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### **Short biography**

Dr. Erick M O Muok is an experienced researcher and public health manager. Currently a principal research Scientist at the Kenya Medical Research Institute and Deputy Director in charge of the KEMRI Centre for Global Health Research in Kisumu Kenya. Besides, has been a Principle and co-principal investigator and a manager in several projects in western Kenya providing technical support, logistic, administrative and financial management support in areas of health system strengthening, nutrition, parasite Immunology resistance, targeted NTDs like Schistosomiasis and other soil transmitted helminths. Former Post-Doctoral Fellow at the Emory University, Emory Vaccine center, Atlanta GA. Fully Trained Clinical Trial Monitor (CRA – Clinical Trial associate) and a management graduate from Kenya School of Government (KSG) on Strategic Leadership and Management. Regional coordinator for Neglected Infectious Diseases (NID) node within the East African consortium for clinical trials (EACCR) network of excellence (eaccr.org). Current research interests are in NTD/HIV comorbidities and impact on treatment outcomes, repurposing of drugs for treatment of NTDs and parasite immunology of Schistosomiasis and STHs.