Introduction

- OnFrontiers is a digital platform connecting experts from around the world to a vast array of clients
- To help developing countries better prepare for and mitigate the risk of Covid-19, OnFrontiers developed the Covid-19 Expert HelpDesk
- The goal is to connect expert networks to civil society organizations, government agencies, etc.

Objective of Internship

- I wanted to better understand other sectors of global health aside from medicine delivery (i.e. economics, NGOs)
- I wanted to challenge my thinking of what constitutes an innovative global health solution

Projects

- Developing an online visualization of experts
- Aiding in grant proposal writing (i.e. JuntosEsMejor Challenge)
- Recruiting Experts for the HelpDesk
- Developing Risk Assessment Strategies for Maïa
- Developing Covid-19 estimates for displaced Venezuelan migrants in Colombia

Impact & Take-aways

- Tackling a global health crisis requires an intersectional approach – medical access is simply only one aspect
- Collaborative efforts between a variety of sectors are necessary when developing health interventions that factor in necessary guidance & autonomy

Looking Ahead

- What are effective ways of translating global health interventions between countries with unique challenges?

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