

IN MEMORIAM: Harry Mwamlima

We take this opportunity to remember our dear friend and colleague, Harry Mwamlima, who passed away earlier this month in Malawi after a long illness. Harry was the Director of the Poverty Reduction and Social Protection Division in the Ministry of Finance, Economic Planning and Development (MFEP&D) of the Government of Malawi. He was one of the first champions of social protection in that country, and has been a strong partner of the Transfer Project and a proponent of evidence-based decision-making. He was a key member of the evaluation team of the 2013-2016 impact evaluation of the Malawi Social Cash Transfer Program, the evidence from which was instrumental in the scale-up of the program to 270,000 households. Harry was a frequent attendee at Transfer Project workshops, and in 2014 he won the conference draughts (checkers) tournament in Livingston, Zambia. May he rest in peace.