



tci THE **CHALLENGE**
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Strengthened Family Planning Service Delivery Using Composite Strategies

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BACKGROUND ^{1/2}

- Most FP programs in Nigeria are driven by IPs – with this approach sustainability is always a challenge
- The Challenge Initiative (TCI) is built around the premise that putting cities in the driver's seat of a project is essential in ensuring that project is sustained.
- The project model primes local ownership at the outset and nurture a leading role for cities in program design and implementation.

BACKGROUND 2/2

- TCI is Business Unusual model that focuses on;
 - FP **Advocacy** to increase voice, accountability and changes in *values, beliefs and norms*;
 - Fostering supportive policy and **enabling environment** for *sustainable, inclusive and responsive investment* in health in general
 - Building local capacity to **generate demand** for modern contraceptive methods using *data, evidence and science*
 - Increasing access to high-quality FP through **service delivery** interventions that are *demand-driven, customized and locally-owned*

OBJECTIVES

The project seeks to achieve;

- -Increased demand and uptake of FP services across intervention states
- -Improved knowledge, attitude, perception and practice on FP
- -Increase in the number of LARC providers
- -Increase number of women accessing FP services especially LARC methods
- -Stock-out of commodities and consumables minimized

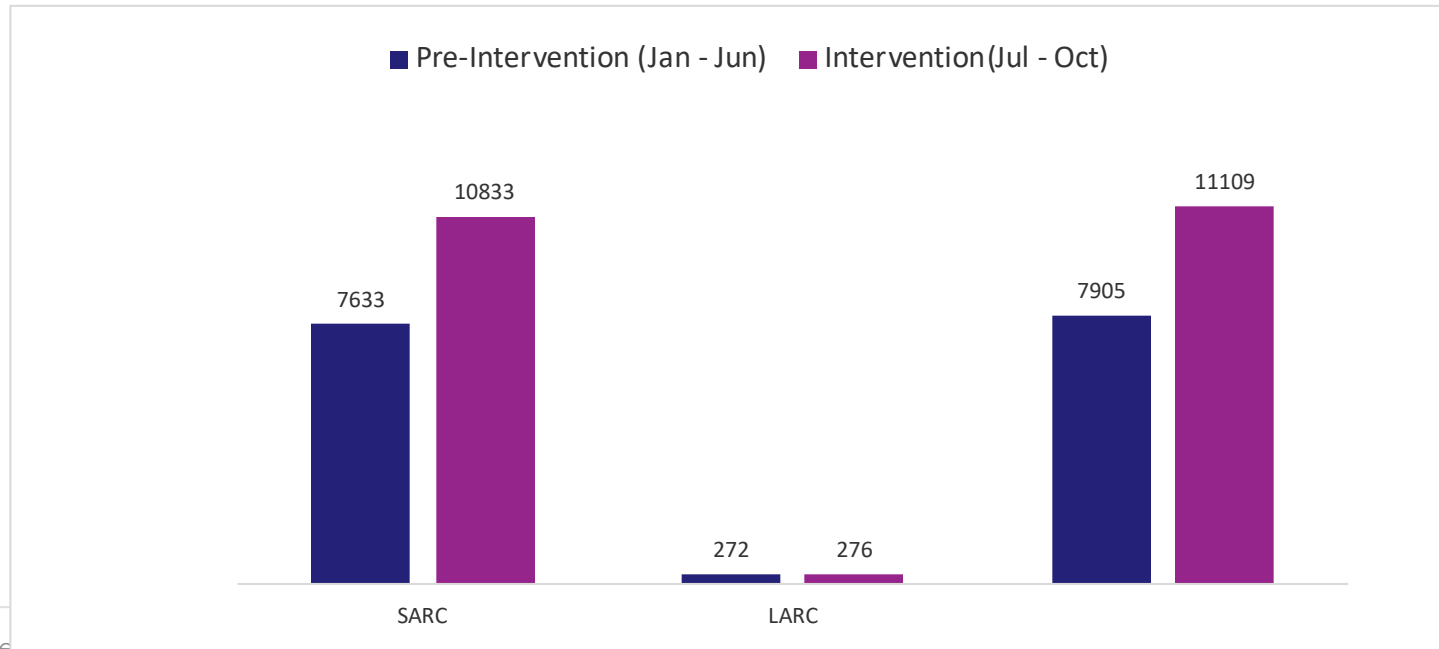
Intervention includes:

- TA to state Ministry of Health to conduct performance improvement Assessment in 30 facilities across seven LGAs, results disseminated.
- The assessment data was used for advocacy for increased funding for family planning,
- Training of Health Care Providers on LARC
- post training **supportive supervision, mentoring and coaching** was adopted to build capacity of health care providers on modern contraceptive methods.

