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For more than a decade, IntraHealth International has collaborated with the government, health workers, and other local stakeholders to strengthen Senegal's health systems and bring high-quality health care services to more communities. After years of investment in the country's health systems and services, Senegal has greatly reduced child mortality and malaria-related mortality, increased access to family planning, and stabilized a low incidence of HIV.

Since 2010, the proportion of households using insecticide-treated bed nets to prevent malaria rose from 63% to 82% and the contraceptive prevalence rate rose from 12% to 20%. And that's just the start. Senegal has experienced a tremendous increase in the modern contraceptive prevalence rate, growing 8% between 2010 and 2014.

Strengthening and Expansion of Interventions for the Consolidated Control of the Pre-Eradication of Malaria (2015–2017)

Partners: National Malaria Control Program, Plan Senegal, Enda Santé, Caritas, Intermondes, Hunger Project Senegal, National Youth Council of Senegal, Action Youth and Environment, Enda Ecopole, International Association of Stakeholders for Development, Association for Social Action in Development, Association of West African Women, & Organization of Movements and Associations for Development. **Funders:** The Global Fund to Fight AIDS, TB, and Malaria

Highlights:

- Distributed 6.6 million bed nets to more than 12 million people, including 2.3 million children under five.
- Conducted over 150,000 home visits and 23,000 community dialogue sessions on malaria to inform, educate, and prevent malaria at the community level.
- Trained and deployed 21,000 community outreach workers, reaching almost 1.3 million households and increasing bed net coverage from 4% to 99% in 10 regions.

Expanding the Informed Push Model (IPM) for Family Planning In Senegal (2013–2016)

Partners: Senegal's Ministry of Health and Social Action, Senegal's National Pharmacy, & Dimagi. **Funders:** Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation & Merck for Mothers



Trained 1,000+ health workers to offer high-quality family planning services



Reduced contraceptive stockouts to less than 2%



Recruited 51,381 new users of family planning

Highlights:

- Expanded IPM nationally to improve the family planning supply chain in the public sector, where contraceptive shortages have long persisted.
- Reduced contraceptive stockouts to less than 2% and strengthened Senegal's reproductive health supply chain.
- Piloted IPM in Pikine and Kaolack, where the average monthly contraceptive stockout rates fell from 83% for implants and 43% for Depo Provera in 2010-2011 to 0% for both methods in 2012.

Health Services Improvement Project (2011–2016)

Partners: Helen Keller International, Medic Mobile, & the Siggil Jigéen Network. **Funder:** USAID

Highlights:

- Trained over 3,300 health workers from 1,300 service delivery points to provide integrated services for maternal, neonatal, and child health; family planning; and reproductive health in 11 out of 14 regions.
- Integrated family planning into postnatal services, resulting in over 48,500 new users of family planning, and increased couple years of protection by 1.2 million.
- Trained nearly 1,900 health workers to keep themselves and their facilities safer from infections and environmental hazards.

Senegal Urban Reproductive Health Initiative (ISSU) (2009–2015)

Partners: Action and Development, National Association of Midwives, ENDA Third World, FHI360, Marie Stopes International, the Islam and Population Network, & the Association of Journalists for Health, Population and Development. **Funder:** Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

Highlights:

- In 2014 alone, delivered family planning services to over 30,000 women and provided more than 67,000 couple years of protection via community-based interventions in poor urban areas.
- Provided health worker updates and training on long-acting and permanent family planning methods, resulting in 49% of first-time family planning users enrolled via ISSU choosing one of these methods.
- Partnered with religious leaders to train community-based religious mediators and educators to promote family planning benefits and dispel myths. These advocates have visited over 14,000 households and over 21,000 women and men.

Strengthening Civil Society Engagement for Family Planning (2011–2016)

Partners: E-Tri Benin, Coalition des OSC du Benin, Coalition des OSC du Mali, Coalition des OSC du Senegal, Coalition des OSC du Niger, & Coalition des OSC du Burkina Faso. **Funder:** William and Flora Hewlett Foundation

Highlights:

- Launched a website and held workshops to introduce coalition members to social media, blogging, and video production as advocacy tools.
- Developed advocates among religious leaders and trained 92 youth ambassadors and 24 adult mentors to support them.
- Oriented 55 journalists on family planning to spark increased media interest and coverage.

Sayana Press (2014–2015)

Partners: PATH & Senegal's Ministry of Health and Social Action. **Funder:** Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

Highlights:

- Trained over 1,100 health workers to provide Sayana Press in Dakar, Thiès, Fatik, and St. Louis.
- Made Sayana Press available to 100% of health facility clients in the four target regions, touching 48% of Senegal's population.

Other current projects and funders

- CapacityPlus, 2009–2015 (USAID)
- Pfizer Global Health Fellows Program, annual (Pfizer)
- Ouagadougou Partnership Coordination Unit, 2014–2016 (William and Flora Hewlett Foundation and Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation)
- Measurement, Learning and Evaluation for the Urban Reproductive Health Initiative, 2013–2015 (Carolina Population Center)

Past projects and funders

- Strengthen and Expanded Interventions for a Consolidated Control of the Pre-eradication of Malaria, 2012–2014 (Global Fund)
- Ouagadougou Partnership Coordination Unit, 2012–2014 (Hewlett Foundation and Capital for Good for the Global Health Advocacy Fund)
- The USAID/Senegal Maternal, Neonatal, and Child Health/FP/Malaria Project, 2006–2011 (USAID)
- Mobilize against Malaria Initiative, 2006–2011 (Pfizer)
- Capacity Project (USAID)
- PRIME II Project (USAID)

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