



# Child Health in Emergencies and Humanitarian Settings Sub Group

July 08 2021



## Agenda

Introduction

Update on work plan

- General update
- Update on a partnership with the GHC and ENAP-E

Webinar series proposal with CHiE and ENAP-E

A presentation the COVID-19 pandemic disruption on child health service utilization\*

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\*This presentation was postponed.



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Action Against Hunger	Ghana School of Public Health	JSI research and training Institute	Results for Development
adivasi dalit mourcha	Global Fund	JSI/USAID Advancing Nutrition	Rwanda Military Hospital
Aga Khan University	Global Strategies	Last Mile Health	Sangath
American Academy of Pediatrics	IAWG / IRC	Leuphana University Lueneburg, Germany	Save the Children
American Federation of Teachers	ICF	Living Goods	Shree Hindu Mandal hospital- Mwanza
Bariadi Town Council	ICF/ CEDARS	London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine	SOS
Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	IHP-Nigeria	Lund University	State Specialist Hospital Damaturu
Canadian Red Cross	IMA	Makerere University	Swiss Red Cross
Catholic Medical Mission Board	Indiana University School of Medicine	Malaria Consortium	Terre des Hommes
Catholic Relief Services	Integrated Health Program	Medair	The Palladium Group - Data.FI Project
CCBRT HOSPITAL	International Federation of Red Cross	Ministry of Health	THINKMD
Childfund	International Federation of the Red Cross	MOMENTUM Integrated Health Resilience	Ubongo International
CORE Group	International Health Consultancy	MSF	UNHCR
Direction Nationale de la Sant��/Division Nutrition	International Medical Corps	National Malaria Elimination Programme	UNICEF
Duke Global Health Institute	International Organization for Migration	None	Unitaid
Easy way	International Pharmaceutical Students' Federation	OFFICE NATIONAL DE NUTRITION	University of Geneva
Educational Institute / Non-Profit	International Rescue Committee	Palladium	University of Milan
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Ethiopia MOH	Irrua specialist teaching hospital	PATH	UPMC Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh
Food for the Hungry	IVC	People Health Movement Ghana	USAID
Futures Group	Jean Capps Associates Consulting	Phanuel Global Health Foundation	West African Institute of Public Health
FWAB	Jhpiego	PRB	WHO
Gates Foundation	John Snow Inc.	Project HOPE	Winnovations International
GAVISCO Platform Malawi	Johns Hopkins School of Public Health	Public health center	World Vision



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## ***General update***

I- A subgroup that is effectively plugged in key global and country level discussions on child health in humanitarian settings

- Bilateral discussions with group members – on going
- Mapping of the global partnerships of interest for CHEHS
- Formalized working relationship with the GHC and ENAP-E group

II- Child Health stakeholders at global and country level have a platform to engage regularly to share promising approaches to implementing child health interventions in humanitarian settings.

- Webinar series being designed in consultation with partners and countries



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## ***General update -cont***

III- Country level CH stakeholders are mobilized to be effective advocates for child health within humanitarian sphere, including for resource mobilization.

- Discussions initiated with OCHA, relevant clusters (Health, Nutrition, WASH) on key engagement times/process during HNO and HRP development

IV- Ensuring there are tools, guidance and evidence available to countries to deliver quality child health interventions in humanitarian settings

- A survey with 38 plus HAC countries planned to help identify needs at country level. Member/ partner contributions are welcome.



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Partnership with GHC and ENAP-E group, July 1 2021- June 30, 2023

Objective: Strengthened Coordination Support for Child Health in Emergencies

Activities:

1. Convene GHC Task Team for Child Health in Emergencies
2. Support implementation of global entity work-plans through Country Health Clusters

Expected outcome:

1. Integrated global platform for CHiE established and functional
2. Minimum 50% country health cluster have functioning integrated coordination structure for CHiE



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## Output indicators

- Mapping of CiE coordination structures/stakeholders completed in all clusters in YI.
- Minimum of 6 multi-stakeholder good practice webinars held per year.
- Bottleneck analysis of child health service delivery & corrective action defined by end YI.
- Mapping and gap analysis of guidance and tools completed by end YI.



# Newborn and Child Health in Humanitarian Settings within the COVID-19 Context: Country Experiences and Lessons Learned

A Webinar Series



# Objectives

- Create a space for countries and country level partners to share about their experiences in maintaining child health services
- Disseminate best practices, key takeaways and lessons learned from across regions.
- Share new evidence around emerging issues, tools and guidelines.

