

Towards a Digital Health Record in Uganda



The equipment that attended the handover ceremony held at the Ministry of Health offices in Kampala

In line with the Ministry of Health Digitalization Strategy, METS supported procurement of a viable standard package of networking equipment for eight (8) of the sixteen (16) Regional Referral Hospitals (RRH). The package of networking equipment is to help functionalise of data

collection points within and across health facilities.

Handing over the equipment to Dr. Daniel Kyabagamba, the Director of Public Health at the Ministry of Health, and representing the Permanent Secretary, Dr. Alice Namule the Director METS pointed

out that the equipment, worth over US\$ 640 million, would benefit eight hospitals including Mulindi, Masaka, Gomba, Hagozi, Arua, Ijira, Mbarara and Kuluhi. The equipment includes fiber cables, patch and ports, routers, internet access points, transceivers, and computers.