Botswana HRIMS
A database management system for Botswana’s HIV/AIDS response

BHRIMS (Botswana HIV / AIDS Response Information Management System) is a database system on the DevInfo platform that supports coordination and effective resource management.

Botswana’s National AIDS Coordinating Agency (NACA) oversees a multi-sectoral response to the HIV and AIDS epidemic in the country. This entails strategically aligning the work of all partners and stakeholders, and effectively mobilizing and tracking resources – even more so in light of global economic challenges.

NACA worked with CSF to implement a common database on the DevInfo platform to monitor HIV and AIDS in relation to key human development indicators. The database is adapted to respond to the M&E results matrix of the national monitoring framework, and enables complex data sets to be presented in a standard, focused format. As such, it anchors a national effort to collect, analyze and disseminate information on HIV and AIDS.

Features
- Serves as common database for HIV/AIDS and key human development indicators
- Monitoring is based on M&E results matrix of the national HIV/AIDS framework
- Project focal points can produce informative, accessible HIV/AIDS data profiles
- Dashboard enables complex data sets to be presented in a standard, focused format
- Mobile application allows quick search and visualizations from BHRIMS database

Benefits
- Significantly strengthens NACA’s capacity to monitor its national HIV/AIDS strategy, and progress in human development
- Supports major stakeholders’ effective use of database to monitor progress on national and cross-national priorities, including the SDGs
- Anchors broad, national effort to collect, analyze and dissemination HIV/AIDS data

Facts
- Stakeholders: NACA
- Geographic Area: Botswana
- Time Period: 2016 - present
- Topics: HIV and AIDS
- Tools: Database, DiMonitoring Framework, Dashboard, Profile, Mobile App
- Services: Capacity Building for users; advanced lab training; training-of-trainers
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- Budget: USD 0.219 million