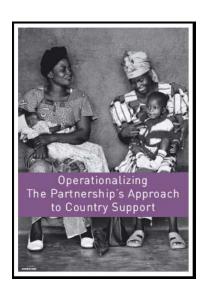
Implementation of the 2007 Work Plan

Dr. Flavia Bustreo
Partnership Board Meeting
December 2, 2007





- "Operationalizing the Partnership's Approach to Country Support", written by members of the Country Support Working Group and the Secretariat
- On-going mapping of partner activities and technical support capacity
- Meetings with 17 Ministers of Health (or delegates) during World Health Assembly 2007





Nigeria

- TA to develop integrated MNCH strategic plan and launch of National PMNCH
- PMNCH high-level advocacy visit in Sept 2007, which led to Government decision to allocate more of debt-relief funds to MNCH
- Review proposal for support from PMNCH Grant from Gates Foundation (roll-out of MNCH plan and Advocacy at state and local level, and support to National PMNCH)





Ethiopia

- Joint PMNCH and GAVI visit in May 2007
- PMNCH participated in Health Sector Review in October 2007
- Review proposal for support from PMNCH Grant (currently under finalization by the country)

DRC

 High-level contacts developed, waiting for MOH feedback on visit



Tanzania

- PMNCH facilitated the National Technical Consultation on MNCH in April 2007
- TA to develop integrated MNCH plan (PMNCH and local partners) November mission by co-chair and small team
- Burkina Faso, Malawi, Mozambique
 - PMNCH participated in joint missions in Feb-March 2007 to initiate the process of rapid scale-up of MNCH interventions as part of the PMNCH Grant
 - Burkina Faso and Mozambique have submitted proposals PMNCH Grant implementation



Political Advocacy

Global Campaign for Health MDGs

 Launched in New York on 26 Sept 2007 at the Clinton Global Initiative and...





Panel of women heads of state and UN women leaders











Public Rally in Bryant Park with Rikki Lake, Chaka Khan and Liya Kebede on Sept 26, 2007







Women Deliver London, 18-20 Oct 2007



- Almost 2,000 participants from 109 countries
- Ministers' Forum
- Financial and political commitments announced
- PMNCH booth well-attended
- Prior to event, PMNCH Director participated in UK Parliamentary Inquiry on Maternal Health







Art for Health – Empowering Women

Lead partner WHO. It uses contemporary art to increase awareness about women health. Exhibits around the world:

- Rome, London
- Cape Town
- US , Auction by Christie's





New funds to MNCH (all figures in USD)

- Global Campaign
 - 1 billion from Norway (MDGs 4 and 5) over 10 years
 - 180 million from Netherlands (MDGs 3 and 5)
- Catalytic Initiative
 - 105 million from Canada over 5 years
- Announcement at Women Deliver
 - 200 million from UK to UNFPA
 - 11 million from MacArthur Foundation
 - Global health on agenda of G8 in Japan 2008

More still needed to reach estimated needs to scale up coverage of MNCH 2006-2015:

10 billion USD per year (Source: WHO)



Aligning Partners and Increasing Aid Effectiveness

- PMNCH contributed to defining scope of Asia-Pacific Investment Case for MNCH
- Regional Health Care Professional Associations' workshop in Blantyre, Malawi (see next slide)
- Electronic communities established
- Website enhanced in interaction





Aligning Partners and Increasing Aid Effectiveness



- Health Care Professional Associations' workshop in Blantyre, Malawi
- Objective
 - Increase the contribution of HCPAs to national MNCH plans
- Participants
 - 56 HCP and public sector representatives from Ethiopia, Malawi, Nigeria, Tanzania and Uganda
 - Representatives of international and regional organizations
- Format
 - Presentations, panel discussions and group work in five areas: advocacy, quality improvement, human resources, planning and organizational strengthening
- Outputs
 - Identification of problem areas
 - Development of 1-2 year action plan by HCPAs
 - Creation of country level HCPAs collaboration
 - Declaration of HCPA's commitment



Monitoring and Accountability, Governance

- Countdown to 2015: support to planning of 2008 event and report
- Board and Partnership infrastructure established
- Formal establishment of Working Groups and elections of Chairs
- Total number of PMNCH members 218 almost three fold increase (at PMNCH launch 80)



First Partners' Forum Tanzania, 17-20 April 2007



- Wide range of stakeholders attended, incl. Tanzania
 PM and MOH, President of Pan African Parliament
- Significant media coverage in Tanzania





Annexes on Interim Financial Report



What was not achieved and why?

- Country Support: engagement in Cambodia and Pakistan, and one country in Latin America
- MNCH Framework in Asia
- Full functioning of the four Working Groups
- Full recruitment of staff according to organigram

INSUFFICIENT PEOPLE AND TIME



Lessons Learnt from 2007 Work plan implementation

- Slow recruitment of fixed term positions (recently an accelerated process in place)
- Unexpected vacancies and other leave
- Resource mobilization achieved, but at cost. Few donors supported with unspecified contribution towards the work plan
- Further alignment with processes of the host organization needed: for example the WHO work plan process is biennial and this year was earlier than the PMNCH process



Conclusions

- The PMNCH is starting to walk, but it is not YET running
- The Secretariat is prepared to do its utmost to respond to the strategic directions that the Board will set

MANY THANKS FOR YOUR ATTENTION

