MAURITANIA

2016 IHP+ MONITORING ROUND
National performance review

HOW TO READ THE COUNTRY PROFILE
All data presented on this visual aid are self-reported by the Ministry of Health (MoH), development partners (5 DPs out of 9 participated), civil society organisations (15 CSOs participated) and private sector representatives (3 PS participated) supporting the health sector. All data provided by DPs, CSOs and PS have in principle been validated by MoH. The 8 Effective Development Cooperation (EDC) practices in health are captured in 4 commitments. The first three commitments present the performance of the government and DPs against 6 EDC practices. The last commitment also includes the opinion of the CSOs and PS on the EDC practices relevant to their engagement.

Where possible, trends in performance are documented over 4 monitoring rounds (2007, 2011, 2013 and 2015). Where relevant, a comment relative to the EDC practice is provided in a text box.

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COMMITMENT
TO ESTABLISH STRONG HEALTH SECTOR STRATEGIES WHICH ARE JOINTLY ASSESSED, AND STRENGTHEN ACCOUNTABILITY

PARTNERS SUPPORT A SINGLE NATIONAL HEALTH STRATEGY
Alignment of support against the Health Sector Strategy

100% of participating DPs confirm they align their support with the national (or sub-national /sector) Health Sector Strategy.

Was the national health sector plan jointly assessed?

PD 60%
OSC
SP

Stakeholders that supported the joint assessment

MUTUAL ACCOUNTABILITY IS STRENGTHENED
A national M&E plan for the National Health Strategy exists?

80% of participating DPs only use national health sector indicators to monitor their support.

Target 100%

50% of participating DPs confirm they participated in the mutual accountability processes

HEALTH DEVELOPMENT COOPERATION IS MORE PREDICTABLE
Predictability of funds for the future

Rolling 3 year budget or Mid-Term Expenditure Framework in place:

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NATIONAL HEALTH EXPENDITURE
Total health expenditure per capita

$49.00

Sources of national health expenditure

DOMESTIC 88%
PUBLIC 50%
PRIVATE 50%
EXTERNAL 12%

Source: WHO, National Health Accounts 2014

HEALTH AID IS ON BUDGET
% of DP funds reported on budget

Target 85%

2010/11 2012/13 2014/15

2014/15
15%

2012/13
75%

2010/11
83%

LEGEND
Data colour codes

Government
Private Sector
Development Partners
Civil Society

Symbols

Yes
No
Unknown or not applicable

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COMMITMENT
TO ESTABLISH, STRENGTHEN AND USE COUNTRY SYSTEMS

PUBLIC FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT (PFM) SYSTEMS ARE STRENGTHENED AND USED

Are PFM systems of sufficiently good quality?

Source: World Bank, CPIA data 2014

20% of participating DPs confirm that sufficient support on PFM systems strengthening and capacity building is in place.

Are PFM systems of sufficiently good quality?

Percentage of DP funds using PFM systems

PROCUREMENT AND SUPPLY SYSTEMS ARE STRENGTHENED AND USED

A government plan for national procurement and supply exist?

20% of participating DPs use the national procurement and supply systems.

40% of participating DPs confirm that sufficient support on procurement or supply systems strengthening and capacity building is in place.

TECHNICAL SUPPORT IS COORDINATED AND SOUTH-SOUTH COOPERATION SUPPORTS LEARNING

An agreed national TA plan exists?

0% of participating DPs provide TA in line with the national plan.

Does the Ministry of Health benefit from south–south cooperation?

SOMETIMES 40% of participating DPs support South-South cooperation.

Each DP provides technical assistance on the basis of a bilateral agreement with the government.

CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANISATIONS ENGAGEMENT

What space does the government provide for CSOs to effectively participate in health sector policy, planning and monitoring? (Sources: Government qualitative survey and CSO online survey)

Government consults CSOs in the design, implementation or monitoring of national health policies

27% of CSOs confirm they are consulted

Government provides financial resources

14% of CSOs receive financial resources

Government provides training support

21% of CSOs receive training support

How effectively is the participation of CSOs in national health policy processes supported by development partners? (Sources: DP qualitative surveys and CSO online survey)

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PRIVATE SECTOR ENGAGEMENT

Participation happens in the annual reviews and quarterly meetings of the national health sector coordination and steering committee.

However, there is no mechanism for taking into account private sector comments / suggestions in the sector strategic decision-making process.

There are also recurring problems of regulation of the private health sector and little support from the DPs in this sector.

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