

## Meghraj Capital Welcomes a New Member to its Advisory Panel

## Prof. Francis Wafula Sector Specialist: Healthcare



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Francis (Frank) is an Associate Professor of Health Systems and Policy at the Strathmore University Business School and the team leader of the Open Phences Hub. His work revolves around strengthening policy, governance and regulation of health systems, quality and operations management, financing and managing health systems, and public private partnerships in healthcare. He previously served as a health specialist for the World Bank Group, supporting diverse streams of work around policy, regulation and private sector development. Frank sits on various expert groups/boards, including serving as a member of the World Health Organization's Technical Expert Group on Regulation and as a board member of Population Services Kenya (PSKenya, a leading Kenyan NGO) and the Children Sickle Cell Foundation of Kenya, and is the founding vice chair of the Society for Quality Healthcare Kenya (SQHK). In the past, Frank worked as research lead for Aidspan (Global Fund Observer), a health systems researcher at the KEMRI/ Wellcome Trust Research, and as a government pharmacist. He has led consultancies for WHO, the Global Fund, various UN agencies, UKAID (FCDO), USAID, Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation among others. Frank holds a PhD in Health Systems and Policy (Open University and London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine-LSHTM), an MPH (also from LSHTM), and a pharmacy degree (University of Nairobi), with additional training in business, health system innovation and leadership from IESE Business School (Spain), Nanyang Business School (Singapore), Strathmore University among others.

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