

## Abstract

This is the dissertation report on the factors influencing essential drug supply in government owned primary health facilities in Moshi Municipality.

Firstly background of the study is discussed; this comprises Literature review from various sources concerning system and roles of supply chain.

Statement of the problem is stated, followed by aim of the research, research questions, purpose of the study and structure of the dissertation.

The report has also discussed conceptual framework which comprises the current research on drug supply in health facilities in Tanzania, challenges facing drug supply chain, benefits of effective drug supply system, framework for structuring supply chain performance drivers, and application of various supply chain modal for planning and developing effective drug supply chain.

Research design and methodology is also discussed. The discussion has included research design, area of study, sample size and sampling procedures, data collection methods, data processing and analysis.

Research findings and analysis were based on both qualitative and quantitative method.

Finally recommendations, Conclusion and critical evaluation have been spelled out.

