This brown bag presentation will present the apprenticeship model for lay counselor training and supervision in mental health treatments in LMIC, developed and used in a range of mental health intervention studies conducted over the last decade in various low-resource settings. It will include a description of the elements of this approach, the underlying logic, and provide examples drawn from our experiences working in 12 countries, with over 100 lay counselors. Methods to assess fidelity within this model will be reviewed, as well as ratings to track competency.