# Structure

- 1 webinar every 2 months
- Rapid global updates
- 2-3 countries per webinar to share their experiences
- Interactive elements, group discussions, Q&As



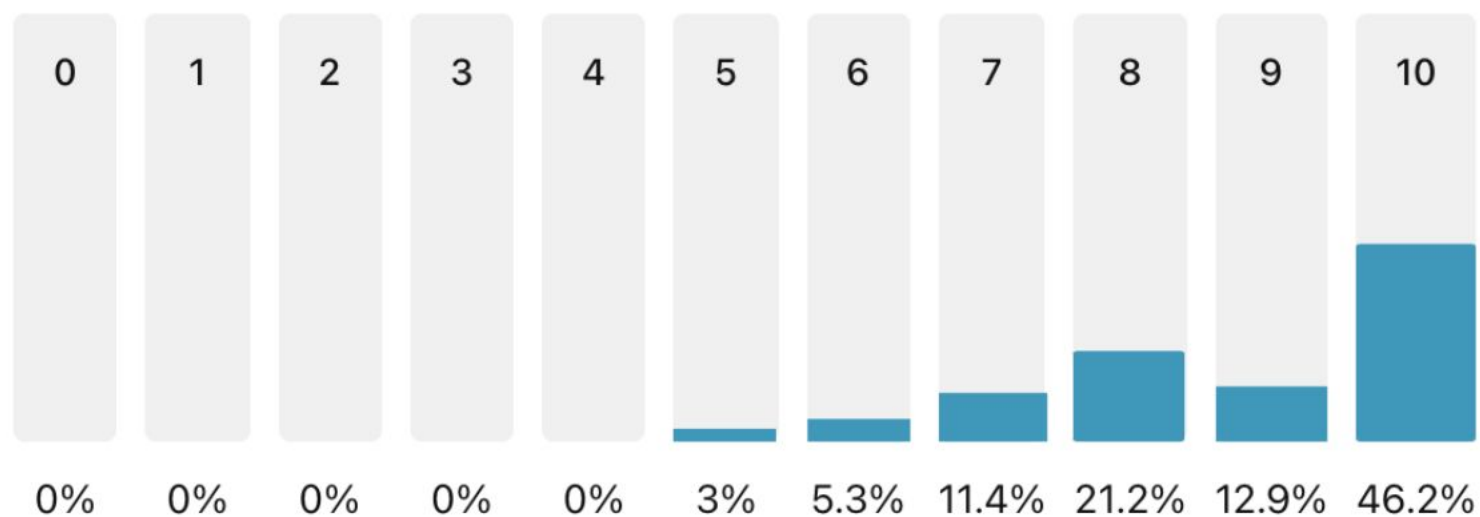


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On a scale of 0 to 10, how interested would you be in this webinar series?

Avg. 8.7

132 out of 135 people answered this question





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Would you be interested in attending this webinar series?

