Adolescent Health Package

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The Partnership for Maternal, Newborn & Child Health
Background: The Adolescent Health Package

With the AY Constituency fully operationalised, the priorities are now to:

- Build cross-constituency partnerships, rather than a stand-alone platform
- Expand its reach, diversify the movement to be representative of young people from all regions and perspectives
- Deliver on the Adolescent Health Package, including the four ‘big ticket’ items to be highlighted in this presentation

This is a PMNCH package to be delivered by all Constituencies with Leadership of AYC
## AY representation on other constituencies

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Adolescent Health Package: The 4 ‘big-ticket’ items

- Roll-out of the Advocacy Toolkit in 3-5 countries (SO1-SO3)
- Small Grants Scheme (Cross-SO)
- Supporting comprehensive adolescent health & wellbeing programming approaches (SO1)
- Mentorship Programme (SO4)
Country leadership on adolescent health and well being (I)

- Comprehensive adolescent health and well-being programming approaches supported
- Building on existing programme, latest evidence and country specific needs
- PMNCH as catalyst for multi-sectoral and multi-stakeholder engagement
- Documentation- best practice
The Roll-out of the Advocacy Toolkit

Process to date:

- The toolkit is designed for young people, by young people – for action at the country level
- Toolkit was launched on 16 May, Global Adolescent Health Conference, Ottawa with Women Deliver
- Youth-led networks have been identified in India, Nigeria, Cameroon, Kenya and Malawi to roll-out the toolkit
- Networks will receive seed grants to develop their national advocacy roadmap and implement in their countries
The Small Grants Scheme

- The aim is to provide leadership and capacity building grants directly to AYC member organisations for implementation of advocacy and accountability work in line with PMNCH’s work plan.
- These sub-grants will help ensure that AY Constituency members’ participation is on par with other PMNCH stakeholders.
- The oversight of the grant-making process will be provided by a working group, co-chaired by the AYC

AYC partners in Malawi review and provide inputs to the toolkit
The Mentorship Programme

- Will serve to build capacity and improve succession planning within the AYC. Key components include:
  - Pooling learning resources and capture learning progress
  - Crafting/adapting a guide for peer-to-peer mentorship
  - Matching AYC members with other constituencies at key events
  - Setting aside resources to support the implementation and monitoring of the mentorship scheme

Launch the programme by Quarter three.
The Mentorship Programme

Online mentorship and internships were among the most preferred mentoring modalities.

100 partners responded, 30.77% of which were potential mentors and 69.23% mentees.

>70% respondents had previous experience with mentorship programmes.

40% respondents expressed interest in sponsoring programme.

The following were the priority areas agreed by the AYC in 2016-in order from highest to lowest:

- Advocacy
- Governance & Leadership
- Accountability – Communication
- Resource Mobilization
- SRMNCAH continuum of care

4 weeks: Published on Survey Monkey.
Discussion

- Beyond AY representation on other constituencies, how we will build cross-constituency partnerships to deliver on this Adolescent Health Package?
Thank you

“Don’t ask what you can do for young people. Ask what you can do WITH young people.” –Katja Iverson