
Evaluating Impact: Turning Promises into Evidence

Project Name: Provision of free health care to CT-OVC program beneficiaries

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1. Intervention Summary

National Safety Net Program

- **Intervention:** Providing free health insurance to extremely poor households with **orphans and vulnerable children**



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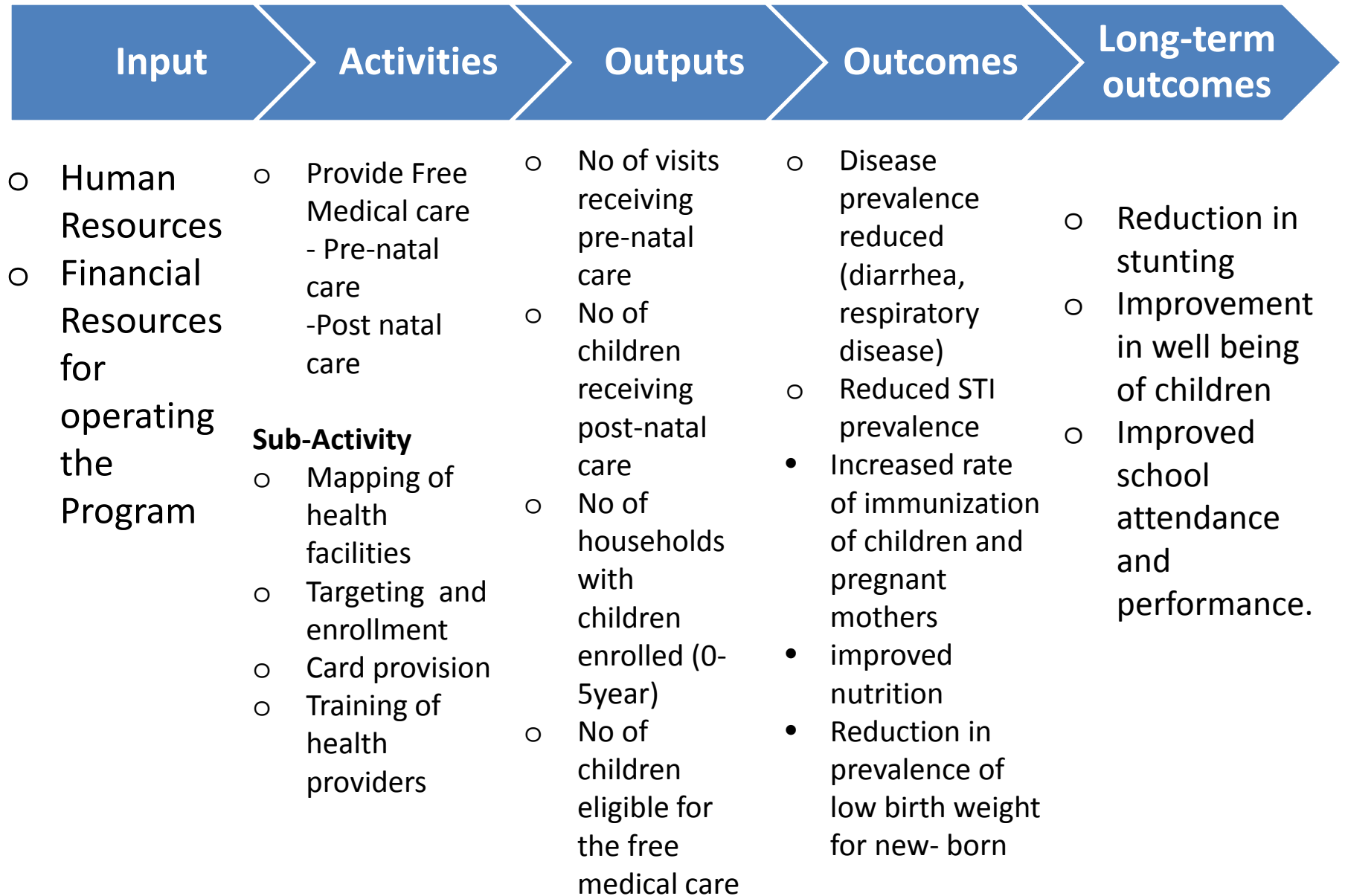
National Safety Net Program

- ❑ Current coverage of CT-OVC is **155,000** households in 896 location
- ❑ Estimated number of children is **775,000**
- ❑ Kenya has **47** Counties and **2,713** locations

Pilot – Free health Care

- ❑ Piloting to be in **47** Counties in Kenya (2 randomly selected locations per county – total of 94 locations)
- ❑ For the evaluation 2 extra locations per county will be randomly selected as control.
- ❑ Total pilot population is **15,000** households (150 per location. If the number is more than 150, there will be random selection of beneficiaries for the intervention)

2. Results Chain



3. Research Questions

- ❑ What is the effect of adding free health insurance on children of 0-5 years old and pregnant mothers in CT beneficiaries households.
- ❑ What is the effect of adding free health insurance on older children in CT beneficiary household{ 6-17 years}? Is the effect different between boys and girls?

4. Impact Evaluation Design

- During the design of the program, **94** locations will be randomly selected for the pilot (15000 beneficiaries households)
- Another 94 locations will be randomly selected for control.
- Power calculation needs to be done to decide sample size and number of localities

Evaluation	Locations
Treatment(CT and insurance)	94
Control (CT alone)	94

5. Sample and Data

- **Sample** should be representative of children 0-5, boys and girls 6-17 years old.
- **Program** to start in December 2013/January 2014.
One year intervention
- **Data Collection:**
 - Baseline: December 2013/January 2014
 - Follow up: December 2014/January 2015
- **Main Outcomes:**
 - Anthropometric measures (height for age, height for weight, weight for age)
 - Prevalence of illness (diarrhea, respiratory diseases, other illness)
 - Health care facility utilization
 - School performance and attendance