135 out of 135 people answered this question



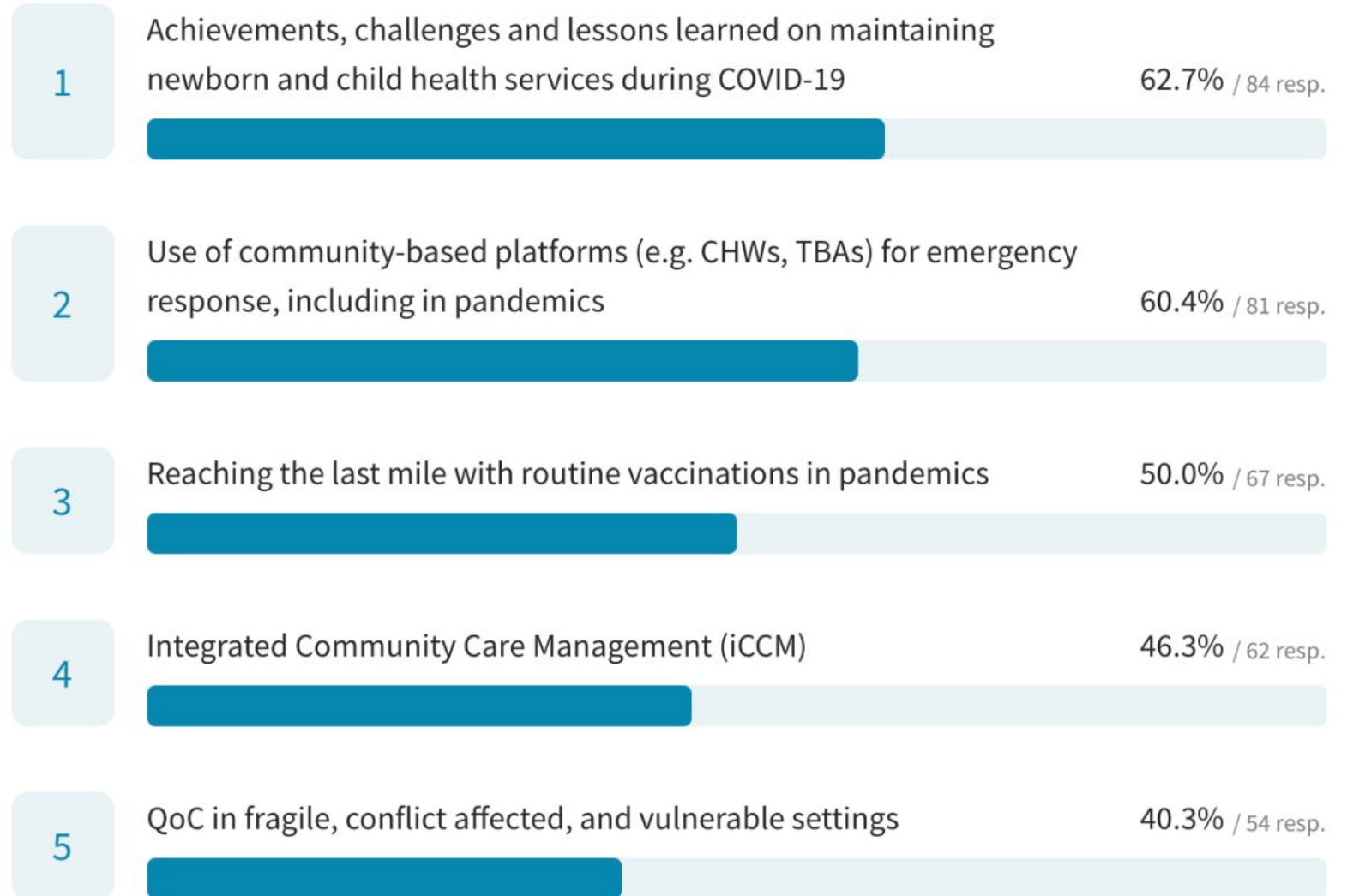
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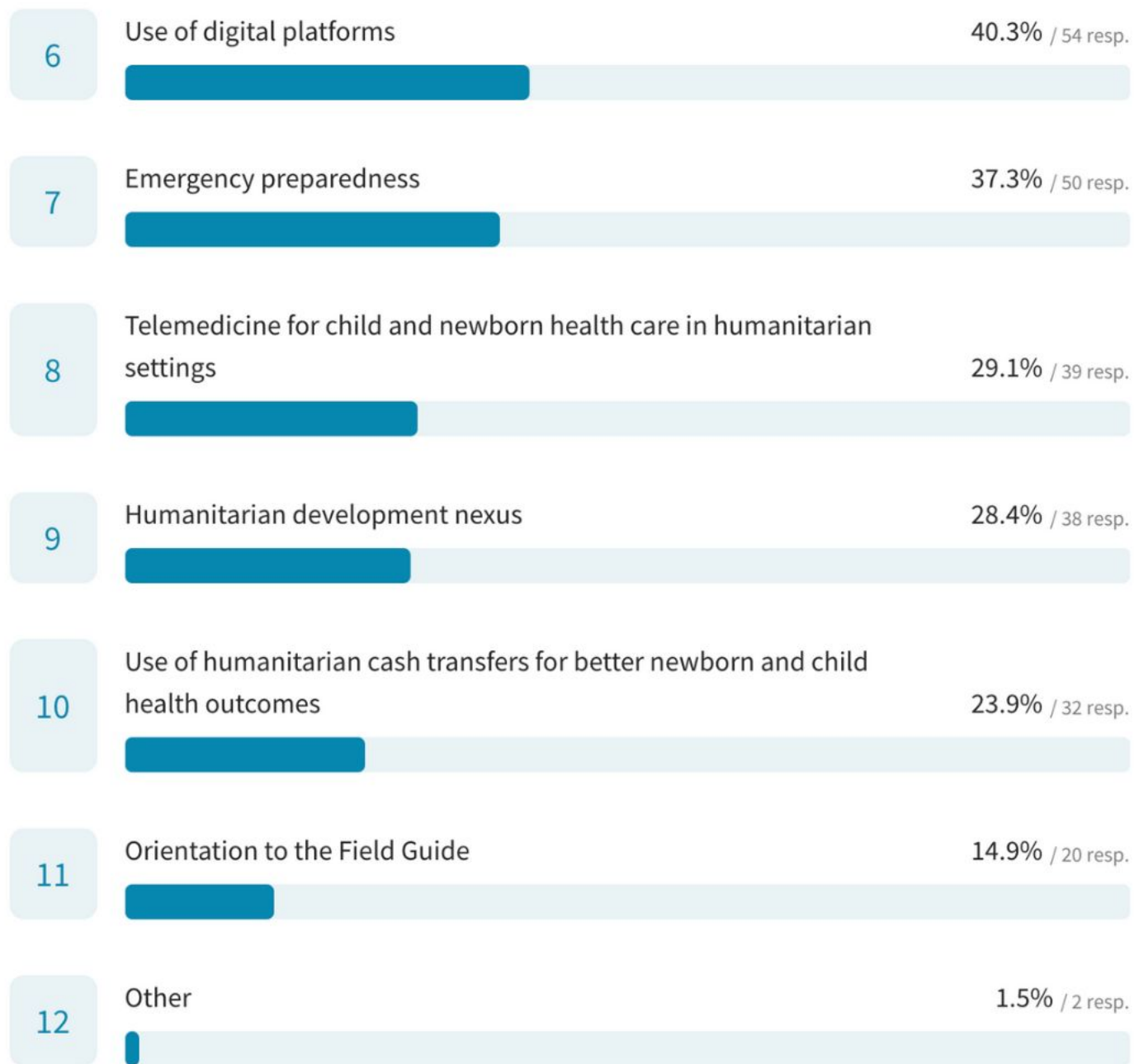
Would you be interested in presenting at this webinar series?

