Building Local and Regional Capacity in TB Infection Control

Meeting on Technical Assistance Plans for Global Fund Activities in the African Region
2 December 2011
HARARE
This week in Harare

- KNCV Consultant on mission in Zimbabwe
- IC issues brought up by a collaborative partner
- Linked the partner with a local IC consultant

Matron Anna Maruta, Parirenyatwa Hospital, Secretary of ICAZ, the Infection Control Association of Zimbabwe, is a local IC consultant who is enrolled in our training and mentoring program to become a regional IC consultant.

- Advanced IC training including on Quality Consultancy
- Personal development plan
- Mentored IC Mission to Zambia
TB CARE I and TB CARE II
Consortia of partner organizations
Among others WHO
Main USAID mechanism to support USAID’s strategy on TB
Global, regional and country activities

Active in 14 African countries - local representation
Support to the NTP in eight technical areas
Programming based on annual gap analysis
TA planning part of the annual planning cycle
Organizational structure

Partner Organization HQ

Board Member

Project Officer

Country Team

PMU

Members of Country Team
- A Technical Lead
- A Project Officer
- A M&E Officer
- A Finance Officer
- A Technical Advisor

Organizational Authority
Technical and Administrative support, Financial Reporting

Operational Authority
Technical and Financial coordination and reporting

Country Manager

USAID Country Mission
Build IC capacity

- Country training activities - started under TB CAP
  -> to build national pool of trainers (10/14)
- Regional training for program coordinators and service providers in PMDT, IC and Laboratory services - faculty from the E/A region
  -> to build national capacity (16)
  -> to supplement two training centres in RSA
- Global training and mentoring consultants in IC
  -> to build regional pool of IC consultants (3 in AFRO)
- Global training architects and engineers - Harvard U.
  -> to build regional pool of architects and engineers (4 in AFRO)
Challenges?

- Availability
- Planning
- Back stopping
- Collaboration with other departments and local architects and engineers
- Countries not supported through TB CARE
Relation with TB TEAM?

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