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Planned to achieve

For the study and phd-run:

- All approvals
- Fieldwork throughout 1 year
- Analysis (qual / quant)
- Publications

For DigI-project

- 10 hotspots
- A more health litterate village population

Highlights & Lessons learned

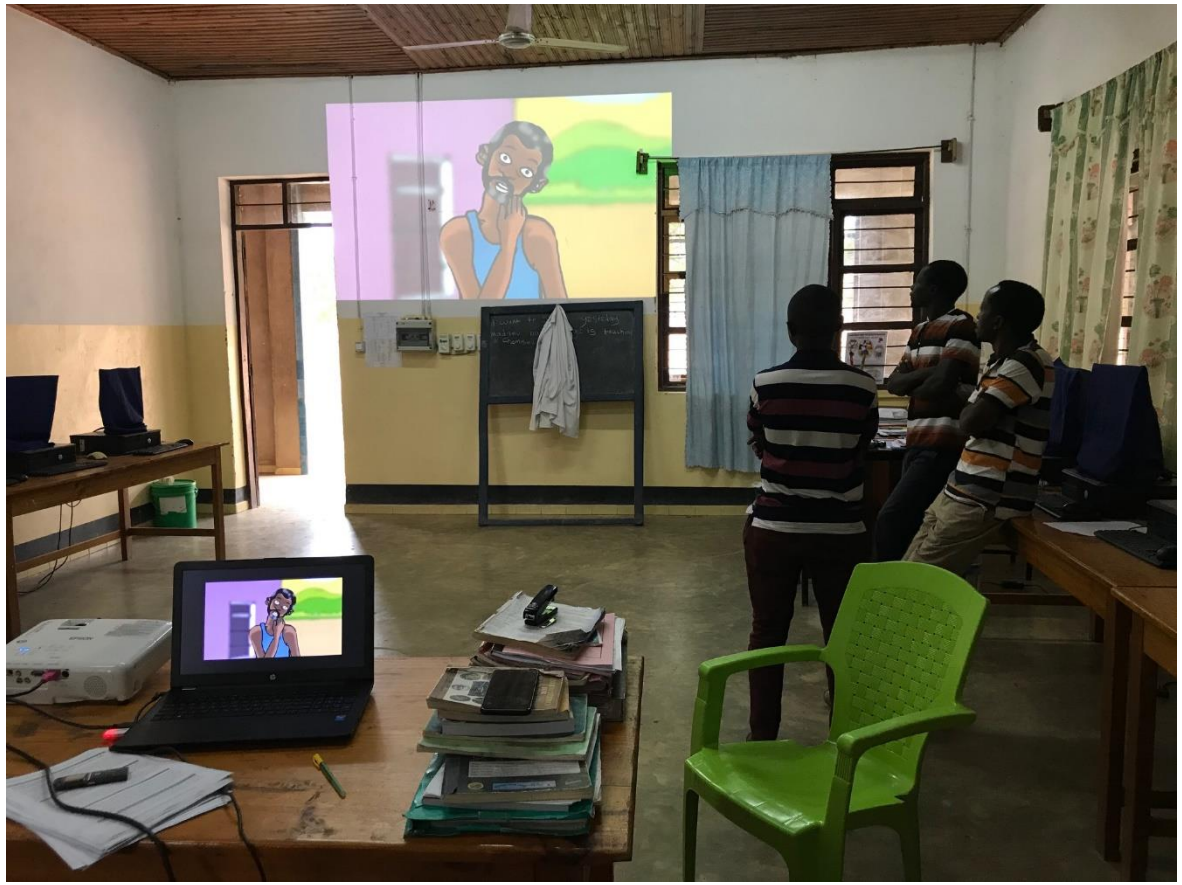
- Multi-disiplinary teamwork
- Animations very well received
  - Important messages repeated by users
- The need for internet in our villages
- The immediate knowledge uptake
- The work with TZ- ground team and the sub-village leaders
- Ownership in the villages
- Presentations internationally and nationally

Main impressions form fieldwork and analysis

- Participants in the intervention village appreciate the digital health messages
  - In the first follow-up, only 1 out of 280 reported that they did not like the digital health messages, and 270 out of 280 reported that thet learned something from them
- The importance of culturally sensitive content
- Unbiased health messages of high quality
- In local language

Status May2020 (achieved & open issues)

- Last round of fieldwork in the making
- Analysis process, in Stata amd Nvivo
- Four publications in the making
- Recent comment in The Lancet Digital Health



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The Digl-project

Steps to follow-up until Jul2020

- Last round of data collection in Kimande, Idodi, Migoli and Izazi
- Installing hostposts in Kimande and Idodi after fieldwork
- Analysing and writing, writing, writing…

Recommendations

- Animations and internet to the people!
- Multidisciplinary team collaborations
- Close collaboration with local teams

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