



Strengthening Regional and National Capacity to Accelerate
**Scaling up of National PMTCT and Paediatric HIV Care, Support
 and Treatment Programmes**

Workshop in Nairobi, Kenya, 12 – 16 February 2007

Agenda

DAY 1	
8:30 – 8:45	<u>Agenda Update</u>
8:45 – 9:30 PLENARY	<u>Participant Introductions</u>
9:30 – 10:15 PLENARY	<u>Setting the Stage</u> Presenter: Inam Chitsike, WHO – AFRO Objectives: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Overview of Workshop Goals, Expected Outcomes, and Agenda ➤ Administrative announcements
10:15 – 11:00	<u>Coffee & Tea</u>
11:00 – 12:00 PLENARY	<u>Workshop Opening and Welcome</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Kevin de Cock, Director Department of HIV/AIDS, WHO-HQ • Ms. Marilyn McDonald, Head of Health Division, UNICEF Country Representative • Dr David Okello, WHO Country Representative in Kenya • Dr. James Nyikal, Director of Medical Services, on behalf of the Ministry of Health Kenya
12:00 – 14:00	<u>Lunch</u>
14:00 – 16:00	<u>Pre-Workshop Briefing</u> Presenters: René Ekpini, WHO - HQ and Chewe Luo, UNICEF – HQ Objectives: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ To review session outcomes ➤ To provide guidance on main outcomes for group work sessions
16:00 – 16:30	<u>Coffee & Tea</u>

DAY 2	
8:30 – 9:00 PLENARY	<u>Security Briefing</u>
9:00 – 9:45 PLENARY	<p><u>Day 2 Session 1: Elimination of HIV infection in infants and Universal Access to HIV prevention, treatment, care and support services</u> Moderator: Erasmus Morah, UNAIDS Kenya</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ To introduce the global goals, and targets in the context of Universal Access ➤ To identify obstacles and challenges to Universal Access <p>Overview:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Status of implementation of PMTCT and Paediatric HIV care and treatment and future direction, Robert Gass, UNICEF-HQ</i> • <i>Status of implementation of PMTCT and Paediatric HIV care and treatment global status, Lulu Muhe, WHO-HQ</i> • <i>Plenary discussion</i> <div style="border: 1px dashed black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Materials:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PowerPoint presentations • 2006 PMTCT Report Card • Universal Access Report • Country programme review documents </div>
9:45 – 10:55 PLENARY	<p><u>Day 2 Session 2: Implementation of Comprehensive Programmes for the Prevention of HIV Infection in Infants: Elements and Challenges</u> Moderator: Inam Chitsike, WHO-AFRO</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ To present the comprehensive approach to the prevention of HIV in infants ➤ To identify package of service pertaining to each component of the strategic approach ➤ To identify elements for success ➤ To identify challenges in linking with core health services <p>Overview:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>How to operationalize the 4 element comprehensive approach, Juliana Yartey, WHO-HQ</i> • <i>Kenya experience with comprehensive service provision, Robert Ayisi</i> • <i>Malawi experience with comprehensive service provision, Michael Eliya</i> • <i>Zimbabwe's experience in Scaling Up and Implementing a National Comprehensive PMTCT Program, Elizabeth Mbizvo</i> • <i>Plenary discussion</i> <div style="border: 1px dashed black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Materials:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PowerPoint presentation • Strategic Approaches to the Prevention of HIV Infection in Infants - Report of a WHO meeting, Morges, Switzerland, 20-22 March 2002 • The Abuja Call to Action • The Global Strategy for the Elimination of HIV Infection in Infants and Young Children Approach </div>
10:55 – 11:20	Coffee & Tea
11:20 – 12:10 PLENARY	<u>Day 2 Session 3: Comprehensive Care, Support and Treatment Programmes for HIV-exposed Infants and Children: Elements and Challenges</u>

