

In September 2015, the UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon will launch an updated Global Strategy for Women's, Children's, and Adolescents' Health, building on new evidence since the original Global Strategy of 2010, and aligning with the targets and indicators developed for the Sustainable Development Goals framework: www.everywomaneverychild.org/global-strategy-2

During 2015, PMNCH is coordinating global stakeholder consultations to inform the updated Global Strategy. This will be done in two rounds: Round 1 (Feb-March 2015) will ask stakeholders about their priorities for developing an updated Global Strategy for Women's, Children's and Adolescents' Health. Round 2 (April-May 2015) will seek comments on the first draft of the updated Global Strategy.

PMNCH will produce summary reports that synthesize the feedback received through each of the consultation rounds. All public responses to this survey will be posted on an interactive online hub, www.WomenChildrenPost2015.org

The Round 1 survey closes on 20 March 2015 and we welcome your input. PMNCH will continue to support the consultation process throughout 2015, with further information to appear on www.WomenChildrenPost2015.org.

Thank you for taking the time to share your views. Please email pmnch@who.int with any questions or comments. At the end of the survey you have the option of providing a short statement for the live comment wall at www.WomenChildrenPost2015.org.

Name

Organization

Constituencies

Country-Based Non Governmental Organizations
International Non Governmental Organizations
Healthcare Professional Associations

Private Sector
Academic, Research, and Training Institutions
Donors and Foundations (D&Fs)
Multilateral Agencies/International Organizations
Partner Country
Youth
Other (please specify)

Email Address _____

Please note that your response to this survey will be shared on www.WomenChildrenPost2015.org unless indicated otherwise.

ONLY CHECK THIS BOX IF YOU DO NOT WANT YOUR SURVEY SHARED

1. National Leadership and Operationalization

How can the updated Global Strategy encourage sustained, strong political and administrative leadership and commitment for RMNCAH?

At the global level:
At the national level
At the sub-national level

Follow Up Question: Please mention any further comments you have about how the Global Strategy can strengthen political will and leadership. [Max 250 words]

2. Health Systems Strengthening and Universal Health Coverage

What are the most important health systems strengthening investments for improving RMNCAH

services at the country level? Choose up to five from the list:

- Policy, planning and governance at national level
- Information systems and data collection & analysis
- Public - private mix in service delivery
- Quality of care
- Strengthening community-based services
- Human resources for health training, deployment and management
- Payroll reform and broader public service reform
- Medicines and supplies procurement and supply chain management
- Medicines and supplies access and use (prescribing, availability and effectiveness)
- Infrastructure and equipment
- Innovation and scale-up (including continuous improvement)
- Demand-side financing (e.g. user fees, conditional cash transfers and vouchers)
- Supply-side health financing (e.g. PBF, allocation of resources between priorities and between levels of service delivery such as between tertiary and primary levels).
- Accountability at the local level
- Decentralisation to sub-national level
- Legal entitlements to essential services, goods and information
- Targeting inequities and achieving universal coverage and resilience
- Other (please specify)

Follow up Questions: a) How important is Universal Health Coverage (UHC) to the delivery of RMNCAH?

Essential
Important
Useful but not essential
Not Important

Follow Up Questions: b) How should the Global Strategy specifically focus on Universal Health

Coverage? [Max 250 words]

3. Adolescents

What are the priority outcomes for adolescents that this strategy needs to address? Choose up to 3 priorities.

- Access to affordable, quality health services including sexual and reproductive health services (including family planning and HIV and AIDS prevention, treatment and care)
- Access to formal and in-formal health education including comprehensive sexuality education
- Access to education, training and information
- Protection from harmful traditional practices and stigma and discrimination (FGM, child marriage)
- Social norms transformation particularly around gender and youth
- Ensuring social & financial support and protection
- Ensuring meaningful participation and decision-making
- Mental health services and counseling
- Prevention of injuries, risk reduction and counseling for the prevention of harmful behaviors
- Other (please specify)

Follow Up Question: Please add any other comments about how the Global Strategy should embrace the needs of adolescents and how the RMNCAH community

can learn from best practices and successes around adolescent health. [Max 250 words]

4. Health Influencing Sectors (Social and Economic Determinants of Health)

Which of the following represent the most immediate opportunities to the RMNCAH community for partnerships aimed at alignment of planning, programming, advocacy and accountability to influence health determinants? Choose up to five from the list:

- Education
- Water, Sanitation and Hygiene
- Rule of Law
- Human Rights
- Nutrition
- Women's Political and Economic Participation
- Violence (particularly Gender-based violence)
- Shelter
- Infrastructure and Energy
- Food Security
- Environmental Pollution
- Skills and Livelihoods
- Access to Markets and Security of Ownership, including Land Rights
- Market Shaping and Access
- Inequities
- Protection
- Media and Communications
- Other (please specify)

Follow Up Question: Please add any further ideas including the best ways – on a practical level – to build

coordination between health and other sectors? [Max 250 words]

5. Innovation

Please identify the most critical gaps that could be best addressed through innovation. Choose up to three options.

