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# Mozambique's Action Plan to Improve Routine CH and Nutrition Data

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# SITUATION ANALYSIS AND CHALLENGES

# Current Efforts and Challenges to Improve Routine Data For CH & Nutrition (i)

- Mozambique developed and piloted new CH registers integrating nutrition data elements
  - Roll out of CH registers: requires approval of the registers, reproduction, and scale up of health worker training
  - Lack of analysis and use of CH and Nutrition indicators

# Current Efforts and Challenges to Improve Routine Data For CH & Nutrition (ii)

- Recently (2016) the country introduced DHIS 2 (SIS-MA)
  - There is a lack of CH and Nutrition indicators
  - There are no digital platforms endorsed by the MoH for CH and Nutrition at HF or Community levels
  - Community data is not disaggregated from HF data
  - Lack of implementation of the comprehensive National Strategic Plan for HIS and M&E of Data

# Current Efforts and Challenges to Improve Routine Data For CH & Nutrition (iii)

- There is a national health promotion strategy, policy, and defined structure (with government-supported CHWs or APEs) to provide health care at Community level.
  - Existing standardized tools collect data in a parallel system (not in DHIS 2)
- There is an expanding digitalized logistics system (SIGLUS)
  - Need to strengthen, harmonize and ensure interoperability of different HIS (SIS-MA, SIGLUS, etc.)



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# PRIORITIES

PRIORITIES	KEY NEXT STEPS/ ACTIONS	TIMELINE	INSTITUTION(S) RESPONSIBLE	NEED FOR TA
<b>Approve, print, and distribute CH registers; Train HWs in register use</b>	1. Feedback from CH workshop to the Director of the MoH Public Health Directorate	Sept. 25 – Oct, 6	MoH, MCSP, WHO and USAID	N/A
	2. Creation of Taskforce for CH Indicators; carry out data discussion	Sept. 25 – Oct, 20	MoH (CH/Nutrition) and CH TWG	N/A
	3. Fund raising for printing and roll out	Sept. 25 – Nov. 3	MoH and CH partners	N/A
	Integration in to SIS-MA of CH/Nutrition revised indicators for HF's and Community	Oct. 1 – November 30	MoH (Health Informatics Department - DIS)	N/A



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<b>Disseminate the National HIS and M&amp;E Strategy</b>	1. Print out the National M&E Plan and distribute to provinces & districts	Oct. 1 – Dec. 25	MoH and CH partners	N/A
	2. Perform on-the-job training for SIS-MA users	Sept. 25 – Oct. 20	MoH and CH TWG	N/A
<b>Approval of guidelines for data analysis and use at the HF and Community levels</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Map the existing guidelines</li> <li>- Review or Approve and disseminate with potential users</li> </ul>	Oct 20 – March 30	MoH, CH TWG and CH partners	NA

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<b>Improve data quality and use</b>	Strengthen mentoring and on-the-Job training to the health providers (HF HWs and APEs)	Ongoing	MoH	N/A
	Strengthen supportive supervision of health providers	Ongoing	MoH and CH partners	N/A

