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Introduction

Aims
- Process - Develop, test and refine a collaborative filmmaking method in Nepal
- Outcome - Generate knowledge on the complex and sensitive topic of menstruation in rural Nepal by exploring menstrual practices among a variety of religious and ethnic groups

Context
- Menstrual Restrictions in Far-West Nepal

Visual Methods
- Unique opportunity for generating scientific knowledge – generate sensory knowledge, participatory approach, advocacy
- Been widely used in sociology and anthropology – less common in health-related topics, low-resource settings, few approaches engage participants in analysis process
The Methodology
Next Steps

Process Data
- More information including key lessons learned and detailed instructions on applying the collaborative filmmaking method will be available in early 2018.

Outcome Data
- Data analysis of interviews, FGDs and video coding is ongoing. Results will be shared in 2018.

Contact
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