



African Population and
Health Research Center



CEGA
Center for Effective Global Action

Implementation Research Methodology and Applications Workshop

Date: February 7-11, 2022 | Venue: Kampala, Uganda

Background

Implementation science is an upcoming field of study which focuses on using rigorous socioeconomic methods (e.g., impact evaluation and quasi-experimental designs) to promote the adoption and integration of evidence-based practices, interventions, and policies into public health. Given East Africa's heavy infectious disease burden, the African Population and Health Research Center ([APHRC](#)) is partnering with the Center for Effective Global Action ([CEGA](#)) at the University of California, Berkeley, to develop a network of independent, health-focused researchers in East Africa equipped to investigate the socioeconomic dimensions of infectious disease treatment and prevention through implementation research and impact evaluation. This 5-day in-person training on **Implementation Research Methodology and Applications** will explore these methods for early-career social scientists and public health specialists in East Africa.

Objectives

This short course aims to equip participants with knowledge and skills on the use of implementation research as a tool for infectious disease treatment and prevention and to broaden its impact by creating a network of active researchers in East Africa. Consequently, participants will be expected to develop proposals using implementation research that can later be submitted for funding.

Eligibility requirements

The Applicant Must:

- Be a citizen of East Africa (Ethiopia, Kenya, Rwanda, Tanzania, and Uganda)
- Be a Doctoral/postdoctoral researcher or early-career faculty
- Have a background in public health, social science, or related field
- Demonstrate research interest in infectious diseases

- Female applicants are strongly encouraged to apply

All applications will be reviewed by a Selection Committee whose decisions, based on the strength of the applications, shall be final.

Methodology

The workshop will be highly participatory and discussion-based characterized by the active participation of all attendees. A mixture of short lectures, group work, and individual/group presentation and discussion will be employed. The language of instruction will be English.

How to Apply

Send a letter of intent, recent CV, and 1-page summary (Times New Roman 12-font) of the current or intended infectious disease-related topic via email with the subject line “APHRC IR Course 2022”

to: aphrctraining@aphrc.org

Register [Here](#)

Deadline for application: January 19, 2022, at 4:00 PM EAT.

Cost

For all successful applicants, the following costs are fully covered: registration fee, training materials and content, meals, and refreshments during the workshop. However, you will be required to pay for your travel and hotel accommodation.

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