- Sexual and reproductive health and rights (e.g. reproductive technologies, access to services for adolescents, services for men and boys, innovative sexuality education)
- Maternal health (e.g. ante-natal care, emergency obstetric care, postnatal depression, post-partum hemorrhage, pre-eclampsia)
- Newborn health (e.g. prematurity, PMTCT, complications during delivery, sepsis, early initiation of breastfeeding, stillbirth)
- Child health (e.g. malaria, pneumonia, vaccination, stunting, WASH, nutrition, early childhood development)
- Adolescent (e.g. early & forced marriage, FGM, violence against women & girls, menstrual hygiene, empowerment)
- Other (please specify)

Please provide a specific example for each of your choices above.

First Choice
Second Choice
Third Choice

Follow Up Question: How should RMNCAH innovations reflect the most pressing needs, priorities and demands

of countries and be efficiently developed for adoption and scale-up by countries? [Max 250 words]

6. Human Rights

What are the main human rights related barriers to full access to RMNCAH? Please choose the three most important from the following list.

Harmful Cultural Practices
Social Arrangements and Constraints
Gender Inequality
Legal Barriers
Lack of Access (opening hours, distance, cost)
Lack of Knowledge and Information
Policy and Service Insufficiencies
Financing Constraints
Lack of Choice or Range of Suitable Services
Other (please specify)

Follow Up Question: How should a human rights-based approach be introduced into the updated Global Strategy in practical terms? How would countries operationalize a human-rights based approach? Please include examples of actual cases, where possible. [Max 250 words]

7. Humanitarian Settings

What are the challenges and priorities in meeting the RMNCAH needs of women, children and adolescents during conflict-related and humanitarian emergencies? Please choose the three most important from the following list.

Address needs requiring specialist services, for example, gender based violence including sexual violence
Guarantee the availability, cost and management of basic supplies (for example, family planning)
Ensure a sufficient package of quality health services
Ensure qualified service providers are available
Ensure the cost of services does not exclude people
Locate and reach populations most in need
Ensure safe access to services by women and children
Build demand among populations most in need
Integration of private service providers to optimize access, quality and build demand
Forge better global partnerships and cooperation (global health partners need to be joined up and work cooperatively to ensure maximum coverage and minimum duplication)
Other (please specify)

**Follow Up Questions: How can disaster risk reduction and emergency preparedness, response and recovery best be integrated into the updated Global Strategy?
[Max 250 words]**

8. Financing

How can the updated Global Strategy support and incentivize sustainable financing for RMNCAH services? Please select the top three strategies from the following list.

- Promote pooled financing flows at the national or sub-national level to provide cross-subsidization across geographic areas and income groups.
- Encourage the establishment of inclusive sustainable national health financing systems.
- Advocate for more predictable international aid flows.
- Mobilize new and different stakeholders to finance RMNCAH services at the national and sub-national level such as private

- sector, individuals, business, CCO, governments.
- Advocate for a national roadmap process to set out a package of services and financing plan.
 - Provide an opportunity for national governments to make domestic financing commitments on an international stage, and report regularly on these.
 - Finance work on best practice, planning tools, investment cases, and other related knowledge resources to support governments in their decision-making including the identification of a basic package.
 - Promote national public financial management strengthening processes.
 - Empower non-governmental and civil society sectors to advocate for and monitor domestic financing of RMNCAH
 - Set out evidence, best practice and specific effects of country contexts on demand side financing (conditional cash transfers, user fees, charges, exemptions, vouchers).
 - Advocate for legal enforcement of national fee policies and regulatory systems
 - Other (please specify)

Follow Up Question: Are there particular domestic or global health financing issues that the Global Strategy should address? [Max 250 words]

9. Monitoring and Accountability

How can data collection and management be improved where resources are scarce? Please suggest up to three ideas/ methods.

First Suggestion _____

Second Suggestion _____

Third Suggestion _____

Please use this space to make any further comments about information, data collection and management including priorities for building country processes,

systems and capacity. [Max 250 words]

Considering accountability arrangements for RMNCAH during the last five years, how should accountability and monitoring be done in the next five years? Broadly, accountability and monitoring includes the Commission on Information and Accountability for Women's and Children's Health (COIA), Countdown to 2015, the Independent Expert Review Group (iERG) in addition to national and global reporting.

Agree Disagree Not sure

There was too much accountability
(wasted money and time)

There was insufficient accountability
and monitoring at both global and
national levels

Accountability was sufficient at a global
level but did not impact on country level
processes enough

Investment in accountability was about
right

Most donors and development partners
strengthened their commitment to
RMNCAH partly because their
commitments were monitored and
reported on annually

Global accountability processes made
practical action at country level easier

Accountability at the national level is
improving in most places

Policy development improved at
country level as a result of Countdown
data

We have the right systems to track the
protection of human rights in the future

The COIA is an important instrument
for the Global Strategy

The iERG should be maintained in the future

Follow Up Question: What role can the updated Global Strategy play in improving the impact of accountability mechanisms and initiatives?

10. Global Financing Facility

Have you had sufficient follow up information about the development of the Global Financing Facility (the GFF)?

- Yes, as much as I want
- Probably, if I look for it I feel confident I would find it
- No: I have tried to follow progress but do not feel as well informed as I'd like
- Don't Know

If you replied No, please specify how would you like to be kept informed:

Follow Up Question: Do you have additional comments about the GFF?

Optional: Please provide an overall statement about the updated Global Strategy. What priorities, essential services or challenges, for example, should the Global Strategy include? This statement will be featured as part of a comment wall at www.WomenChildrenPost2015.org.