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Joint East and Central Africa AND Southern Africa Regional Hubs Workshop

Sustaining e-Health Practices from Policy to Practice

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| <p>Central and Eastern Africa Ethiopia</p> <p>Southern Africa Malawi</p> | |

Elilly International Hotel, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

May 25-26, 2023



**Day 1 – 25 May 2023**

| Time | Activity | Speaker | Chairperson |
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| 8:30 – 9:00 | Registration | | Dr. Adane Letta, Deputy Director at eHealth Lab Ethiopia, University of Gondar – Ethiopia BETTEReHEALTH Project Partner |
| 9:00 – 9:30 | Welcome remark | Mr. Kora Tushune, Jimma University – Ethiopia BETTEReHEALTH Project Partner Dr. Biniyam Tilahun V/P for Research & Technology Transfer, Lead of eHealthLab Ethiopia Research Centre, University of Gondar, – Ethiopia BETTEReHEALTH Project Partner | |
| | Workshop Opening speech | Mesoud Mohammed Deputy CEO, Strategic Affairs MoH, Ethiopia | |
| | Participant Self-Introductions | | |
| 9:30 – 10:15 | Key note address | Bekure Tamirat Technical Advisor, Africa CDC Dr. Afework Kassa M&E Coordinator at IGAD | |
| 10:15 – 10:40 | Health break – Group photograph | | |
| 10:40 – 11:00 | BETTEReHEALTH Consortium Purpose, Lessons Learnt and Outcomes | Dr. Konstantinos Antypas Research Manager SINTEF Digital PI, BETTEReHEALTH Project | Dr. Chipso Kanjo HISP Malawi BETTEReHEALTH Partner |
| 11:00 – 1:20 | Recommendations for e-health standardisation and interoperability in African LLMICs | Maganizo Monawe HISP Malawi | |
| 11:20 – 11:40 | Requirements for sustainable and trustable e-health solutions in African LLMICs | Araya Mesifin PhD fellow, School of Public Health University of Gondor | |
| 11:40 – 12:00 | BETTEReHEALTH Registries | Amanuel Meseret JU, BETTEReHEALTH Safaricom, Ethiopia | |
| 12:00 – 12:30 | Plenary discussion | | |





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| 12:30 –13:30 | Lunch Break | | |
| 13:30 –14:15 | Workshop: BETTEReHEALTH – DHA collaboration: Revitalizing DHA and the role of countries | Mats Blakstad, SINTEF Dr. Konstantinos Antypas, SINTEF | Dr. Gugsu Nemera Jimma University BETTEReHEALTH Partner |
| 14:15 –15:45 | Countries Updates on e-Health Policies, Strategies and Initiatives | Botswana – Kagiso Ndhovu Eswatini – Dr Zulisile Zulu Ethiopia – Dawit Berhane Kenya – Ayub Shisa Malawi – Dr Alinafe Mbewe Mozambique – Brana da Santos Uganda – Mpiima Jamiru Zambia – Dr Ernest Zulu Zimbabwe – Dr Munyaradzi Zhou | |
| 15:45 –16:00 | Health break | | |
| 16:30 –16:30 | Discussions and Drawing Lessons | Dr. Chipu Kanjo HISP Malawi BETTEReHEALTH Partner | |
| Dinner meeting | | | JU, UoG, HISP Malawi |





Day 2 – May 26 May 2023

| Time | Activity | Speaker | Chair person |
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| 9:00 – 9:20 | Day 1 Review | JU/UoG | Dr. Chipo Kanjo HISP Malawi BETTEReHEALTH Partner |
| 9:20 – 10:00 | Panel 1: Engagement of health professional associations and patient association in the national eHealth policies | Mr Ellos Lodzeni Member, BETTEReHEALTH Advisory Board Advisor, Patient Community Welfare Foundation of Malawi Dr. Fikadu Balcha, BETTEReHEALTH Member, Ethiopian Nurses Associations Dr. Biniyam Tilahun, UoG | |
| 10:00 –10:30 | Panel 2: Networking and Potential Collaborations | Frederic Lievens Project Manager at Lievens-Lanckman BETTEReHEALTH Partner Dr. Afework Kassa M&E Coordinator at IGAD Bekure Tamirat Technical Advisor, Africa CDC Mr. Kora, Jimma University | |
| 10:30 –10:45 | Health Break | | |
| 10:45 –11:45 | Panel 3: Exit Strategy and Sustainability | Rayhane Kouba, SIFAX Tunisia Dr. Adane Leta, UoG Dr. Chipo Kanjo, HISP Malawi | Dr. Gugsu Nemera, JU |
| 11:45 –12:15 | Lessons Learnt and Good Practices: Summary of the workshop | Dr. Chris Moyo, HISP Malawi | |
| 12:15 –12:30 | Way Forward | Dr. Biniyam Tilahun, UoG Mr. Kora Tushune, JU | |
| 12:30-12:45 | Closing Remarks | MoH, Ethiopia | |
| 12:45– 13:40 | Lunch break | | |
| Site seeing | | | JU, UoG |

DHA – Digital Health Atlas

JU – Jimma University

IGAD – The Intergovernmental Authority on Development

UoG – University of Gondar

MoH – Ministry of Health

