

GFF COUNTRY WORKSHOP AGENDA

28 January – 1 February, 2018

The workshop brings together country teams comprising participants from within and outside government to:

- i. Create a common understanding of the approach of the Global Financing Facility (GFF); and
- ii. Develop a road map for the operationalization of the GFF processes at country level.

The vision of the GFF is to bring transformational changes to the system, through:

- Prioritization:
 - Establishing evidence-based and affordable priorities to achieve RMNCAH-N outcomes;
 and
 - o Identifying reforms to mobilize additional resources to finance RMNCAH-N priorities and ensure progress towards Universal Health Coverage.
- Coordinated financing and implementation:
 - o Financing and implementing programmatic priorities in a coordinated manner
 - Reforming health financing systems to:
 - Improve efficiency;
 - Mobilize domestic resources;
 - Increase and better align external financing; and
 - Leverage private sector resources.
- Learning:
 - Strengthening systems to track progress, learn, and course-correct; and
 - Joint learning across countries.

Audience:

The workshop targets the following 10 GFF countries:

Afghanistan	Indonesia
Burkina Faso	Ivory Coast
Cambodia	Madagascar
Central African Republic	Malawi
Haiti	Rwanda



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Each country team will include participants critical for the operationalization of the GFF vision at country level – within and outside the government, namely:

- Chief Medical Officer/Permanent Secretary/Director General from the Ministry of Health overseeing both RMNCAH, health system strengthening and health financing aspects (1 representative, mandatory, covered by the GFF Trust Fund);
- 2. Health financing expert from the Ministry of Health, at least Director level (1 representative, mandatory, covered by the GFF Trust Fund);
- 3. RMNCAH director from the Ministry of Health (1 representative, mandatory, covered by the GFF Trust Fund);
- 4. Representative of the Ministry of Finance dealing with donor funding and budget preparation, at least at director level (1 representative, mandatory covered by the GFF Trust Fund);
- 5. Country Team Bank TTL or PL (1, mandatory, paid for by the GFF Trust Fund);
- 6. Health financing country focal point from the Bank (1, mandatory, covered by the GFF Trust Fund);
- 7. Financier to the Investment Case at country level (travel and accommodation not funded by GFF TF);
- 8. CSOs country level representative or Technical partner (choose 1 only, funding will be discussed depending on selection); and
- 9. Private sector representative or representative of other sectors (e.g. water, education, social protection, etc.) depending on relevance to the context (choose 1 only, funding will be discussed depending on selection).



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Sunday, January 28, 2018	
6:00 – 7:30pm	Welcome Reception
	Monday, January 29, 2018
7:30 – 8:30am	Registration
8:30 – 9:00am	Opening and Introduction
9:00 – 10:00am	Introduction to the GFF
10:00 – 10:30am	Icebreaker exercise
10:30-11:00am	Coffee/Tea break
11:00-12:30pm	Prioritization and Impact: The Investment Case as a tool
12:30-1:30pm	Lunch break
1:30-3:00pm	Financing and implementing priorities in a coordinated manner
3:00-3:30pm	Coffee/Tea break
3:30-5:00pm	Country group work: prioritizing and financing RMNCAH-N priorities through the Investment Case
Tuesday, January 30, 2018	
8:30-8:45am	Recap from Day 1
8:45-10:15am	More value for money and more money for health: ensuring smart, scaled and sustainable health financing
10:15-10:45am	Coffee/Tea break
10:45-12:15pm	Improving Efficiency
12:15-1:15pm	Lunch
1:15-2:45pm	Working multisectorally: purpose, lessons and experiences
2:45-3:15pm	Coffee/Tea break
3:15-5:15pm	Country group work: prioritizing health financing reforms and working multisectorally through the Investment Case
Wednesday, January 31, 2018	
8:30-8:45am	Recap from Day 2
8:45-10:15am	Partnering with the Private Sector
10:15-10:45am	Coffee/Tea break



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10:45-12:15pm	Operationalizing the GFF at country level
12:15-1:15pm	Lunch
1:15-2:45pm	Monitoring GFF implementation: RMNCAH-N Results and Health Financing reforms
2:45-3:15pm	Coffee/Tea break
3:15-5:15pm	Country group work: Country group work: Operationalizing the GFF (including private sector engagement) and monitoring GFF implementation at country level
6:00 – 8:00pm	Group Dinner
Thursday, February 1, 2018	
8:30-8:45am	Recap from Day 3
8:45-10:15am	Further learning on technical topics to support GFF implementation
	Potential parallel sessions:
	 Adolescent health, SRHR and FP Guidelines for Maternal and Newborn Health CRVS Lifesaving commodities and supply chain DRM Nutrition
10:15-10:45am	Coffee/Tea break
10:45-12:15pm	Finalizing country presentations
12:15-1:15pm	Lunch
1:15-2:45pm	Country presentations
2:45-3:15pm	Coffee/Tea break
3:30-4:30pm	Closure workshop