

CRSPC Workstreams and their Descriptions

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The Country Regional Support Partner Committee (CRSPC) workstreams are the grouping of CRSPC members into specific areas of work based on comparative advantages of partners to ensure the provision of the best support towards achieving the objective of the RBM Partnership. This facilitates the effective coordinating of support to regions and countries as they execute their malaria control and elimination programs. Based on the CRSPC TORs and foreseen areas of bottlenecks that need support, the following workstreams were established. A workstream can be created or closed depending on new elements in the TORs or identified areas of need. A workstream can be further organized into sub-workstreams if necessary.

The workstreams and the sub-workstreams are led by two co-chairs who are selected from their members following a transparent process. The process involves sending out a call for the positions sent to CRSPC members and the responses screened to ensure the appropriate expertise, regional representation and experience and time dedicated to participating.

The workstream co-chairs serve as members of CRSPC steering Committee and are accountable to the CRSPC Co-chairs.

Each workstream is responsible for developing their TORs and are to actively seek membership.

1. Country Resource Mobilization:

This workstream coordinates the support provided to countries to ensure available of resources required by the national malaria programmes to fully implement their national malaria strategies. The workstream has two sub-workstreams.

Co-chairs: Peter Olumese (WHO) and Melanie Renshaw (ALMA)

- **GF Funding Applications and Grant Signature:** This sub-workstream coordinates the support provided to countries in the process of development of their Global Fund funding applications, including orientation meetings, support through consultants, organizing mock TRPs and application reviews. The sub-workstream also coordinates the support to countries to get their grants signed.

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- **Country resource Mobilization and Advocacy:** This sub-workstream coordinates the support provided to countries in the development of comprehensive approaches targeting advocacy and resource mobilization to fill gaps in their national strategic plans at country level, and support in advocacy to ensure that governments allocate resources for malaria interventions. This includes support to training of National Advocates to develop national advocacy strategies, creation of national advocacy platforms, development of situation analyses, development of return on investment cases, development of resource mobilization strategies, establishment of End Malaria Councils, development of proposals relating to Advocacy and Resource Mobilization needs and provide implementation support that address human rights and gender-related barriers and promote community responses.

Co-chairs: Jessica Rockwood (IPHA) and Anna McCartney-Melstad (JHU)

2. Implementation Support:

This workstream coordinates the implementation support provided to malaria endemic countries to proactively and reactively address the bottlenecks that affect the implementation of the national malaria strategic plans and the derived annual work plans. The workstream also has the following three sub-workstreams under it.

Co-chairs: Marcy Erskine (IFRC) and Sussann Nasr (The Global Fund)

- **Alliance for Malaria Prevention:** The AMP sub-workstream coordinates the support provided to countries in the planning and implementation of their LLIN distribution campaigns and LLIN scale up. AMP provides globally recognized expert technical assistance to help countries successfully plan and execute complex distribution campaigns. The AMP Partnership includes more than 40 organizations working to scale-up and maintain universal coverage targets for LLIN through all available channels, including mass distribution campaigns and continuous distribution.

Co-chairs: Jason Peat (IFRC)

- **Support for Implementation Bottleneck Resolution:** This sub-workstream coordinates the support provided to countries to address implementation bottlenecks in the process of implementation of their malaria annual plans.

Co-chairs: Abderahmane Kharchi (WHO) and Valentina Buj (UNICEF)

- **Seasonal Malaria Chemoprevention (SMC):** This Workstream coordinates the country level implementation support provided to countries that implement SMC to achieve higher coverage in SMC interventions, address bottlenecks, and to align partners on best practices and lessons learnt for improving quality of SMC programming and delivery. This will be done without duplicating the essential responsibility of WHO expert committees and consultations, which is to advise on norms and standards for products and services and their appropriate use.

Co-chairs: Erin Eckert (RTI) and Cissé Idrissa (NMCP Manager, Mali)

3. Programme Review and National Strategic Plans:

In partnership with WHO, this Workstream coordinates the support provided to countries in the process of malaria programme reviews and in national strategic plan development or revisions.

Co-chairs: Khoti Gausi (WHO) and Duncan Earle (MACEPA)

Note: The membership of the CRSPC is open to anyone wishing to participate. Members can apply at any time on the RBM Partnership to End Malaria website with the form indicated. It is also possible to apply through the email below.

The co-chairs and CRSPC manager are ready to respond to your queries.

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