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Quick Facts

Countries	South Africa
Financial Institutions	International Finance Corporation (IFC)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	U
Sectors	Education and Health

Project Description

IFC has partnered with Imperial, a provider of integrated market access and logistics solutions with a focus on key industries including healthcare, automotive and chemicals amongst other, to support the development of a program to manufacture and deploy modular healthcare units to provide COVID-19 screening, testing and treatment, as well as other healthcare services to patients in densely populated, low-income urban areas in Sub-Saharan Africa, where access to healthcare is limited. IFC will be selecting the target pilot countries together with Imperial, identifying country-specific needs and approaches that can be scaled up through partnerships with private healthcare service operators and governments.

People Affected By This Project

In response to the limited availability of healthcare infrastructure in Sub-Saharan Africa, the Project aims to expand COVID-19 screening, testing and treatment and, overall, increase access to quality healthcare services. Through the development of additional healthcare infrastructure, the Project also seeks to increase employment opportunities for healthcare professionals, a substantial portion of this is expected to be female.

Investment Description

- International Finance Corporation (IFC)

Contact Information

No contact information provided at the time of disclosure.

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