**Democratic Republic of Congo**

### Investment Case Priorities

1. Expand an integrated RMNCAH-N package of services, including provision of medical and psychosocial services to support victims of sexual and gender-based violence.
2. Improve reproductive and adolescent health.
3. Increase coverage and improve quality of nutrition services through a multisectoral approach.
4. Accelerate access to safe water and utilization of improved sanitation and hygiene.
5. Use results-based financing.
6. Follow a community-based approach.
7. Strengthen the supply chain.
8. Improve the geographic distribution and quality of human resources.
9. Improve the fiscal space for, the efficiency of, and financial access of the poor to RMNCAH-N services.
10. Strengthen governance.
11. Strengthen health information systems: create link between DHIS2 and civil registration and vital statistics system.

### Monitoring the Country-led Process

- **Health financing reforms identified**
- **World Bank-funded project in support of the IC**
- **Private sector engagement**
- **Civil registration and vital statistics (CRVS) made a priority**
- **Management of medicines and supplies/stock chain interventions**

### Health Financing Indicators

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<th>CORE HEALTH FINANCING IMPACT INDICATORS</th>
<th>Number of current health expenditure on primary/outpatient health care</th>
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<td>Health expenditure per capita financed from domestic sources</td>
<td>5.36</td>
<td>4.8% catastrophic 0.6% impoverishing</td>
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<td>Ratio of government health expenditure to total government expenditure</td>
<td>5.87%</td>
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<td>Identified options for strengthening domestic resource mobilization Yes</td>
<td>Implemented strategies to reduce key drivers of insufficiency Yes</td>
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<td>Identified drivers of limited financial protection (especially related to RMNCAH-N services) Yes</td>
<td>Taken actions to support domestic resource mobilization Yes</td>
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### Coverage Indicators:**

- People living with HIV receiving ART 42%
- Coverage of pregnant women who receive ARV for PMTCT 70%
- Children aged <5 years with pneumonia symptoms taken to a healthcare provider 42%
- Modern contraceptive prevalence rate 8.1%
- Maternal mortality ratio 866 per 100,000 live births
- Neonatal mortality ratio 28 per 1,000 live births
- Percent of births <24 months after the preceding birth 27%
- Stunting among children under 5 years of age 43%
- Moderate to severe wasting among children under 5 years of age 8%

### Resource Mapping

- **World Bank-funded Project (IDA/IBRD/Off)**
  - Country: Democratic Republic of Congo
  - IDA AMOUNT: $320M
  - Total: US$2,645,980,369

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**Note:** The category “other” (PFCs/other) includes household payment for medicines and supplies from faith-based organizations.