Expert Meeting

An evidence gap map of social, behavioural and community engagement interventions for Reproductive, Maternal, Newborn, Child and Adolescent Health

15 to 17 November 2016

Salle II and III, Ecumenical Centre, Geneva (Day 1 and 2)
Salle B, World Health Organization, Geneva (Day 3)

Objectives

a) To analyse initial findings of an evidence gap map of social, behavioural and community engagement (SBCE) interventions for reproductive, maternal, newborn, child and adolescent Health (RMNCAH)

b) To review the visual presentation of the data and the use of an interactive online platform for dissemination

c) To discuss key principles for the implementation of SBCE interventions

d) To discuss next steps, including gaps in the gap map and dissemination and use of the findings

Agenda

Tuesday 15 November
Ecumenical Centre, Salle II and III
09h00 to 17h30
Coffee/tea breaks at 10h30 and 15h30; Lunch from 12h00 to 13h30

Session I: Welcome and overview - 9h00 to 10h00

• Welcome and introductions – Anshu Banerjee, World Health Organization, Cluster of Family, Women’s and Children’s Health (WHO/FWC)
• Opening remark – Emanuele Capobianco, Partnership for Maternal, Newborn & Child Health (PMNCH)
• Background and objectives of the meeting, agenda – Annie Portela, World Health Organization, Department of Maternal, Newborn, Child and Adolescent Health (WHO/MCA)
• What is an Evidence Gap Map (EGM)? – Birte Snilstveit, The International Initiative for Impact Evaluation (3ie)

Session II: Overview of the EGM for RMNCAH – 10h00 to 17h30

• Overview of the methods – Annie Portela & Rachael Hinton, WHO/MCA
• Presentation of the initial findings of the EGM for RMNCAH – 3ie Team
  – Reproductive health
  – Maternal health
  – Newborn health
  – Child health
  – Adolescent SRH
• Group work to review the findings of the EGM
  – Introduction to the group work – Marianne Emler, WHO/MCA
  – Group work by health area
• Feedback and discussion
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Session III: Group leader meeting – 17h30 to 18h00
  • Integration of findings from the group work

Reception
18h00 to 20h00
World Health Organization Cafeteria

Wednesday 16 November
Ecumenical Centre, Salle II and III
09h00 to 17h30
Coffee/tea breaks at 10h30 and 15h30, Lunch from 12h00 to 13h30

Recap of Day One – 9h00 to 9h15 – Group leaders

Session IV: Review of the EGM by Intervention – 09h15 to 12h00
  • Presentation of the initial findings of the EGM by Intervention – 3ie Team
  • Group work to review the findings of the EGM
    – Introduction to group work – Marianne Emler, WHO/MCA
    – Group work by intervention category
  • Feedback and discussion

Session V: Interacting with the Visual platform – 13h30 to 14h00

Session VI: Implementation principles – 14h00 to 17h00
  • Introductory exercise – Melanie Morrow, Maternal and Child Survival Program (MCSP)
  • Presentation of methods and findings related to implementation principles for SBCE interventions – Melanie Morrow, MCSP
  • Group work to provide feedback on the draft principles
  • Plenary discussion

Session VII: Group leader meeting – 17h00 to 18h00
  • Integration of findings from the group work

Thursday 17 November
World Health Organization, Salle B
09h00 to 12h00
Coffee/tea break at 10h30

Review of the integration of findings – 9h00 to 10h00

Session VIII: Next steps – 10h00 to 12h00
  • Gaps in the EGM
  • Adolescent health
  • Outline of the final publication
  • Launch and dissemination
  • SBCE Evidence Strengthening process – Annie Portela, WHO/MCA
  • Opportunities for collaboration – Stephanie Levy, USAID
  • Next steps and timelines