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	<p>Moderator: Dorothy Mbori-Ngacha, CDC - Kenya</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ To present strategic approaches to the implementation of national paediatric care, treatment and support programmes ➤ To identify key package of services ➤ To identify elements for success ➤ To identify challenges in linking with core health services <p>Overview:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Strategic approaches to the implementation of a national paediatric care, treatment and support programmes, Janet Kayita, UNICEF ESARO</i> • <i>Zimbabwe experience in implementing paediatric ARV programmes, C C Chakanyuka</i> • <i>Nigeria experience on challenges linking paediatric HIV services with integrated HIV and other child survival programmes. Emmanuel Abatta</i> • <i>Plenary discussion</i> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <p>Materials:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PowerPoint presentations • Country programme reviews • 2006 PMTCT report card • A Call to Action: Children the Missing Face of AIDS
<p>12:10 – 12:50 PLENARY</p>	<p><u>Day 2 Session 4: Implementation of Primary Prevention and Rights-Based Sexual and Reproductive Health Services in the Context of PMTCT</u></p> <p>Moderator: Andrew Agabu, UNICEF</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ To present the package of SRH services/interventions to be provided in the context of PMTCT ➤ To provide operational guidance on implementation of SRH services ➤ To provide operational guidance on linkage with SRH services ➤ To identify challenges and lessons learned <p>Overview:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Practical guidance on the implementation of primary prevention and SRH services in the context of PMTCT, Hillary Chiguvare, UNFPA Zimbabwe</i> • <i>Plenary discussion</i> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <p>Materials:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PowerPoint presentations • Sexual & Reproductive Health for Women Living with HIV/AIDS. Guidelines on Care, Treatment & Support for Women Living with HIV/AIDS & their Children in Resource-Constrained Settings • Glion Consultation on Strengthening the Linkages Between Reproductive Health & HIV/AIDS Family Planning & HIV/AIDS in Women & Children • Linking Sexual & Reproductive Health and HIV/AIDS. An annotated inventory • Sexual & Reproductive Health & HIV/AIDS: A Framework for Priority Linkages • Integrating HIV Voluntary Counselling & Testing Services into Reproductive Health Settings Stepwise Guidelines for Programme Planners, Managers & Service Providers
<p>12:50 – 13:50</p>	<p><u>Lunch</u></p>
<p>13:50 – 15:00 PLENARY</p>	<p><u>Day 2 Session 5: Implementing Provider Initiated Testing and Counselling (PITC) in the Context of PMTCT and Paediatric Care</u></p>

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	<p>Moderator: Rabia Mathai, CMMB</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ To review lessons learned, challenges and directions➤ To provide practical guidance on the implementation of provider initiated testing and counselling (PITC) in the context of PMTCT <p>Overview:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Policy and operational guidance on PITC in the context of PMTCT and paediatric care, Kadidiatou Gouro, WHO-AFRO</i>• <i>Zimbabwe experience on programmatic implications of PITC, Gertrude Ncube</i>• <i>Kenya experience on programmatic implications of PITC, Peter Cherutich</i>• <i>CDC/WHO/UNICEF Testing and Counselling for PMTCT Support Tools, Virginia Allread, FXB Center at UMDNJ</i>• <i>Plenary discussion</i> <p>Materials:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• PowerPoint presentations• Provider Initiated Testing and Counselling Guidelines• CDC/WHO/UNICEF Testing and Counselling Support Tools• Integrating HIV Voluntary Counselling and Testing Services into Reproductive Health Settings Stepwise Guidelines for Programme Planners, Managers and Service Providers (2004)
15:00 – 15:40 PLENARY	<p><u>Day 2 Session 6: Infant Feeding Counselling and Support in the Context of PMTCT</u></p> <p>Moderator: Christian Pitter, EGPAF</p> <p>Objective:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ To introduce the updated the UN HIV and infant feeding recommendations and implications for programmes➤ To review challenges and lessons learned <p>Overview:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>UN recommendations, update on the October consultation, and practical guidance, Peggy Henderson, WHO-HQ</i>• <i>Zambia experience on challenges and lessons learned, Jane Chitanda</i>• <i>Plenary discussion</i> <p>Materials:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• PowerPoint Presentations• HIV and Infant Feeding: Framework for Priority Action and other tools• HIV and Infant Feeding: Consensus statement from October 2006 technical consultation• Guiding Principles for feeding non-breastfed children 6-24 months
15:40 – 15:55	Coffee & Tea
15:55 – 17:25 PANEL	<p><u>Day 2 Session 7: Panel Discussion on Implementation of Guidelines on HIV and Infant Feeding</u></p> <p>Moderator: Dirk Buyse, WCARO/UNICEF</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ To provide practical guidance on implementing HIV and infant feeding guidelines <p>Overview:</p>

