

LifeNet International

Q1 2020 REPORT



9,388,242

**PATIENT VISITS IMPROVED
TO DATE**

208

**HEALTH FACILITY
PARTNERS**

4

**COUNTRIES OF
OPERATION**

830

**HEALTH WORKERS
ATTENDING MEDICAL
TRAINING**

738

**HEALTH WORKERS
ATTENDING MANAGEMENT
TRAINING**

"I'm so glad we received training on newborn resuscitation. LifeNet's method is easier and more effective than the methods we previously used. This past month, we successfully saved two newborns using the techniques we learned from LifeNet."

-Ronald Kagogwe, Nkoni Health Center, Uganda

LIFENET QUARTERLY IMPACT



632,424

*improved patient visits
last quarter*



Q4 '19



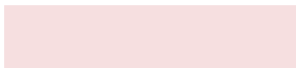
632,424

Q4 '18



428,147

Q4 '17



330,557

15,230

safe deliveries last quarter



Q4 '19



15,230

Q4 '18



12,376

Q4 '17



8,186

PATIENT STORY

NABWIRE ZULUFA

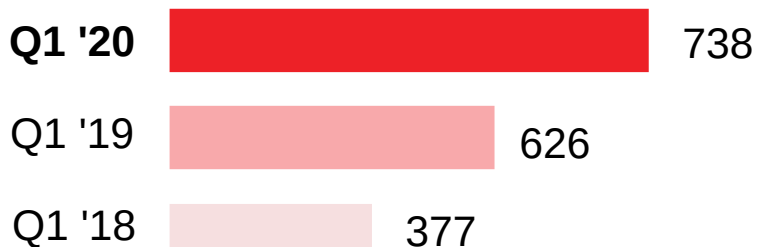


At 40 weeks pregnant, Nabwire Zulufa arrived at Nakassojjo Health Center to deliver her baby girl. She didn't know it, but the umbilical cord was wrapped so tightly around her baby's neck that it was strangling her. As the baby was delivered, the nurse-midwife calmly unwrapped the cord from the baby's neck, but it was clear the baby was struggling to breathe. Using her knowledge gained from LifeNet's training, the midwife quickly performed CPR on the baby who began to breathe, but still remained weak. The midwife then administered dextrose and warming techniques on the baby. Within minutes, the new baby girl responded and quickly recovered. In a mere ten minutes, the baby's situation went from life-threatening to stable, thanks to the knowledge and skill of the LifeNet-trained midwife. Twenty-four hours after saving the baby's life, the midwife was able to discharge a joyful Nabwire and her newborn daughter--both in healthy condition!



738

staff who attended a management training lesson



17

**Medicine deliveries
to partner health
facilities last quarter**

"On behalf of our entire staff, I warmly thank LifeNet for helping us build up our capacity. Following the analysis and recommendations of LifeNet trainers, we have raised enough hospital income to begin building a facility dedicated to maternal and child care."

**-Abbe Minani Pasteur, Director of
Kiremba Hospital, Burundi**

SPECIAL REPORT

SUSTAINABLE IMPACT IN BURUNDI



Sustainability of impact is a key goal for LifeNet. For this reason, we continue to evaluate the quality of care at partner health facilities, even after they have graduated from our training program. We also analyze health worker knowledge and implementation of best practices. In Q4 2019, we evaluated a group of Burundian facilities who graduated 6 months prior to the evaluation. We are proud to report that these facilities passed this sustainability-of-impact-test by scoring an average of 88% on all the modules of LifeNet's curriculum. We will continue to provide quality assurance and ongoing support to these and all other graduated facilities to ensure that the impact of our work is sustained in the long term.

SPECIAL REPORT

PATIENT VISITS AND INFANT DELIVERIES INCREASE IN DRC



After one year of LifeNet training, facilities in the DRC, on average, experienced a 14% increase in patient visits and a 21% increase in infant deliveries. The manager of one DRC facility credits LifeNet training in facility management and compassionate care for their growth saying, "Since we started welcoming our patients and treating them with respect and courtesy...a big change happened and there is an increase in patient attendance."

-Bertin Mulagi, Tanganyika Health Center, DRC

LIFENET NEWS

- **COVID-19 Response:** In the midst of the challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic, our team has harnessed a spirit of innovation and responsiveness. In addition to providing PPE and hygiene tools, training on COVID-19 and infectious disease prevention, and coaching our partners in this difficult time, we are transferring numerous work streams to digital platforms. This will allow us to continue to walk with our partners through this pandemic, even if we are not able to be physically near.
- **Official Emergency Response:** In Uganda, we are now recognized as an official member of the Ministry of Health's emergency response team, allowing us to travel to our partners during the country's lockdown to deliver essential PPE and hygiene materials and to continue to train.



FACES OF LIFENET

"It has always been my dream to help in the delivery of quality healthcare to the rural masses in Malawi. That's why I love to work with LifeNet International. I have seen tremendous improvement in healthcare service delivery in the LifeNet partner facilities I work with and the most fulfilling thing about my work is when I see the people from the rural areas receiving quality healthcare service regardless of their geographical area."

-Veronica Majawa, LifeNet Medical Trainer, Malawi