

Minutes- DPG Nutrition meeting 11th July 2017
Venue: UNICEF offices

Participants

1.	Temina Mkumbwa	USAID	DPG N Chair
2.	Joyce Ngegba	UNICEF	DPG N Co- chair
3.	Lucy M. Maziku	PANITA	DPG N Secretariat
4.	Glory Mhalu	COUNSENUH	Member
5.	Winfrida Mayila	Africare	Member
6.	Shabbir Layi	Ima World Health	Member
7.	Chiho Suzuki	World Bank	Member
8.	Kim Wenz	World Vision	Member
9.	Ryman Mwangosi	World Vision	Member
10.	Sylvia Imalike	Feed the Children	Member
11.	Daudi Mwakaboye	Africare	Member
12.	Tuzie Edwin	UNICEF	Member
13.	Aaron Isaack	PANITA	Member
14.	Moorine Lwakatare	FAO	Member
15.	Pieter Remes	DMI	Member
16.	Anna Kilala	DFID	Member
17.	Julius Simon	GAIN	Member
18.	Tiziana Boccheddu	WFP	Member
19.	Juliana Muiruri	WFP	Member
20.	Benatus Sambili	Plan International	Member
21.	Touma Ng'wanahilala	CUAMM	Member
22.	Mauro Brero	UNICEF	Member
23.	Biram Ndiaye	UNICEF	Member
24.	Divya Narayan	BCG	Guest
25.	Meino Meerkatt	BCG	Guest

Agenda

1. A word of thank you
2. Follow up on action points from last meeting
3. Topic of the month
4. Sector updates
5. Coordination updates
6. Upcoming events
7. AOB
8. Date of next meeting and close

Discussion and Action points

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Follow up on action points from last meeting	The calendar of key nutrition events in 2017 was circulated to DPG Nutrition members via email.	DPGN members are encourage to add inputs where appropriate

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A word of thank you	The newly elected Chair Ms. Temina Mkumbwa (USAID) and Co-chair Ms. Joyce Ngegba (UNICEF) expressed their appreciation to the DPG Nutrition members for the honor bestowed upon them and promised to work closely with everyone in moving the nutrition agenda forward.	
Topic of the month	<p>DPG Nutrition Next Steps: The topic was presented by Temina Mkumbwa, DPG N Chair.</p> <p>Key issues presented:</p> <p>1. Priorities for DPG-Nutrition 2017/18</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Support implementation of NMNAP (2016 -2021) - Support resource mobilisation for the NMNAP <p>2. Functioning of DPGN</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Time for DPGN will remain the same 1430-1630hrs. Presentations/ sharing of lessons learned will be done between 1330-1430hrs (attendance is optional) - Venue UNICEF offices - Topics for presentations will be suggested by DPGN members or identified by Chair and Co-Chairs. - Sectoral coordination updates to continue, responsible organization are requested to circulate information to DPGN members through the secretariat. - SUN coordination updates were removed from agenda and combined with key updates on nutrition. - Information sharing – members were requested to circulate information to DPGN members through the secretariat. - New Membership request should be sent to the chairperson copying co –chairs. - DPG N will promote partnership and collaboration among development partners through collection and sharing of information on who is doing what where and information on upcoming key events. A tool has been prepared and will be circulated to all member organizations. <p>3. Linking with DPG health</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Key updates on nutrition will be submitted to the secretariat prior to DPG Health meetings including minutes of the meetings. - Key updates from DPG-N to DPG Health will be presented by WHO and World Bank <p>4. Positioning of the DPGN</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Meeting with the head of DPG Secretariat – Mr. Christian Shingiro planned for 13th July 2017. Update will be provided in the next DPG N meeting. 	<p>Chair to circulate the presentation and proposed agenda.</p> <p>Chair & Co-Chairs to send updates to DPG Health copying DPG N representatives.</p> <p>Chair to provide update on positioning of DPG Nutrition.</p> <p>Chair& Co-Chairs to share the 3Ws information collection tool.</p> <p>DPGN member organizations to fill out the 3Ws tool and submit.</p> <p>Chair &Co-Chairs to follow up with TFNC on participation of DPG N members in NMNAP thematic working groups.</p>

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	<p>Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Members suggested to have presentations start at 1400Hrs instead 1330hrs and all members should participate. - DPG N Information collection tool (3Ws) to include the additional information suggested by members. 	
Sector Updates	<p>Health : No update</p> <p>Agriculture and Food Security (FAO)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Food security situation has improved as harvest season starts, poor and food insecure households in draughts prone areas of central, north western and north eastern parts of the country are now able to access adequate food as harvesting continue across the country. - Food prices to start decreasing as harvesting season commences. The effective demand has consequently started decreasing as households consume their own produce. This will result to decrease in prices of staples as more supplies reach the market in the coming months. <p>WaSH (Plan International) The water sector group conducted supervision in some selected regions.</p> <p>Social Protection: World Bank concluded the biannual evaluation on social protection in April 2017</p>	<p>FAO to share Information on food security</p> <p>FAO/WFP required to share updates from DPG Agriculture</p> <p>WB to share report on social protection</p>
Upcoming events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - JMNR kick off meeting on 12th July 2017 - Food Fortification Summit August 2017 - Introductory meeting for strengthening Data Management and Communication Systems in Tanzania. The programme aims at building capacities on managing nutrition data and communicating to public particularly reaching grassroots levels where coverage of nutrition information is minimum. The programme will be introduced by a Team of expert from Boston Consulting Group (BCG) on 12 July 2017 at TFNC Hall. - World Breastfeeding Week will commence on August 1st – 7th August 2017 the theme is “Sustaining breastfeeding together”. At national level it will celebrated in Dar es salaam 	<p>HKI to share information on FF summit</p> <p>Partners are required to share their plans with TFNC</p>
Date of next meeting	Next meeting will be on 15 th August 2017	