved districts of Mwanza, Tanzania.

## OUR APPROACH

- Upgrading and equipping public health facilities to deliver quality, gender-responsive, and adolescent-friendly care.
- Investing in skills, knowledge, and attitudes of health professionals and community health workers.
- Working in partnership with communities – including men and boys – to promote healthy behaviours that support reproductive, maternal, and newborn health (RMNH).
- Strengthening local health governance and accountability, with a focus on women's and youth leadership.

Mwanza REGION



Tanzania

## HIGHLIGHTED RESULTS



**25%** increase in births attended by a skilled health professional.



**30%** increase in newborns breastfed within one hour of birth.



**35%** increase in women attending at least four prenatal appointments.



**80** public health facilities with improved RMNH services, including infrastructure improvements at 24 sites.



**141%** increase in the number of women who say their male partners support their access to family planning services.



**400+** healthcare workers and managers trained and mentored to deliver quality, gender-responsive, and adolescent-friendly RMNH services.

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## GLOBAL PARTNERS

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