

Access to Medical Literature

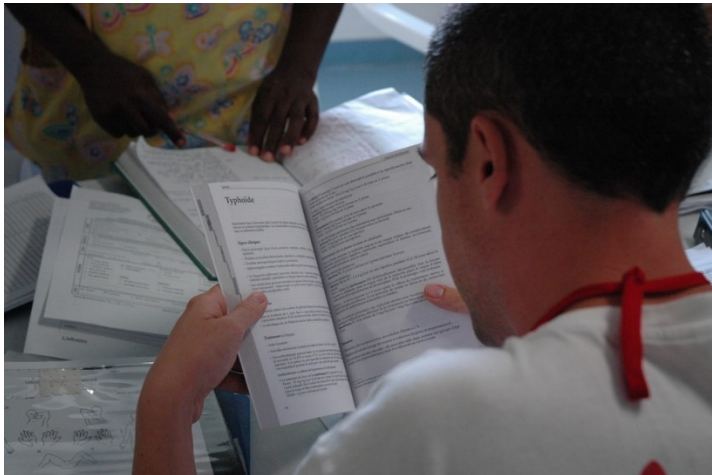
Project Summary

Problem

Address the gap in MSF's access to health sciences journals for medical / paramedical practitioners to better enable evidence-based decision making in humanitarian context.

Proposed Solution

Provide access to medical knowledge for **ALL** Health Staff in MSF by resourcing a specialized systems librarian to assess needs, conduct negotiations and arrange online access.



Potential Impact

- Potential to democratize access to medical literature through open access
- Encourage information sharing across MSF
- Provide broad access to evidence-base for all MSF medical and paramedical staff

Viability

- Clearly defined gap assessment and vision
- Engaging the right resource, supported by key stakeholders

Risk Mitigation

- Defined risks; team has created the job profile to attract the right skills

Scalability

- Discussions with platform for buy-in to facilitate scaling movement-wide

Area/Type: Medical R&D, Incubator

Sponsor/Support: OCG

Length/Project Status: 1 year; **COMPLETE**