Justin Dixon: Febrile Illness Evaluation in a Broad Range of Endemicities (FIEBRE)



The **FIEBRE** social science study (https://www.lshtm.ac.uk/research/centres-projectsgroups/fiebre) used ODK to implement the drug bag method for studying antibiotic use at the community level in Zimbabwe, Malawi and Myanmar. During household surveys, respondents were presented with physical samples of antibiotics and asked to sort them into different piles based on which ones they recognised, had used and were (un)able to access. ODK was a valuable tool for recording the different 'piles' on tablets, for capturing narrative data, and generally for conducting social science surveys in lowincome settings. The drug bag method – implemented using ODK - has also been used in studies to understand antibiotic use in livestock and crops.



