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The AIR Network's first workshop was held at the Ruben Community Centre in Nairobi, between the 15th and 18th January 2018. It involved researchers, practitioners and community members from Mukuru.

The workshop helped participants to learn more about each other and the local context; develop a common working language among all project partners; create a work plan, and co-design four 'mini-projects' which would represent the main work of the AIR network in this first phase. These mini-projects were;

Raising Awareness (to raise awareness of air pollution amongst Mukuru residents)

Mukuru Action Against Air Pollution (to identify potential solutions to air pollution in Mukuru)

Engaging with industry for Hewa safi, Afya bora (Clean air, Good health) (to open dialogue between surrounding industry and Mukuru residents)

Prioritising policies for cleaner air in Mukuru (to engage decision makers to prioritise and implement actions relating to air quality)