

The supply chain portal: a platform for sharing knowledge and connecting key players

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“A comprehensive portal of resources for end-to-end supply chain issues of interest to UNFPA country offices, regions and the global level”

“An integrated portal shows the linkages between programme and operations that can foster better collaboration to maximise impact by reducing silos”

“An opportunity to connect diverse stakeholders in the RH supply chain”

Supply chain portal



- One stop shop for information regarding SCM
- Overall aim is to integrate information for both operations and programme personnel -
- Will be place that gathers, synthesises and quality controls information
- Discussion platform – ongoing discussions with partners about a common platform
- Linked to AccessRH

The RH supply chain



Country level resources

- Information on each country gathered from the UN system with additional information on specifics from UNFPA
- Specific procurement information e.g. for customs clearance
- Information on salient RH indicators such as selected demographic statistics, key donors, reported stock-outs, method mix

Supply chain strengthening



- Identification of common supply chain problems and linkage with solutions – e.g. customs clearance
- Database of issues – structured as fact sheets
- Commodity specific issues: Cold chain for oxytocin, Issues related to m/f condoms, implants
- Show inter-linkages between programming and supply chain management e.g. culturally inappropriate packaging of condom instructions led to destruction of condom consignments to Somalia

Discussion topic for Friday: (SCM Portal)

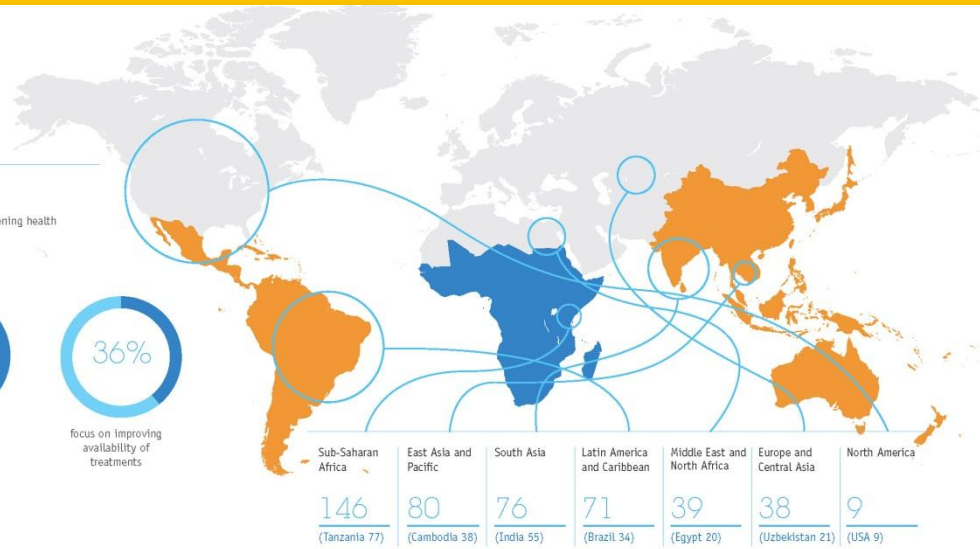
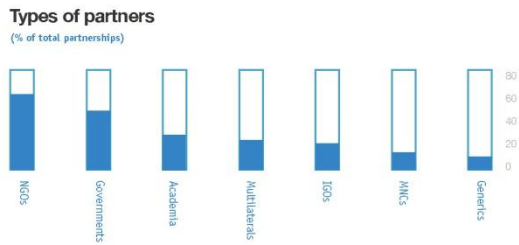


- Do you see that your company could be interesting in contributing to the SCM portal by sharing lessons learnt, information materials, statistics etc on this site?
- Do you think your company would be interested in accessing information from the SCM portal?

Discussion topic for Friday: (PPPs)



220 health partnerships



Challenges

In low- and middle-income countries, achieving global health goals is a slow process. The challenge is often attributed to systemic issues such as:

- Inadequate health system infrastructures (a trained health workforce, operating health information systems, and adequate physical facilities)
- Limited availability (or absence of) of treatment
- Inadequate R&D focused on key global health issues and insufficient in-country capacity for R&D
- Limited health awareness and outreach to support prevention and care

Top 10 recipient countries

1. Tanzania	77
2. Kenya	69
3. Uganda	62
4. India	55
5. South Africa	49
6. Senegal	46
7. Ghana	45
8. Nigeria	45
9. Mozambique	43
10. Ethiopia	43

Technology transfer

- 51 programs active since 2005
- 40 recipient countries (top: China, India, Thailand)
- 7 types of partners involved
- 1 of 2 programs involve a BRIC country
- 1/3 of programs are in Africa
- 1985 first program

NTD focus

- 132 R&D projects to develop new medicines and vaccines
- 85% of these projects are carried out through collaborative approaches
- 3rd we are the 3rd largest global funder of R&D for NTDs
- 525.1 our investments in NTD research reached USD 525.1 million in 2011
- 7 R&D centers are dedicated solely to searching for new cures for NTDs
- 32 access to capacity building partnerships devoted to NTDs
- 14 billion treatments donated from 2011 to 2020