Ensuring Continued Success

- How can the momentum created impact surveillance long term?
  - Locally?
  - Nationally?
  - Regionally?
Future Disasters

• What should be in place to more easily respond to next disaster?
  – Especially in terms of
    • Infrastructure?
    • Partnerships?
    • Guidelines?
EWARN Methodology

- Works well for epidemic-prone diseases with clear case definitions
  
  - What about for communicable diseases without clear case definitions, e.g. skin infection?

  - What about for non-communicable diseases, e.g. trauma/injury?
Pharmaceutical Stockpile

• Sudden donations from all over the world
  – Limited local capacity for organization, storage, distribution of huge quantities

• How best to handle in terms of outbreak preparedness/response?
Partnerships

- Collaboration between UN agencies, NGOs, and host country is critical to success.
  - What worked?
  - What did not?
  - What actions can be taken to ensure effective working partnerships?