



Reaching Impact, Saturation, and Epidemic Control (RISE)

What Is the VMMC Online Training Hub?

The VMMC Online Training Hub (OTH)

is an e-learning platform that provides classes, resources, and communities of practice to help clinicians advance their skills and knowledge around performing voluntary medical male circumcision (VMMC). The OTH covers the didactic, theoretical VMMC information traditionally learned through in-person workshops. With the OTH, learners complete and pass the online course before proceeding to an in-person clinical practicum.

VMMC OTH Features



Take training anywhere, anytime

Learners can use multiple devices such as mobile phones, tablets, and laptops (or desktops) to take OTH classes. They can also download the classes to read offline when internet access is not available.



Learn by doing

This VMMC online training course provides information through interactive online classes that feature animations, multimedia elements, quizzes, and links to supplemental resources, linked with extensive hands-on experience through in-person surgical training.



Engage with a community

Learners can connect and collaborate with fellow learners, course moderators, and others in their field through Connect, the site's social collaboration section.



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Frequently asked questions

Learners can use the FAQ section of the site to easily find answers to the most common questions on how to use the site.



Resource Library

The Resource Library contains up-to-date VMMC publications, reports, journal articles, videos, and more, and can be supplemented with country-specific documents, as desired.



Who should register for this training?

Health care workers including nurses, clinical officers, physicians, and counselors providing VMMC services or those being considered for training as VMMC providers should register. Also, site managers, program coordinators/managers, and donor agency technical staff who want to refresh their knowledge of VMMC can register. The OTH course is not intended for the general public.

How to Register?

To inquire about registering for the OTH course, please contact:

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For questions about the course, email: vmmc.training@gmail.com.

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About RISE

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