AFRICA ONE HEALTH UNIVERSITY NETWORK (AFROHUN)

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About AFROHUN























Africa One Health University Network (AFROHUN)

UNIVERSITIES

- 1. University of Montagnes
- 2. University of Buea
- 3. University of Ngaoundere
- 4. University of Kinshasa
- 5. University of Lubumbashi
- 6. Jimma University
- 7. University of Addis Ababa
- 8. Mekelle University
- 9. University of Nairobi
- 10. Moi University
- 11. University of Rwanda
- 12. Univ. of Global Health Equity
- 13. Univ. of Cheikh Anta Diop
- 14. Muhimbili University of Health & Allied Sciences
- 15. Sokoine Univ. of Agriculture
- 16. Mbarara University
- 17. Makerere University
- 18. Félix Houphouet Boigny University





- 1. Senegal
- 2. Ivory Coast
- 3. Cameroon
- 4. DR Congo
- 5. Rwanda
- 6. Tanzania
- 7. Uganda
- 8. Kenya
- 9. Ethiopia





AFROHUN Team Support

FUNDERS

- USAID
- IDRC

PARTNERS

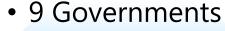
- OHW-NG: UC Davis & consortium members
- STOP: Tufts & consortium members
- LVIF- Gender project

Board

Country

Teams

- 9 Members
- Quarterly meetings



(EAC, AU-IBAR, ECOWAS)

Partners (technical & funding partners)

Regional Bodies

AFROHUN

Executive

26 Deans/Directors Meet twice a year

Leadership Summit

Deans | Directors **Principals**

- Country Managers
- Thematic Leads
- Admin

Regional Secretariat

- CEO & D. CEO
- Technical Team
- Admin Team

AFROHUN's Strategic Direction





















Processes informing the Rebranding from OHCEA to AFROHUN

- Expanding the network mandate
 - Continental outlook
 - Institutional to nations
- Positioning the network beyond universities

Affirming AFROHUN's niche – consolidating key achievements

Evidence-informed program design and implementation





















AFROHUN's Strategic Goals

VISION: A global OH leader championing sustainable health for humans, animals and environment

MISSION: To drive transformational change for continuous improvement of health and well-being of humans, animals and environment through OH principles and approach to research, training and community service

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Education & capacity building

Research, innovations & community service

Resource mobilization & partnerships

Goal 1



Goal 2



Provide pre-service and inservice education, training and outreach to expand the size and capabilities of the one health workforce that meets the national, regional and global needs.

Strengthen multidisciplinary and innovative research on priority areas and share information to advance evidence-based training, knowledge, practice, and policy development.

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Goal 3



Strategic partnerships created and adequate resources secured for sustainable One Health initiatives

Organizational & network strengthening

Goal 4



Strengthen the capacity of AFROHUN secretariat and that of network institutions to deliver one health.



AFROHUN's Continental Agenda

- Increasing demand for competent One Health workforce on the African continent given the increasing frequency and emergence of infectious disease outbreaks.
- OHCEA network repositioned to AFROHUN to take on a broader mandate.
- AFROHUN is pooling the strength of the network members, partners and lessons learned over 10 years into a platform to coordinate development of the continent's One Health Workforce under the umbrella of AFROHUN One Health Workforce Academy.
- The academy will be operationalized through five pillars where structured programs where trainings will be incubated, piloted and rolled out to users on the African continent and beyond.











