

# No roads to health: Lessons from health service delivery in rural communities of Sub-Saharan Africa

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## Abstract

Globally, the numbers of stillborn babies, neonatal deaths and maternal deaths are reducing as a result of focused efforts on low and middle-income countries. However, in many rural communities, progress remains slow particularly when there is limited access to skilled medical attendants during delivery. In response, since 2015, our organization has been implementing Maternal, Newborn and Child Health (MNCH) programs in Sub-Saharan Africa, where women are plagued by many challenges in seeking obstetric care.

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