

# EARHN

## Member Country

A review of per capita  
government expenditure  
on health (PPP int. \$)



### BURUNDI

1997	3
2001	3
2004	4
2006	4



### ETHIOPIA

1997	8
2001	11
2004	10
2006	13



### KENYA

1997	28
2001	38
2004	38
2006	51



### RWANDA

1997	17
2001	32
2004	69
2006	134



### UGANDA

1997	12
2001	30
2004	40
2006	39



### TANZANIA

1997	9
2001	11
2004	15
2006	27

# RECOMMENDATIONS FOR EARHN POLICY MAKERS

- 👉 Lobby for increased budget allocations to the health sector to meet the required target set forth in the Abuja Declaration of ensuring that the health ministry is allocated at least 15 percent of the state's budget.
- 👉 Hold the Executive accountable to commitments made.
- 👉 Serve as the accountability link between government and citizens by regularly reviewing and reporting on performance to both Government and the populace.
- 👉 Step up oversight activities so as to ensure that government health programmes are actually implemented, and that funds disbursed reach grass-roots levels.
- 👉 Actively participate in awareness-raising meetings to impede the increases in new infections of HIV and AIDS. Policy makers should also continue to encourage people to go for HIV and AIDS testing so as to know their sero-status and to start receiving treatment where necessary.

The Eastern Africa Reproductive Health Network (EARHN) is a South –South collaboration for Burundi, Ethiopia Kenya, Rwanda, Tanzania and Uganda and is supported by the member governments.

EARHN seeks to ensure strengthening of policy, financing and sustainability for reproductive health and recognizes the critical role RH supplies in achieving her ultimate goal.

