

# METS WATCH

## IT Asset Management System (ITAMS)

Over the past year, METS had procured information and communication technologies support equipment on PEPFAR to support the country of Health strategy implementation of the health

software is distributed to implementing Partners to support health facilities. This includes equipment to support networking within and between facilities, data capture devices, computers, laptops, tablet readers, servers, speakers, cameras, access points, routers and other equipment to support networking during electric power outages. Over 800 facilities have benefited to date.

With the purchase and distribution of this equipment, there is a need to track these items through the IP address of the health facility where they are received.

The IT Asset Management System is a tracking system built on top of DHIS2 data that was designed and



Edward Bichetero giving an overview on the ICT procurement and distribution in PE regions and a cross section of participants at the launch.

developed by METS in consultation with CDC and IPs to track and manage all the procured and distributed IT assets. The system captures data on

the hardware procured, allocated, distributed and tracks maintenance and custody status of the equipment up until the final consumer.