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	<p><i>Panel composed of one representative from each country.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Ruth Nduati, Kenya</i>• <i>Janet Guta, Malawi</i>• <i>Abiola Davies, Nigeria</i>• <i>Ruth Akelola, Kenya</i>• <i>Jane Chitanda, Zambia</i>• <i>Rufaro C. Madzima, Zimbabwe</i>• <i>Q&A from floor</i>
17:25 – 18: 05 PLENARY	<p><u>Day 2 Session 8 Antiretroviral Therapy in Infants and Children</u> Moderator: Robert Gass, UNICEF - HQ</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ To present the WHO guidelines (staging classification, ART and co-trimoxazole)➤ To provide overview of rationale for the new guidelines➤ To review programmatic implications <p>Overview:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>WHO guidelines on staging, co-trimoxazole and ART in infants and children, Francis Onyango, WHO-AFRO</i>• <i>Kenya experience on implementing co-trimoxazole prophylaxis for children at national level, Emily Koech</i>• <i>Zambia presentation on the programmatic implications national ART, OIs and co-trimoxazole guidelines have on essential medicines and supplies, Max Bweupe</i> <p>Materials:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• PowerPoint presentations• Antiretroviral therapy of HIV infection in infants and children: towards universal access, Recommendations for a public health approach• WHO case definitions of HIV for surveillance and revised clinical staging and immunological classification of HIV-related disease in adults and children• Guidelines on co-trimoxazole prophylaxis for HIV-related infections among children, adolescents and adults, Recommendations for a public health approach• Country Paediatric HIV/AIDS Guidelines

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8:00 – 8:40 PLENARY	<p><u>Day 3 Session 1: Antiretroviral drugs for Treating Pregnant Women and Preventing HIV Infection in Infants</u> Moderator: Halima Dao, CDC</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ To introduce the WHO guidelines ➤ To provide overview of rationale for the new guidelines ➤ To review programmatic implications <p>Overview:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>PMTCT revised guidelines, René Ekpini, WHO-HQ</i> • <i>Zambia Programmatic implications, Namwinga Chintu</i> • <i>Plenary discussion</i> <p>Materials:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PowerPoint presentations • Antiretroviral drugs for treating pregnant women and preventing HIV infection in infants: towards universal access, Recommendations for a public health approach • Summary Guidelines
8:40 – 9:20 PLENARY	<p><u>Day 3 Session 2: Revising Existing National PMTCT Protocols and Guidelines</u> Moderator: Doris Odera, CMMB-Kenya</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ To provide practical guidance on revising national PMTCT protocols and guidelines ➤ To ensure consistency and comprehensiveness of protocols and guidelines (including testing and counselling) <p>Overview:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>The PMTCT-Plus model of providing ARV drugs in the context of PMTCT: lessons learned, including how it could guide national scale up efforts, Raphael Ntuny, Columbia University</i> • <i>Nigeria presentation on the process for revising the national PMTCT protocol and guidelines, Adegoke Dawodu.</i> • <i>Plenary discussions</i> <p>Materials:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PowerPoint presentations • Antiretroviral drugs for treating pregnant women and preventing HIV infection in infants: towards universal access, Recommendations for a public health approach • Operational guide for National PMTCT Programmes on WHO Recommended Antiretroviral Drug Regimes for Treating Pregnant Women and Preventing HIV Infection in Infants in Resource-Limited Settings. A Public Health Approach
9:20 – 9:35	Coffee & Tea
9:35 – 10:55 PANEL	<p><u>Day 3 Session 3: Panel Discussion on Follow-up Care, Treatment and Support: Referrals and Linkages</u> Moderator: Chewe Luo, UNICEF - HQ</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ To provide practical guidance on patient flow, confidentiality and follow-up