135 out of 135 people answered this question



Based on your experience in the past year, which of the topics would you be interested in exploring at the webinar series?





"Equity in Health and Nutrition: Reducing the number of Zero dosed children with Vitamin 'A' capsule supplementation and Immunization Coverage in the context of COVID 19: Global Approach to achieve it."

"Remember Children with Disability in emergency situations"

## Positive feedback

"Great idea to reflect on the last 18 challenging months."

"This is an important and rapidly emerging need. Thank you for proposing to hold learning webinars on this subject"

"I'm very interested in these webinars. Thanks for sharing the records"

"We are in the midst of a notable wave in Uganda that is creating additional demands with support to MOH meetings but this is a great webinar"

## Format & Logistics

"Real time translation."

"I will suggest to make it in french also or translation at the same time"

"The timing of the Webinar should be appropriate for the different time zones"

"The webinar should be interactive with time for sharing experiences in breakrooms"

"learn and listen from other country which had the same current situation like Myanmar"

"Discussions are important so please allot sufficient time for it!"

"please make webinars clear and succinct with key content and practical examples"

"Examples of promising practices."

"Sharing Experiences, Using Live Examples,"

"time demands due to conflicting meetings is a reality"



# Content

"Strategies to control the pandemic in humanitarian settings"

"Consider a session on evidence-Informed Advocacy for Continuity of Essential MNCH services during pandemic response"

"VPD and communicable disease outbreak response for children and women"

"Innovations for newborn health care"

"Strengthening health systems in humanitarian contexts; role of the private sector as contractors for health service provision in humanitarian contexts; exiting humanitarian contexts when government remains weak"

"Prevention and control of COVID 19 using multi sector (Health, Nutrition, WASH, Education, Social Protection, Agriculture, Governance) approach: UN Framework and Action is the area of interest for me when thinking about it from the nutrition lens."

"Innovations for newborn health care"

"A session on real or near real time monitoring would be welcome, possibly will be covered under digital platform?"

"Reaching the last mile in a humanitarian setting"

"Emphasis on ANC and Safe delivery to prevent child disability"

"(1) Can we have compiled notes of the last year's presentations?  
(2) If we can have a webinar on how the world can prepare for the next pandemics based on the lessons learnt from COVID 19 from the perspective of newborn and child health."