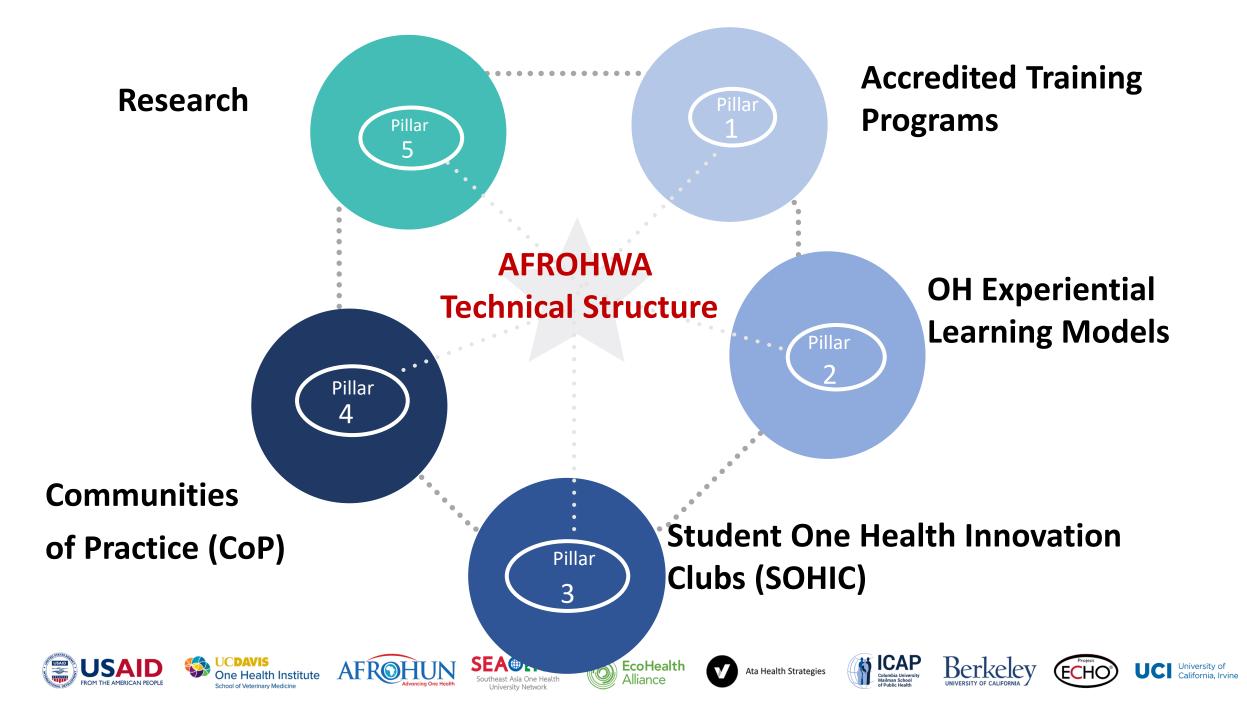




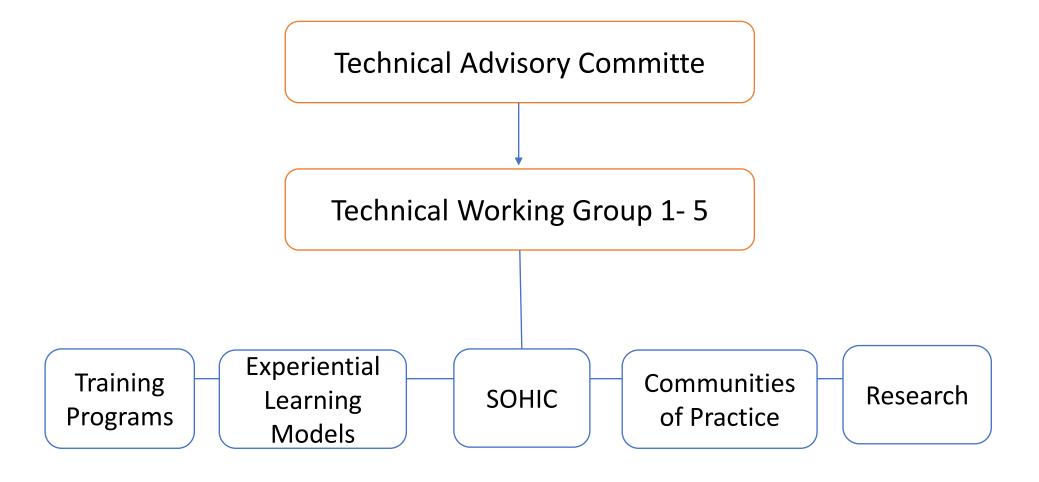








AFROHUN OHW Academy Operational Structure























Current Projects



















Projects

- USAID OHW Next Generation Project
- Goal: To build the capacity of AFROHUN in workforce empowerment; workforce assessment and organization sustainability
- USAID STOP Spillover Project Goal: To enhance local, national and regional capacity to understand the ecosystem of zoonotic viral spillover and design interventions to reduce their risk, amplification, and spread.
- IDRC-LVIF funded SheVax+ project:
- Goal: Action research to support women's agency and empowerment in Livestock vaccine distribution, delivery and use in Rwanda, Uganda, and Kenya



















Key Activities



Professional development, certificates, educational resources, etc.



Expansion of the network and partnerships

Local and International
Partnerships with Private and
Public Organizations.
Fundraising.



Outreach to local communities

Student clubs, alumni, rapid response projects.



Information management

Services and information to stakeholders.

KEY ACTIVITIES

Here are the most important examples of how we do what we do instead of an endless list with every activity within the business.

Conduct policy engagement

Workforce assessments, workforce gap analysis, Policy analysis and synthesis, Risk communication



Research

Knowledge creation and dissemination, publications.

Marketing and branding

Awareness events, branding events

Innovative problem solving

Multi-sectoral innovation to solve complex health challenges and community issues.





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