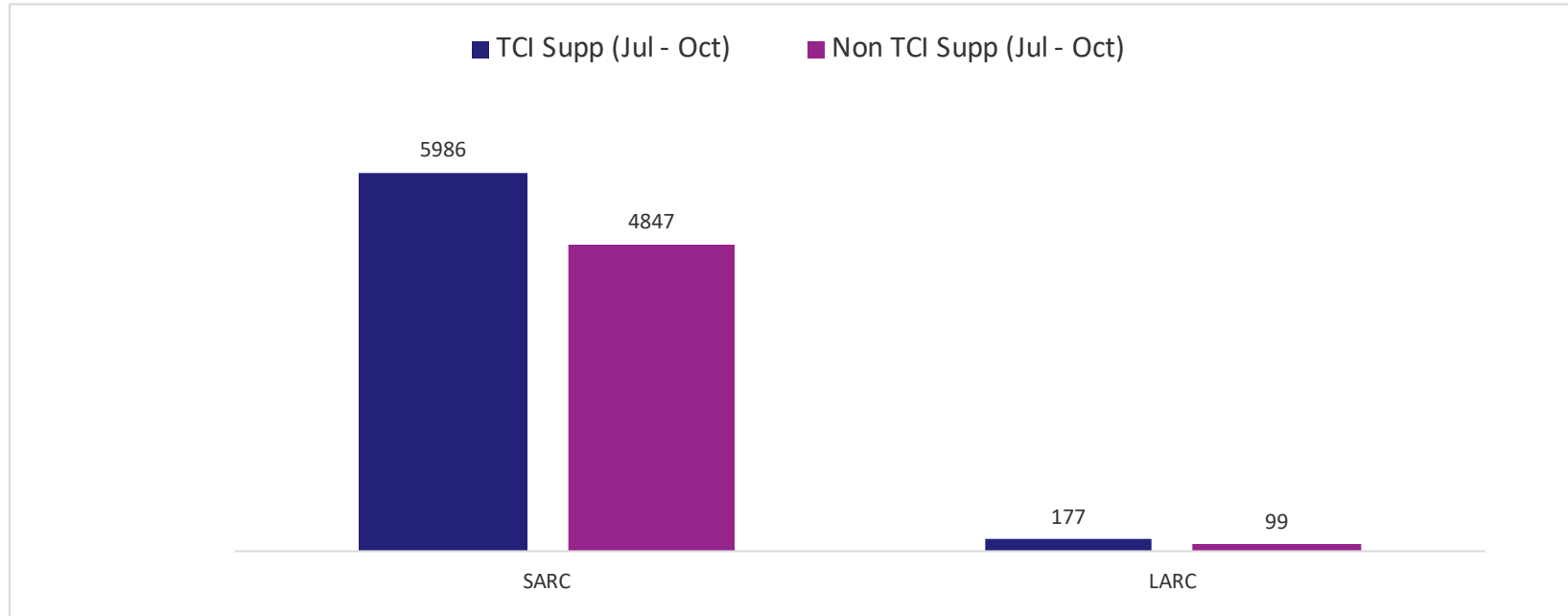
RESULT/KEY FINDING ^{1/3}

- After four months (July - October 2018) of sustained implementation, contraceptives utilization increased by 40.5% (LARC 1.5.9%: SARC 41.9%), commodities distribution and consumables supply enhanced and number of facilities offering all contraceptive methods increased from 2 to all 5 TCI supported facilities in Awka south LGA.

FP Service Uptake pre and post intervention in Awka South LGA, DHIS2, Nov. 2018



FP Uptake in TCI Supported and Non-TCI supported Sites in Awka South LGA July -October 2018



CONCLUSION

These results were achieved due to the relatively

- increased funding for family planning, strengthened fragile health system and;
- increased citizens and civil society voices through the advocacy core group and;
- staff support through Supportive Supervision, mentoring and coaching.



Toolkit

Online Interactive tool(s) and document library containing global and URHI best practices; to be used by Hubs, Managers and Implementers



Coaching

Demand-driven guidance delivered by Hubs to Managers and Implementers

TCI UNIVERSITY



Training

As needed for Hubs, Managers and Implementers using different techniques such as eLearning, learning by doing, and classroom and mobile instruction



Community of Practice

Opportunities for professional peers to network, share and learn from each other

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