

Ninth Investors Group Meeting
22-23 November, 2019
Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire

Quality of Care Technical Advisory Group



Session Outline

1. Process for Establishing Technical Advisory Groups (TAG)
2. Background- Quality of Care (QOC)
3. Proposed QOC TAG
4. Next Steps

1. Process for Establishing Technical Advisory Groups (TAG)

TFC/IG member or GFF Secretariat proposes a TAG (to GFF Secretariat)

GFF Secretariat compiles list of proposals, evaluates against agreed criteria, compiles short list with TORs

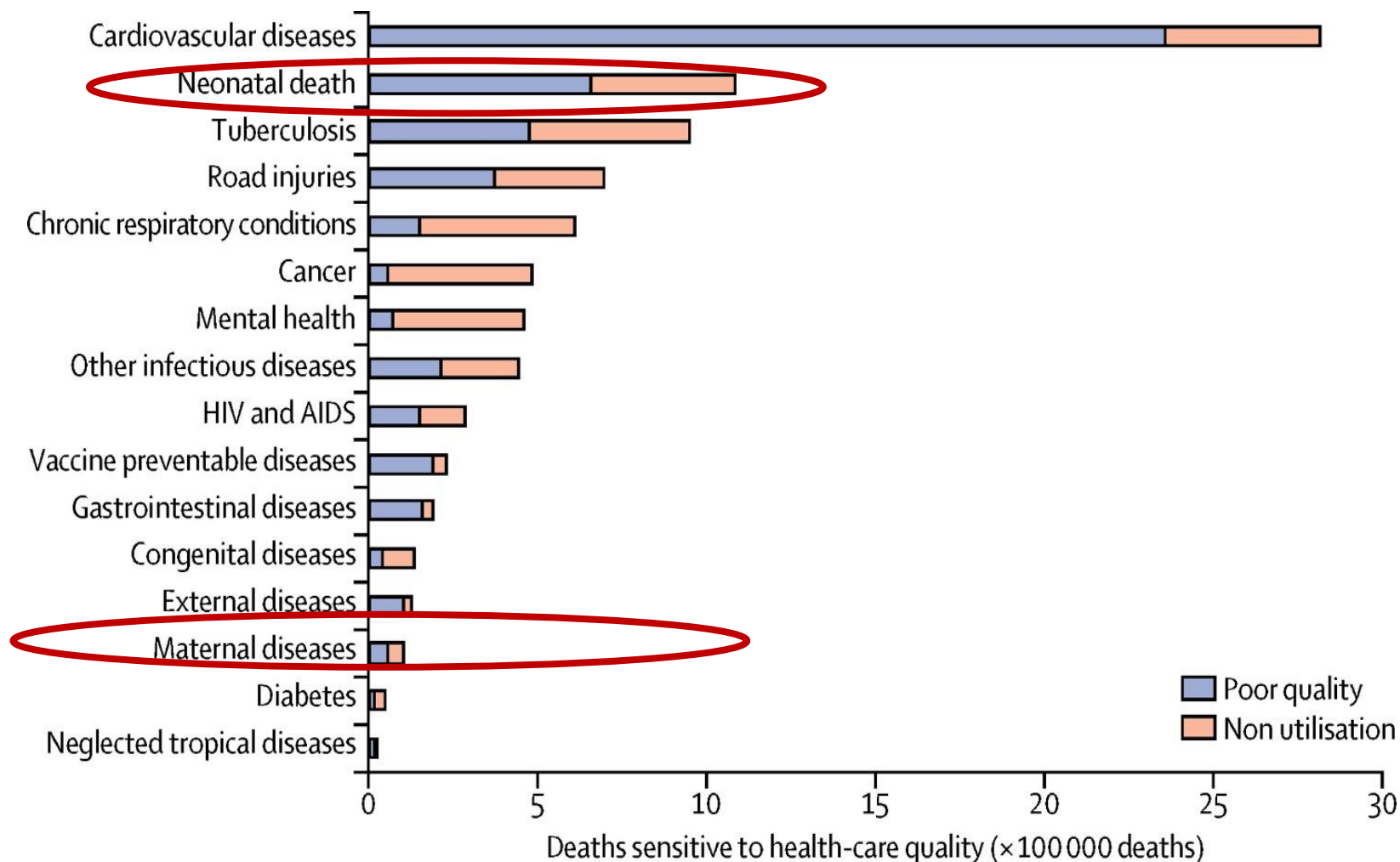
Decision at next IG meeting which TAG(s) to prioritize and move forward

1. Process for Establishing Technical Advisory Groups (TAG)

- Proposed conditions and criteria for GFF TAGs:
 - ✓ Addresses a specific technical gap/challenge relevant to achieving GFF targets that is not addressed in other global partnerships
 - ✓ Is of relevance for the majority of GFF-supported countries
 - ✓ Addresses an area where the GFF, within its mandate, can provide substantial value-add
 - ✓ Utilizes the expertise of GFF IG members
 - ✓ Addresses issues relevant to all GFF IG constituencies
 - ✓ Has clear objectives, concrete deliverable(s), and is time-bound
 - ✓ Has a transparent nomination process for IG members, and clear process and channels of engagement

