TA Coordination and planning at country level: Philippines

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Outline

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PhilPACT

- The Philippine Plan of Action to Control Tuberculosis 2010 – 2016 (PhilPACT)
- Multi-sector TB control agenda across 8 different strategies
- To be implemented by various stakeholders
- Linked to a 3-year TA plan
## 8 Strategies

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<th>Localize implementation of TB control</th>
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<td>Promote and Strengthen positive behavior of communities</td>
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<td>Address MDR-TB, TB/HIV, and needs of vulnerable populations</td>
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<td>Regulate and make available quality TB diagnostic tests and drugs</td>
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Why develop the TA plan?

Local TA Provider

DOTS PROGRAM
Managers and Implementers

International TA Provider

Coordination

Efficiency

Prevention of Duplication

Comprehensive & harmonized TA Plan
The process to develop the TA plan

- Proposed TA plan for 2011 – 2013 was drafted by NTP based on the PhilPACT
- Workshop held in April 2011 to
  - Review the PhilPACT and identify needs across the 8 strategies
  - Review the currently available or planned TA by partner agencies
  - Identify gaps and formulate the overall TA plan
- Participants: NTP, Local partners, SRs, PR, CSO, WHO, DOH
Components of the TA Plan discussed

- Strategy number
- Performance target
- Description of TA
- International consultant
- Local consultant
- Output/deliverables
- Part of the current plan
- Interested in providing TA?

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Next steps

- IDO (infectious Diseases Office) to review the plan
- IDO to meet with PBSP to determine which TA will be funded by Global Fund, then have a contact with WHO for the TA
- Meet with other partners to get their commitment for the TAs needed by the programme & meeting
- Finalize detailed TA implementation plan for 2011
- GF related TA activities will be monitored by TWG
- NTP activities will be presented during annual Programme implementation review
Highlights

- A harmonized TA plan, attuned with the country's strategic plan (PhilPACT)
- Serves as basis for the country on its request for future technical support
- "Who supports What" - clarity amongst TA partners, both local and international
THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

"A strong strategy and a strong partnership between local government units, civil society, technical and financial partners are the keys to the success of the plan".

- Secretary of Health, Philippines