CSTF: issues from key events

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Statement of Action

- Support NCBs
- Train patient advocates and include them
- Advocate for social protection in national strategies
- Develop advocacy frameworks for the End TB Strategy
- Sensitize communities, KAPs and patients on right to care
- Align indicators to national M&E systems and use data
CSTF defined priorities

1. Establishing/strengthening NGO Coordinating Bodies (NCBs) and promotion of the ENGAGE-TB approach with unengaged NGOs

2. Working with WHO Country Offices to motivate enhanced engagement with CSOs

3. Advocating for increased funding for CSO engagement and community-based TB activities

4. Developing a discussion paper on community engagement in the TB response

5. Promoting the concept of the CSTF at national and international forums

6. Developing a CSTF response to STAG
CSTF priorities continued

7. Advocating at subnational, national, regional and international levels for the inclusion of social protection measures for TB

8. Participation in programme reviews

9. Documenting and disseminating achievements and challenges

10. Creating social media page/s for the CSTF promoting the work of the CSTF

11. Participating in WHO technical meetings and forums

12. Encouraging civil society and affected community involvement in National Strategic Plan (NSP) development, implementation and review
Key voices and messages

1. USAID C. Vincent: call to NTPs on CSO partnership
2. Mario: emphasis on CSO engagement
3. Domestic financing: needs CSO engagement
4. Inter ministerial collaboration: can be supported by CSO engagement
5. Fundraising from pvt sector and individuals: an opportunity
6. Kenya: acknowledge role of CS in FLD supply
7. CSOs can make political commitment happen
8. NTPs: acknowledge they need help from CSOs
Next steps

How do we use the goodwill and the vacuum to secure some quick gains in policy and practice?