

Minutes - DPG Nutrition Meeting 14th November 2017

Venue: Save the Children International Offices

Time: 2:40pm - 4:00pm

Participants

1.	Temina Mkumbwa	USAID	Chair
2.	Amy Schmidt	Save the Children	Co-Chair
3.	Faraja Kassim	PANITA	Secretariat
4.	Deborah Kimaro	PANITA	Secretariat
5.	Gcoynneth Wong	Plan International	Member
6.	Juliana W Muiruri	WFP	Member
7.	Debora Niheya	IIP JHN	Member
8.	Costanse Gargian	CUAMM	Member
9.	Vedasto Rutachokozibwa	AFRICARE	Member
10.	Robert Mgeni	CRS	Member
11.	Biram Ndiaye	UNICEF	Member
12.	Rayman Mwangosi	WVT	Member
13.	Adrian Fitzgerald	Irish Aid	Member
14.	Fadhili Mtengela	FAO	Member
15.	Joseph Mugyabuso	IMA World Health	Member
16.	Daudi Mwakabanje	Africare	Member
17.	Pieter Remes	DMI - TZ	Member

Agenda

1. Welcoming and introductions
2. Adopting agenda, confirming minutes of the previous meeting and matters arising
3. Supporting implementation of NMNAP for 2016-2021 in which updates included regional P and B workshops held in October 2017, development of guidelines on comprehensive supportive supervision & ToRs for Regional and Council Steering Committees for Nutrition (R & CMSCN)
4. Supporting resource mobilization for NMNAP –with updates from SUN Donor Conveners (Irish Aid and USAID)
5. Sector Updates by World Bank, WHO, FAO/WFP, Plan, UNICEF, Irish Aid
6. Upcoming events
7. AOB and date for the next meeting

Discussion and Action points

Agenda	Key Issues Discussed	Action Points
<p>2. Adopting agenda, Confirming minutes of the previous meeting and matters arising</p>	<p>Confirmation of minutes from previous meeting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Pg. 4 Africare: Anemia tester received the global award although “it has not been tested in the community”. Should read “has not been rolled out yet” - Pg. 3: The government of Tanzania is planning to develop a national social protection policy and the workshop to discuss this will kick off on November. - Minutes were confirmed with the noted corrections. <p>Matters arising from the previous meeting:</p> <p>i) DPGN collected the 3Ws information on “who” does “what” “where” from 23 organizations and have shared the information with PMO,PORALG and TFNC.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -The tool is now known as DPG Nutrition Projects Information -Members agreed that the tool is important for designing, planning of projects and also for coordination of NMNAP <p>ii) JMNR 2017 report and recommendations to be shared with DPGN members</p>	<p>Biram Ndiaye to follow up on dates</p> <p>Chair/Co-Chairs to recirculate the UN-REACH Tanzania Stakeholder and Nutrition Action Mapping.</p> <p>This tool will be kept as a living document and posted on DPG website/DPGN section</p> <p>TFNC is finalizing the report and will share with members</p>
<p>3. Follow up on key Priorities for DPG-N 2017/18</p>	<p>Supporting implementation of NMNAP(2016/21)</p> <p>i) Regional nutrition Planning and Budgeting workshops held in October 2017</p> <p>Feedbacks from meetings</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Duration of the P and B meetings was not enough • Focus on evidence based planning based on e.g. BNA and the results of score card, is a challenge. It was reported that some facilitators were not good at pushing the evidence based planning. • Multi-sectoral approach during the sessions was not reflected well across sectors. This need to be addressed. 	<p>DPG Chair will follow up with TFNC and PORALG for possibilities of conducting feedback sessions and organize Plan Rep2 briefing session to DPG-N members</p> <p>Members were encouraged to support P and B in their respective regions</p> <p>Chair to plan for a discussion with DPG-N members on</p>

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		<p>operationalization of the scorecard</p> <p>Compendium of Actions for Nutrition should be shared widely among all nutrition stakeholders</p>
	<p>Development of guidelines on comprehensive supportive supervision & TORs for Regional and Council Steering Committees for Nutrition (R & CMSCN)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chair shared the draft TOR with DPG-N members for review, but the response was minimal. Members were encouraged to contribute on such important documents. • This week PORALG will conduct a meeting for validation of the TORs and guidelines for supportive supervision • DPG-N members will on later date conduct discussions on how to support implementation of the guidelines 	<p>The finalized tools will be shared with members.</p>
<p>4.Supporting resource mobilization for NMNAP –with updates from SUN donor conveners (Irish Aid and USAID)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DPG-N Chair had a meeting with Dr. Rutasha, a consultant from Jakaya Kikwete Foundation, enquiring guidance on how the foundation can support nutrition in the country. • Donor conveners are following up on potential donors like African Development Bank, Japan etc. • DPG N Chair had a meeting with Ministry of Health on Community Health Workers. Partners were informed on the need to support the employment of the new CHW cadre. <p>It was agreed that NMNAP Thematic Working group should be active</p>	<p>DPG-N to hold discussion with the national CHW/CBHC coordinator to learn and agree on ways to collaborate with the government on the CHW initiative</p> <p>Chair to liaise with TFNC to kick start meetings for the thematic working groups</p>

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<p>Updates from Nutrition for Growth Summit and SUN Global Gathering</p>	<p>Nutrition for Growth Summit - Milan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Nutrition for Growth event this year led to raising US \$ 3.4 billion for Nutrition, from organizations, individual donors etc. The challenge is on how to have the money trickle down to countries like Tanzania. • It was reported that DANGOTE contributed US \$ 100 million to the Nutrition for Growth but the support is directed to Nigeria - Tanzania was not represented in the meeting. Members urged our government to attend such meetings to show our accountability as the country. <p>SUN global gathering Abidjan Cote d'Ivoire, 7-9 Nov 2017</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The SUN Global Gathering convened all SUN Government Focal Points and representatives from civil society, donor agencies, United Nations agencies, private sector companies, academia, media, parliamentarians and high-profile global leaders. More than 900 participants from 70 countries, reviewed progress and challenges in tackling malnutrition and shared innovations and good practices. Tanzania was represented by Sarah Mshiu - PMO (SUN Focal Point), Biram Ndiaye, UNICEF (UN Network) Tumaini Mikindo PANITA (CSO Network), Enock Musinguzi GAIN (SUN Business Network) and Temina Mkumbwa USAID (Donor Network). • Former Tanzanian president Jakaya Mrisho Kikwete delivered a key note speech and inspired the participants. • Members were encouraged to visit the SUN website for more details. 	<p>DPGN Chair to share the SUN Movement Progress Report and other materials.</p>
<p>5 Sector updates</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WASH: The national sanitation campaign phase 2 will be launched in early December 2017, to be officiated by the Vice President • Agriculture: No updates • Health: No updates • Social protection: No updates 	

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6. Upcoming events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WFP- Smart Simplicity will conduct a meeting next week • National Evaluation Platform – Finalizing results for Maternal components of One Plan and will share the results with stakeholders • 4 - 6th December 2017, PORALG will conduct the first annual coordination meeting for RNuOs in Dodoma. • Annual health sector policy meeting, December 2017 • 15th Nov. 2017 World Bank-presentation on Quality of Health Care Sector in Tanzania. What we knew, what we know and what we really want to know 	More information will be shared with members
7. AOB	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Partners are informed that Dr. Vedastus Rutachokoziwa is the new Chief of Party and Dr. Winnie Mayilla Mollel – the Deputy CoP for Africare/ MBNP 	
Date of next meeting	Next meeting scheduled for 12th December 2017 at UNICEF new Office.	