

Country coalition plan recommendations - Kenya

One of our activities during COP#4 included discussing and making recommendations regarding each cohort's coalition plans, guided by the following questions:

- *Do(es) the objective(s) seem clear?*
- *Are the strategies sufficient to lead to the objective(s)?*
- *Does the plan lead to systemic change?*

The recommendations made for Kenya were as follows:

- As interventions are being done at the local level, it is especially important to reflect on how plans lead to systems change so as to achieve substantial results.
- It is necessary that work is also being done at the public policy level so that it sustains over time.
- An inclusive approach (including different stakeholders, such as parents, students, teachers, etc.) is required for systems change.
- Current strategies are responding to immediate issues, but we understand that the long-term strategies will be part of the concept note being prepared.
- Ensure innovative methods for community engagement are incorporated into learning and teaching.
- Ensure flexibility, keeping in mind that the objectives may not be met within the established timelines.
- If possible, restructure the project's timeline so that the baseline assessments can be done before defining treatment areas.