



I came to Coady to be steered towards a kind of leadership that brings change to the world by mentoring others to achieve their highest potential.

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I provide oversight and leadership to Pakachere's program team in designing, implementing and monitoring social and behavior change health communication programs. I am also a technical lead within my organisation in interventions targeting key populations to reduce HIV transmission and improve the quality of life for those who are HIV positive. I work with different population groups, including health workers, to advocate for accessible health care services.

Pakachere Institute for Health and Development Communication is a Malawian non-governmental organisation dedicated to the provision of innovative social and behavior change communication programs. It is committed to empower Malawians, particularly the vulnerable, to choose and sustain healthy behaviors through evidence-based communication, community mobilization and advocacy. The organization works in the field of HIV prevention, sexual and reproductive health, nutrition, malaria and gender.

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