DFID’s commitment and work to address HRH: Brown/Bush initiative and other examples

WHO/PEPFAR Consultation on maximizing synergies between health systems and global health initiatives through work on building and sustaining health workforce development.

Tuesday 17th March, 2009.
Washington DC. USA

Jim Campbell
ICS Integrare
Barcelona, Spain.
Prime Minister Gordon Brown

“let us never forget in times of turmoil our duty to .... the poorest of the world
our values tell us that we cannot be wholly comfortable while others go without”

4th March 2009. Speech to US Congress
http://www.number10.gov.uk/Page18506

“we need to make new history today, and make it happen now........first, on health, that we recruit and train a million health workers, saving the lives of three million mothers and seven million children”.

25th September 2008. Speech to UN General Assembly
http://www.number10.gov.uk/Page16943
Dr. Margaret Chan.
Taskforce on Innovative International Financing for Health Systems.
10, Downing Street, London.
Friday 13th March, 2009

“....health systems are strengthened to scale up the achievement of the MDGs....

..the international community...have not been able to achieve good outcomes .. on maternal mortality....we have been failing our women....

to see...results on the ground....children are immunised, women are having access to family planning, to the full range of sexual and reproductive health..... making sure that delivery is attended by trained health care workers, by midwives.....

make better use of existing resources..... we need to be accountable....”

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fA84I3hacMU  http://www.number10.gov.uk/Page18597
DFID’s HRH interventions – a ‘big picture’ perspective

£7 billion - Health (2008-15)

Bilateral LIC focus

Multilateral WHO UNFPA WB GFATM GAVI ADB UNICEF UNAIDS EC

Research Consortiums

The Role of IHP+, country level

Inputs – Process – Outputs – Outcome - Impact

Poverty Reduction

Costed, results-oriented national health plan and budget

HRH: Tools, Evidence etc

Costed HRH Plan

e.g: UK Global Health; Brown/Bush; EC; GHWA; South Asia; Malawi
DFID’s HRH interventions - Brown/Bush

Ethiopia, Kenya, Mozambique, Zambia.
‘overlap’ countries (IHP+ & PEPFAR Focus Countries)

Jan08: “Promoting Synergy Between Partners” – Addis Ababa
Mar08: Side-meeting, Global Forum on HRH - Kampala
Apr08: Bush / Brown statements (Washington)
Jun08: Brown / Bush statements (London)
Jul08: G8 Communiqué
Jul08: PEPFAR Reauthorisation – 140,000 new HCWs
Sep08: Brown –HLF MDGs – statements (New York)

1. Looking for the added value and comparative advantage
2. Recognises respective aid modalities
3. Seeking out best practice evidence and contributions
4. Promoting dialogue and new discourses
5. Affirming shared objectives

One costed, results-oriented national health plan and budget
DFID’s HRH interventions - Brown/Bush - Mozambique

‘Concrete progress’ – (in response to Ambassador Mogedal)


4. Joint work on ‘Call for Support’ – HLF MDGs meeting – Sep 08

5. Paulo Garrido & Ivan Lewis – IHP+ Meeting - Feb 09

6. GAVI – new funding arrangement

7. GFATM – NSA – First Learning Wave

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