# **MEASURE Evaluation**

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better **ata** for health; better outcomes

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#### resources for the greatest good. Our work helps direct scarce

health security

- We support surveillance data to identify threats to tuberculosis
- maternal and child health, malaria, HIV/AIDS, and We provide tools and research on family planning,
- right populations
- We analyze data so the right services reach the stronger programs
- We innovate methods, tools, and approaches for more with less
- We interpret data so health programs can achieve

#### improve people's health. Data are essential to

#### and health system performance. Our work helps show trends

scale-nb or change

- We evaluate health systems and programs for for the long term
- We build people's skills to manage health systems
  - We foster data use for better policies and health systems
- We build country capacity for research to improve

#### **petter** stronger to serve people Data make health systems



And never stop learning what works.

to help people to improve health Use data to improve systems

adeuqa: It's fair to say we have an



# trustworthy. Our work makes data more

- We ensure that data collectors have the right skills
  - We help establish standards for data information
- We help improve data quality to provide reliable
- data to improve health
- We strengthen the collection, analysis, and use of

#### real people. Data describe the lives of



#### and easy to use. Our work makes data efficient

DHIS 2 and DATIM for a more complete health We align local data with larger platforms like

- sbeed and accuracy
- We use health informatics and technology for ueeqs aug 3abs
- We use geospatial tools to identify health service PEPFAR priorities for health
  - We provide strategic information to address
- to improve quality of care
- We promote digital systems and interoperability

#### to serve people. Data equip health systems

# .sevil equity, and saves and improves

Ultimately, our work fosters an AIDS-free generation

maternal deaths and achieve 90-90-90 and

- We are helping end preventable child and
- vulnerable populations • We advance understanding of the needs of
- We evaluate the effects of gender norms on health
- and outcomes
- We design better ways to monitor health services

:os bnA lives of all people matter. Data remind us that the