



# 2022 Achievements and Ideas for the Future

Presentation by the Commodities subgroup co-chairs

# Subgroup Goals and Objectives

## **Goal**

- To improve availability, accessibility, affordability, and safe use of quality child and newborn commodities for high impact health interventions.

## **Objectives**

- Optimize coordination within global and national supply chain strategies
- Articulate a basic equipment package in the broader global and national supply chain strategies.
- Increase end user engagement to support the availability, affordability and appropriate use of quality newborn and child health commodities.
- Develop evidence-based strategies to improve newborn and child health commodities
- Shape opportunities for private sector collaboration
- Share resources on recognized and emerging best practices and innovations
- Support improved maturity of both upstream and downstream components of the supply chain.
- Support country programs to assess quality of use issues

## Subgroup Activities 2022

- Two subgroup meetings
- **May:** Improving Uptake of Amoxicillin and Gentamicin: A series of consultations aimed at developing a strong call to action paper
- **June:** Dissemination of the revised version of the Forecasting of RMNCH Medical Products: Improving Quantification of Child Health Commodities Guidelines
- **Nov:** In collaboration with Nutrition sub-group): Including Nutrition Commodities on Global and National Medicines Lists: Case Examples and Country Experiences
- **Dec:** (in collaboration with iCCM and QoC sub-groups): Information Session on New Opportunities for Improving Funding for iCCM through the Global Fund Application

# Your Ideas are Needed to Advance the Subgroup's Work

Answer the Zoom Poll on your screen!

**Q1:** How could you (or your organization) be more engaged in the Newborn and Child Health Commodities subgroup's work? (you can select multiple)

- A. Submit guidance and tools for review and dissemination
- B. Organize webinars and other online events to share success stories, and lessons learned
- C. Participate in advocating for more political and financial support
- D. Other support (please elaborate more in the chat)

**Q2:** Which of its statutory objectives should the Newborn and Child Health Commodities subgroup prioritize more in 2023? (you can select multiple)

- A. Optimize coordination for an integrated child health package.
- B. Articulate a basic equipment package for newborn and child health.
- C. Increase end user engagement to support quality newborn and child health commodities.
- D. Develop evidence-based strategies to improve newborn and child health commodities across the humanitarian/development continuum/nexus.
- E. Shape opportunities for private sector collaboration for newborn and child commodities.
- F. Share resources on best practices and innovations on child and newborn health commodities.
- G. Support improved maturity of both upstream (procurement and market shaping) and downstream (delivery and last mile) components of the supply chain.
- H. Support country programs to assess the quality of use aspects



# Resources

Engage with the Commodities subgroup **co-chairs**:

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

[www.childhealthtaskforce.org/subgroups/newborn](http://www.childhealthtaskforce.org/subgroups/newborn)

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

You will also receive an email with the draft call to action paper for your review. Please send any feedback to [childhealthtaskforce@jsi.com](mailto:childhealthtaskforce@jsi.com)



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