Update on SO4: Deepen Partnership

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The Partnership for Maternal, Newborn & Child Health
Deepen Partnership: Areas of work in 2017

1. Strengthening the members base
2. Partners engagement & constituencies management
3. Deepen partnership at regional level
4. Multi-sectoral engagement (beyond the members base)
5. Governance
1. Strengthening the members base

- Enhancing PMNCH membership system
- Reviewing and updating the entry criteria for each constituency
- Updating membership materials
- Increasing the Adolescents & Youth and Private Sector constituency members.
2. Partner engagement & constituency management

- Developing partner engagement improvement plans for PMNCH ten constituencies
- Starting to implement the engagement strengthening plans for the four priority constituencies: Academic, Research & Training Institutes, Adolescents & Youth, NGO & Private Sector
- In response to great partner interest: developing the Adolescent & Youth mentorship programme and linking in with existing partner expertise and programmes
- Restructuring and reactivating the Partner Governments constituency with support from the intergovernmental organisations
- Supporting the ten constituencies for better constituency management and engagement
- Developing and disseminating guidance briefs on constituency and partners engagement in EWEC Focus Areas.
3. Deepen partnership at regional level

- Establishing and operationalizing the Inter-Governmental Organizations Constituency
- At least one event to be led and organized by the IGO at the regional level.
4. Multi-sectoral engagement

- Building on partners work in this area, PMNCH will complement existing efforts through:
  - Developing and disseminating an impact analysis of multisectoral approach for women's, children's & adolescent health
  - Developing and disseminating guidance briefs and tools on a multisectoral approach for women's, children's & adolescent health
5. Governance

- Successful meetings that address governance and action (Board & committees)
- Supporting the operations of PMNCH governing bodies
- Supporting Board rotation
- With support from SO4 members:
  - Planning for Partners Forum in 2018
  - Alignment with EWEC
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- SO4 supports implementation of the other three SOs through the development and/or maintenance of a strong partners base at global, regional and country levels
- Strengthening engagement within and across constituencies
- Offering a diverse partner base across ten constituencies in support of delivering EWEC focus areas.
Thank you