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	<p>after referral, and linkages with other health services</p> <p><i>Overview:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Brief overview, Eyerusalem K. Negussie, WHO-HQ,</i>• <i>Eddie Limbambala, Malawi</i>• <i>Juliana Otieno, Kenya</i>• <i>Emi Monye, Nigeria</i>• <i>Mary Nyathi, Zimbabwe</i>• <i>Namwinga Chintu, Zambia</i>• <i>Q&A from floor</i>
10:55 – 12:25 PLENARY	<p><u>Day 3 Session 4: Sharing Field Experience and Implementation Tools</u> Moderator: Reuben Mbewe, Zambia</p> <p><i>Objective:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Review of lessons learned and challenges from IATT Partners➤ Overview of field tested implementation tools➤ Introduce the programming guide for paediatric care <p><i>Overview:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>IATT Partner Experiences</i><ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Mildred Mundany, CDC Kenya on behalf of USG Agencies</i>• <i>Christian Pitter, EGPAF</i>• <i>Prisca Kasonde, FHI</i>• <i>Elodie Yard, ICRH Kenya</i>• <i>Doris Odera, CMMB</i>• <i>Beth Collins, Clinton Foundation</i>• <i>Plenary discussion</i> <p><i>Materials:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• PowerPoint presentations• Key tools from partners
12:25 – 13:25	<p><u>Lunch</u></p>
13:25 – 14:25 PLENARY	<p><u>Day 3 Session 5: Developing and Implementing (including monitoring and evaluation) National PMTCT and Paediatric Treatment, Care and Support Scale Up Plans</u> Moderator: Erasmus Morah, UNAIDS Kenya</p> <p><i>Objective:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Overview of the PMTCT and Paediatric HIV/AIDS scale up planning guidelines (A step wise process)<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Reviewing background data and developing a planning rational2. Setting goal and objectives3. Setting population-based national targets4. Defining evidence-based strategies to achieve scale5. Identifying priority actions to achieve set targets6. Developing a Road Map for implementation <p><i>Overview:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Introduction to the Scale-up Planning Guide for the Prevention of MTCT of HIV and Paediatric HIV Care, Treatment and Support, René Ekpini WHO-HQ</i>• <i>Presentation on Setting national targets and enhancing M&E for a comprehensive PMTCT and Paediatric HIV care and treatment, Chika Hayashi WHO-HQ</i>• <i>Plenary discussion</i>

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	<p>Materials:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PowerPoint presentation • Scale-up Planning Guide for the Prevention of MTCT of HIV and Paediatric HIV Care, Treatment and Support • National Guide to Monitoring and Evaluating Programmes for the Prevention of HIV in Infants and Young Children • CDs with Projection Software and related documents • DRAFT technical guidance to set national targets for PMTCT and ART • Proposed updated indicator list
14:25 – 14:50 PLENARY	<p><u>Day 3 Session 6: Introduction to Group Work on Scale Up Planning</u></p> <p>Overview:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Introduce goals and structure of small group work and provide an overview of the tools and resources available for small group work, Eunice Casey, FXB Center at UMDNJ</i> • <i>Q&A</i> <p>Materials:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scale-up Planning Guide for the Prevention of MTCT of HIV and Paediatric HIV Care, Treatment and Support • Scale Up planning worksheets • The Global Strategy for the Elimination of HIV Infection in Infants and Young Children
14:50	<u>Coffee & Tea</u>
14:50 – 17:00 SMALL GROUP WORK	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SMALL GROUP WORK
17:00– 18:00 MARKET PLACE	<u>MARKET PLACE-EXHIBITION: Posters - Guidelines - Tools</u>

DAY 4	
8:30 – 10:00 SMALL GROUP WORK	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SMALL GROUP WORK – Discussion of individual country TA plan
10:00 - 10:30	Coffee & Tea
10:30– 13:00 SMALL GROUP WORK	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SMALL GROUP WORK – Discussion of individual country TA plan
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 16:00 SMALL GROUP WORK	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SMALL GROUP WORK — Discussion of individual country TA plan
16:00 – 16:30	Coffee & Tea
16:30 – 18:00 SMALL GROUP WORK	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SMALL GROUP WORK — Discussion of individual country TA plan

DAY 5	
8:30 – 10:45 SMALL GROUP WORK	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SMALL GROUP WORK
10:45 – 11:00	Coffee & Tea
11:00 – 13:30 PLENARY	<p><u>Day 5 Session 1: Reports from Small Group Work on National PMTCT and Paediatric Treatment, Care and Support Scale Up Plans</u> Moderator: Luc de Bernis, UNFPA - Africa</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Review of progress on national PMTCT and paediatric treatment, care and support scale up plans ➤ Plenary discussion on scale up plans ➤ Review on technical assistance needs and plans <p>Overview:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Each country provides a 15 minutes report on progress made followed by a 15 minutes plenary discussion</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Kenya presentation and discussion</i> • <i>Nigeria presentation and discussion</i> • <i>Zimbabwe presentation and discussion</i> • <i>Malawi presentation and discussion</i> • <i>Zambia presentation and discussion</i>
13:30 – 14:30	Lunch
14:30 – 16:30 SMALL GROUP WORK <i>Simultaneous Country team discussion</i>	<p><u>Day 5 Session 2: Country Team Discussions on Individual Country Technical Assistance Plans</u></p> <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Country teams made up of partners and MOH review and finalize country technical assistance plans ➤ Develop a Road Map detailing follow up activities/action steps, responsible agencies/officers, and timelines for implementation <p>Overview:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Simultaneously, country teams are in break out rooms to work on road maps and technical assistance plans</i>
16:30	Closing
	Coffee & Tea