

| Activities (as per Table 5.4, page 23)   | Consensus  |
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| <b>4a. Convene and facilitate dialogue on specific technical and operational issues:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• New areas (Vitamin A)</li><li>• Areas of conflict (User fees; ST v LT interventions on maternal health)</li><li>• Approaches / frameworks</li></ul> | <b>YES</b> |
| <b>4b Proactive promotion / support on the development of functioning national level stakeholders</b>  | <b>NO</b>  |
| <b>4c Coordination with other initiatives (e.g. IHP, GAVI)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Areas where there is agreement</li></ul>  | <b>YES</b> |

## Activities – Process of partnership

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### **For 4a and 4c discussed detail on the activity:**

- **Identify the issue** (including gathering data / information)
- **What are the Partners doing already**
- **Gaps / analysis of issues**
- **Conclusions – recommendations / dissemination**

## Value added of partnership

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### **For 4a – Coordination on operational / technical issues**

- Allows to get above specific interests of parties / attempt to get to positions of consensus / removing bias

### **For 4b – National coordination**

- Debate was around (i) ability of partnership to achieve anything, given that it is a national government / partner responsibility by and large; (ii) potential for exercise of accountability for partners / proactive group formation

### **For 4c – Coordination with others (IHP, GHPs)**

- Adds weight to views of single partners (ADVOCACY?)

### **For 4a – Coordination on operational / technical issues**

- Resolution on key issues / principles / approaches

### **For 4b – National coordination**

- No consensus

### **For 4c – Coordination with others (IHP, GHPs)**

- Increase MNCH profile / priority elsewhere

### **For 4a – Coordination on operational / technical issues**

### **For 4c – Coordination with others (IHP, GHPs)**

Varies according to issue, but in principle activities of PMNCH:

- Fully run and manage (very significant role for Secretariat)
- Facilitate the 'partners'
- Funding administrative arrangements (convening)
- Disseminate share (minimum likely)

**IF PARTNERSHIP HAS ROLE GREATER THAN DISSEMINATION  
OF PARTNER DECISIONS ON ISSUES – REQUIRES PARTNERS  
TO HAVE SOME ALLEGIANCE TO PARTNERSHIP AND TO BE  
ACCOUNTABLE**