



Priority Action 6

Tracking Progress and Commitments for MNCH

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Outputs I and II: 2009

- I. Partners financial commitments to MNCH monitored annually
 - ◆ Accountability framework designed to track commitments, disbursements and use of funds for MDGs 4&5
 - ◆ **'Holding the world to its promises'**
 - ◆ High level of interest
 - ◆ Potential partners contacted
- II. Common M&E framework agreed among global health initiatives, disseminated and used
 - ◆ IHP has incorporated a common M&E framework.
 - ◆ Results are expected from their use

Output 1

A working framework for a system to track pledges, commitments, and disbursement of funds to MDGs 4&5

TYPE OF ACTIVITY TRACKED	ODA	National governments	Private sector
Pledges (statements)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Verbal and written G8 statements^[1] • Other donors (analysis to be done) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Track declarations by high-level policy makers (e.g. Abuja declaration, others) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Track high -profile private sector investors (e.g. foundations, NGOs and faith-based organizations)
Commitments (firm pledges)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LSHTM^[2] ongoing analysis 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • World Bank: Public Expenditure Tracking • NHA^[3] • Institute for Health Policy, Sri Lanka 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Data on pledges from verbal and written statements
Disbursements (funds transferred)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LSHTM ongoing analysis 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NHA • Institute for Health Policy, Sri Lanka 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annual reports
Use of funds	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NHA (wherever available for child/reproductive health) • Institute for Health Policy, Sri Lanka 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NHA (wherever available for child/reproductive health) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annual reports
Impact (utilization and health outcomes)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Subsequent analysis (methodology to be defined) 		

^[1] Other sources include the ONE DATA report, the OECD, and the Kaiser Family Foundation (see Annex 1)

^[2] London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine

^[3] National Health Accounts

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TYPE OF ACTIVITY TRACKED	Data produced	Products	How will this component support achievement of objectives?	Policy relevance
Pledges (statements)	•Data on pledges	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Data sheets •Policy briefs •Presentations •Website alerts •Tracking ticker 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Provides data for holding donors, governments, and private sector, accountable 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Data for governments and other stakeholders (e.g. parliaments) to hold donors accountable •Data for national planning purposes (e.g. national funding gap for MNCH) •Relation national funds and ODA.
Commitments (firm pledges)	•Data on commitments			
Disbursements (funds transferred)	•Data on disbursements			
Use of funds	•Data on use of funds (e.g. on impact of OOP ^[4] and health insurance and other social protection mechanisms)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Measures effectiveness and efficiency of use of funds, including of OOP and impact on poverty of households 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Measure poverty impact of OOP •Measure effectiveness of social protection mechanisms •Measure efficiency of use of funds (e.g. through prioritization exercises)
Impact (utilization and health outcomes)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Impact on utilization •Impact on mortality 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Measures impact on utilization and health outcomes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Not applicable

^[4] Out of pocket

Outputs I and II: 2010

- ❖ Partners financial commitments to MNCH monitored annually
 - ◆ Outsourcing for specific elements of the accountability framework to be undertaken
 - ◆ Products will be integrated into the framework
- ❖ Common M&E framework agreed among global health initiatives, disseminated and used
 - ◆ Examples on the use of a common M&E framework to be disseminated.

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What does *Countdown* do?

- ❖ Tracks country-level coverage for interventions proven to reduce maternal, newborn and child mortality and associated indicators for
 - ⇒ Policies and health system strength
 - ⇒ Financial flows
 - ⇒ Equity
- ❖ Analyzes country-level trends and recommends actions to accelerate progress
- ❖ Identifies knowledge and data gaps
- ❖ Promotes accountability for progress

Global Countdown Conferences...

2005 in London

Tracking Progress in Child Survival Countdown to 2015

The first in a series of two-yearly rolling reviews of progress in child survival as called for in the Bellagio/Lancet Child Survival series 2003.



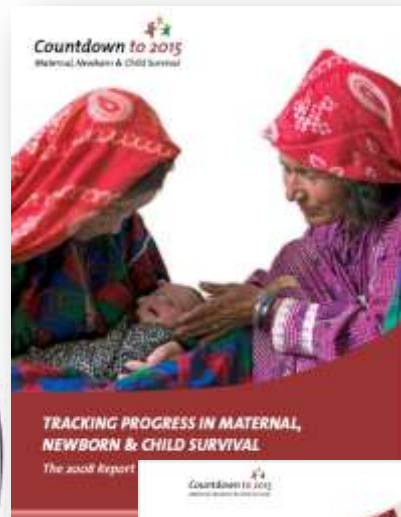
2008 in Cape Town



61 country delegations!

... and Countdown Products

Reports & media materials



Country Profiles



Publications

From Technical Working Groups



And from countries



Output III (Countdown): 2009

- ❖ Advocate the use of countdown products and information and making them publicly available
 - ◆ CD findings formed the basis of a Special Inter Parliamentary Union Session meeting, Addis Ababa, April 2009.
 - ◆ CD findings incorporated in the analysis of the HLTF, which in turn informed the MNCH Consensus and the G8 communique

Outputs IV (Countdown): 2009

- ❖ Successful meeting on tracking progress for MNCH held
 - ◆ PMNCH involved in Coordinating Committee meeting in June 2009 and related teleconferences
 - ◆ Core group meeting (wider participation) meeting in London September 2009 in which agreements were reached on events for 2010.
 - ◆ Agreement to organize event in conjunction with Women Deliver in June 2010
 - ◆ A funding proposal for the CD technical work and events in 2010-2011 developed

Output V (Countdown): 2009

❖ Tracking progress on MNCH

- ◆ Work on each working group ongoing (equity, coverage, financing and health systems).
- ◆ Activities cross cutting across working groups initiated Plans for further analysis and CD meeting in 2010

Output III (Countdown): 2010

- ❖ Advocate the use of countdown products and information and making them publicly available
 - ◆ In collaboration with the PMNCH Secretariat, CD data will be packaged for key events in 2010:
 - ◆ IPU Annual Assembly in Bangkok March 2010.
 - ◆ G8/G20 in Canada
 - ◆ Pres conferences based on the Lancet countdown special issue at the time of UNGA (Sept 2010).

Output IV (Countdown): 2010

- ❖ Successful meeting on tracking progress for MNCH held
 - ◆ Action depends on the degree of mainstreaming the CD meeting with Women Deliver in 2010.
 - ◆ CD Advocacy and Events sub-committee to work closely with Women Deliver team to plan the CD component of the conference and to develop joint messages, information products and outreach strategy.

Output V (Countdown): 2010

- ❖ Tracking progress on MNCH
 - ◆ Each working group to implement their own working plan for 2010
 - ◆ Cross-cutting work reporting analysis of information linking work from working groups
 - ◆ Countdown Report 2010
 - ◆ Lancet special issue
 - ◆ Selected country profiles