2. Background- Quality of Care

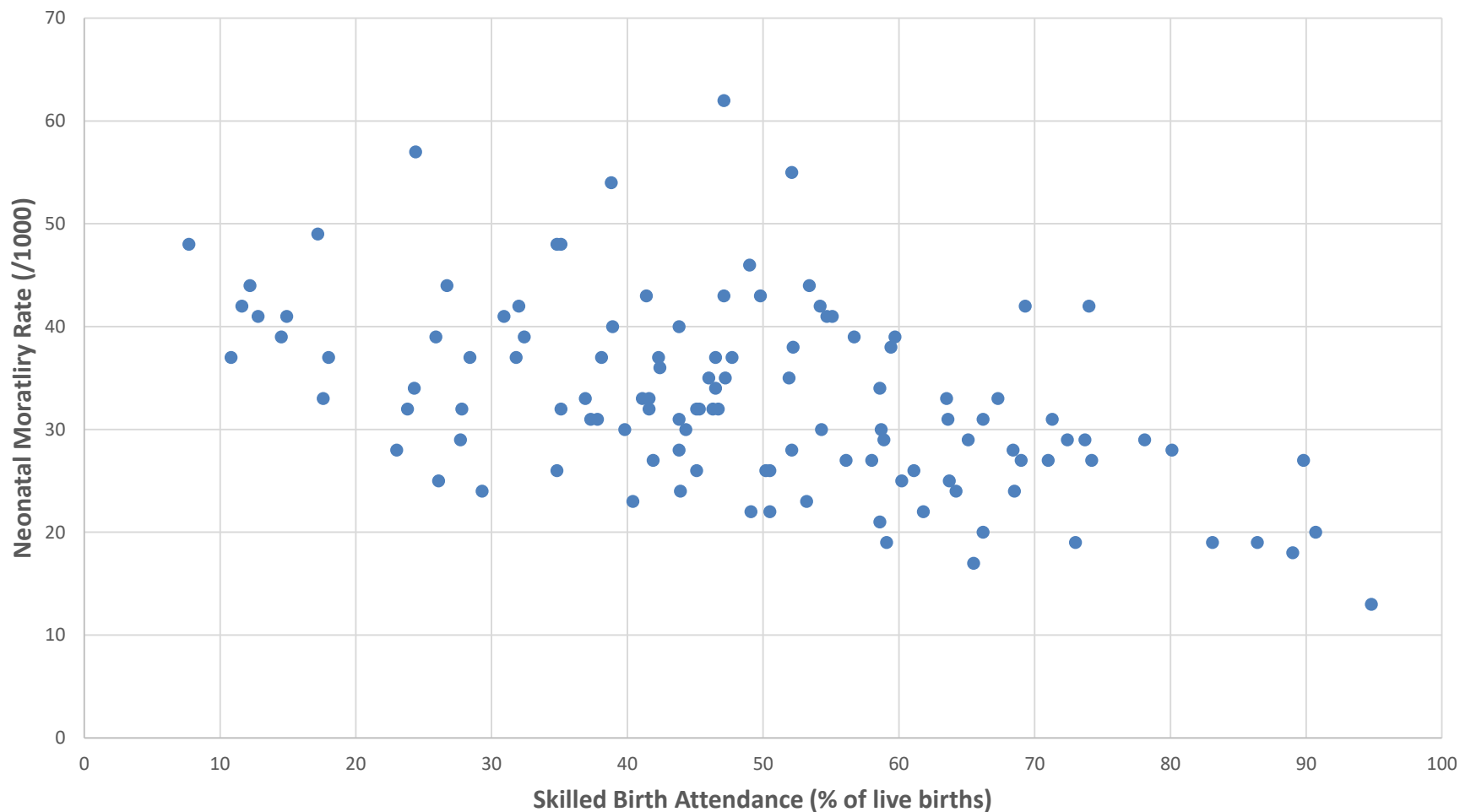
More maternal & newborn deaths due to QOC than due to access



2. Background- Quality of Care

Increasing Skilled Birth Attendance does not necessarily mean better outcomes

36 GFF Countries, all DHS surveys 1987-2018



3. Proposed TAG on QOC: Opportunity and Objectives

GFF partnership is well positioned to address Quality of Care by:

- Bringing global evidence to bear to IC priorities
- Considering QOC at scale through a health systems approach
- Taking advantage of expertise in the GFF partnership
- Incorporating QOC into the measurement agenda
- Addressing issues related to measurement and institutionalization in a health systems context.

3. Proposed QOC TAG: Deliverables, Membership, and Engagement

- **Deliverable:** Develop a quality of Care Action Plan

- **Membership & Engagement**
 - One individual from each IG constituency
 - 1-2 global experts (including user’s voice- external to the GFF)
 - Convened/Chaired by the Secretariat
 - Members do not need to be sitting IG members and can be delegated
 - Nominations submitted to the Secretariat (ssaulsbury@worldbank.org) by **December 5, 2019**
 - Biweekly meetings December 2019 through March 31 2020

- **Preferred Qualifications:**
 - Technical expertise working on global and country-level quality of care initiatives pertaining to the full scope of RMNCAH-N services, specifically in GFF-supported countries;
 - Strong knowledge and familiarity of the GFF model including the Investment Case and country platform; and
 - Available to convene and contribute to the development of required deliverables

4. Next Steps

- GFF Secretariat will collect nominations and provide an update on membership and status at the next IG technical alternates quarterly call (January 2020)
- TAG will provide final outcomes at the next in-person Investors Group meeting (April 2020)
- **For IG Approval**: Decision to take forward Quality of Care Technical Advisory Group

