



# How to drive Health System Strengthening at city level?

## The City Cancer Challenge experience



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**10M**

people die  
from cancer  
every year

**70%**

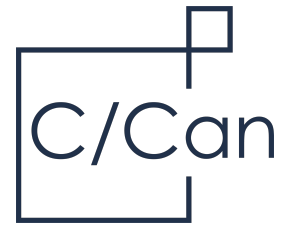
of global cancer  
deaths occur in  
LMICs

**72% vs. 36%**

cancer deaths  
among women were  
premature in low HDI  
countries compared  
with 36% in high HDI  
countries

\*HDI: Human Development Index

## What C/Can does?



**At C/Can, we leverage the city's ecosystem to drive a comprehensive health system approach to improve access to cancer care at local and national level.**

Through our methodology, the cities we work with bring together key stakeholders to analyse their needs, define a strategic plan and drive implementation to achieve transformational change in cancer care across the entire health system.



# This is how C/Can creates impact in cities

## Needs Assessment

Data driven and informed decision-making

- Gaps in cancer care identified in city
- Situational analysis report

## Project Execution

Project implementation & socialisation locally & nationally

- Locally-owned cancer solutions
- Collaboration with global network of partners

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## Stakeholder Engagement

Increase political commitment & collaboration across diverse sectors

Establish resilient governance mechanisms and communities of practice.

- MoU with national and local authorities
- Multisectorial CECs
- Multidisciplinary and multi-institutional Working Groups

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## Strategic Planning /Project development

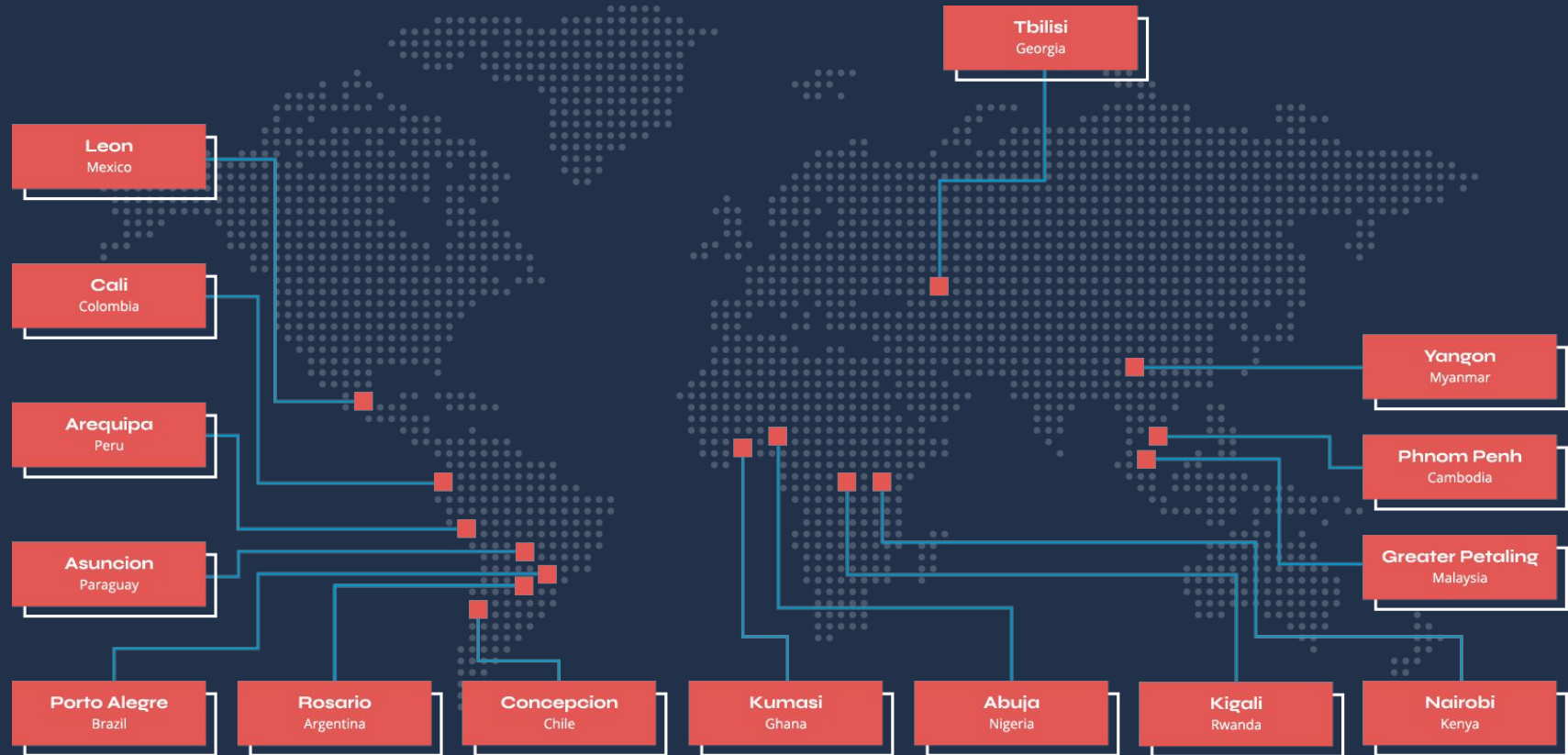
Multi stakeholder-endorsed strategic plan with defined priorities & streamlined city collaborations.

- Project plans developed with local experts

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**Resources created + Capacities developed + Workforce strengthened  
+ Foundations for Cancer Care reinforced**

# C/Can network of cities as of October 2024



## How C/Can does it?

Human Centered

Data Driven Decision making

Systems thinking

Multi-sectoral partnerships

Locally - Led

Knowledge Sharing



# Our Global partners

## Private Sector



## UN, ODA & Int. Org.



## Health Institutions



## CSO, Professional Org.





# Thank you!

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