"It is challenging to reduce NMR in a developing country with less priority low literacy and poverty are there examples of NMR reduction from such countries would like to learn from their experience"

"I would also like to learn from country's experiences on PSBI implementation- successes and challenges"

"This webinar is much needed to address knowledge gaps and for experience sharing as we navigate humanitarian programmes in the context of Covid19"

"We have double burden of emergency not only Covid 19 Pandemic but also restriction on Military Administration to GCA as well as NGCA under EAOs."

"we should have a nutrition focused webinar as it is an important part of health services"

"There is overall limitation in access to primary and tertiary care during the pandemic brought about by strict border controls, movement restrictions, requirement for RT PCR tests when accessing tertiary government hospitals, and widespread internet connectivity problems in rural areas (hence, limiting access to online platforms)."

"Role of the different stakeholders including the private sector in maintaining essential services during the pandemic"

"Will there be presentation on key intervention package for newborn during emergencies?"

"La question d'enregistrement des naissances des enfants qui naissent sous la coupe des services de sante que nous appuyons"

"New born care in emergency situation"

"It should be interesting to hear of experiences and to share knowledge"

"Strengthening breastfeeding support in hospitals"

"Evaluation of Covid health messaging in communities over the last 12-15 months."

"Share considerations and tools for work in this sector as different from those in non-humanitarian settings"

"Thanks for this initiative, I think modalities on how Infants delivered during the covid lockdown can be identified, traced and immunized against the missed vaccine preventable diseases can be a part of the debate/ discussion"



"Every day more children live in these conditions so this will be an important series for all involved in the field"

"How to train and maintain skills and competencies among health care providers for newborn resuscitation."

"means of strengthening the supply oxygen and oxygen cylinders at HC and hospitals at primary care level"

"RMNCH+A issues..Family planning services to last mile"

"Safety/safeguarding and projecting children's brains"

"Consider to include building capacity of health workers in delivering newborn health in emergency"

"KMC for Small babies should be included in the webinar."

"I'd be interested to hear from country level programmers implementing MAMI care (management of small and nutritionally at risk infants under six months and their mothers) in the context of COVID-19 to hear about programming adaptations in detail."

"I am more orientated in my field of work that is why most fields with Newborn in it was checked"



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# Resources



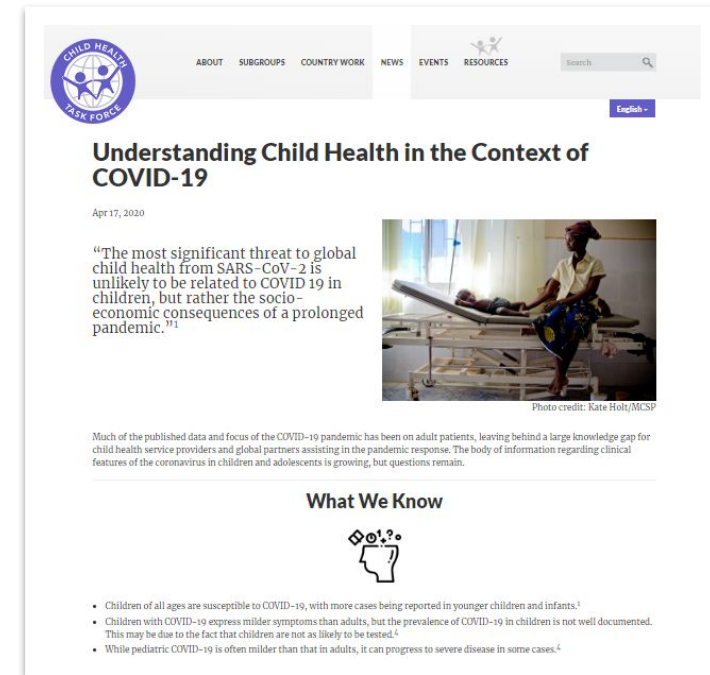
Engage with the **co-chairs**:

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Subgroup information, recordings and presentations from previous webinars are available on the subgroup page of the Child Health Task Force website:

[www.childhealthtaskforce.org/subgroups/child-health-emergencies](http://www.childhealthtaskforce.org/subgroups/child-health-emergencies)

*\*The recording and presentations from this webinar will be available on this page later today*



*Check out the Task Force Child Health & COVID-19 web page for additional resources!*

Suggestions for improvement or additional resources are welcome. Please email [childhealthtaskforce@jsi.com](mailto:childhealthtaskforce@jsi.com).