

Progress with Scaling Up Nutrition

September 2010 – September 2011

Major Achievements September 2010 – September 2011

- Building political commitment to scale up nutrition among
 Governments in countries with the highest burden of under-nutrition;
- Promoting goals and targets for reducing under-nutrition in SUN countries;
- Encouraging coherence and support of SUN through a global coalition of partners.

Political commitment of 19 SUN countries

Letters of intent sent by SUN countries

SUN country	Date of letter	Signatory of letter						
Bangladesh		The Government of Bangladesh has expressed its commitment to scaling up nutrition and a letter from the Government is expected shortly.						
Burkina Faso	28 June 2011	Minister of Health						
Ethiopia		The Government of Ethiopia has expressed its commitment to scaling up nutrition and a letter from the Government is expected shortly.						
The Gambia	18 July 2011	Vice President						
Ghana	25 March 2011	Minister of Health						
Guatemala	7 December 2010	Vice Minister of Health						
LAO PDR	25 April 2011	Minister of Health						
Malawi	15 March 2011	Secretary / Office of the President and Cabinet						
Mali	24 March 2011	Minister of Health						
Mauritania	19 May 2011	Minister of Economic Affairs and Development						
Mozambique	31 August 2011	Vice Minister of Health						
Nepal	5 May 2011	Secretary / Ministry of Health and Population						
Niger	14 February 2011	Minister of Public Health						
Peru	19 November 2010	Director General National Public Budget Office						
Senegal	6 June 2011	Prime Minister						
Tanzania	5 June 2011	Prime Minister						
Uganda	17 March 2011	Chairperson of the National Planning Authority						
Zambia	22 December 2010	Minister of Health						
Zimbabwe	6 June 2011	Director, Food and Nutrition Council						

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	Commitmen t of high level leadership	Governm ent focal point appointed	Donor convener confirme d	National nutrition plans endorsed	Multi- stakeholder platform established	Stock- taking exercise completed	Civil society action plans developed	Civil Society engagement established	Business engagement established
Bangladesh	-	Yes	World Bank, US	Yes	Planned	Yes	In progress	-	In progress
Burkina Faso	Yes	Interim	-	Yes	Yes	Yes	-	-	-
Ethiopia	-	Yes	-	Yes	Yes	Yes	In progress	-	In progress
Gambia	Yes	-	-	Yes	-	-	-	-	-
Ghana	Yes	-	US	Yes	Yes	Yes	In progress	-	-
Guatemala	Yes	Interim	World Bank	Yes	Yes	Yes	In progress	-	-
Lao PDR	Yes	Interim	-	Yes	In progress	Yes	-	-	-
Malawi	Yes	Interim	Ireland, US	Yes	Yes	Yes	In progress	-	In progress
Mali	Yes	Interim	-	Yes	-	In process	In progress	-	-
Mauritania	Yes	Interim	-	Yes	Yes	Yes	-	-	-
Mozambique	Yes	Yes	Denmark, UNICEF	Yes	Yes	Yes	In progress	-	Yes
Nepal	Yes	Interim	World Bank, UK, US	Yes	In progress	Yes	In progress	-	-
Niger	Yes	Interim	EC	Yes	-	-	In progress	-	-
Peru	Yes	-	World Bank, EC and Nutrition Initiative	Yes	Yes	Partially	-	Yes	-
Senegal	Yes	Interim	World Bank	Yes	Yes	Yes	-	Yes	Yes
Tanzania	Yes	Interim	Ireland, US	Yes	In progress	In process	In progress	In progress	In progress
Uganda	Yes	Interim	US	Yes	Planned	Yes	In progress	In progress	-
Zambia	Yes	Yes	UK	Yes	In progress	Planned	in progress	-	-
Zimbabwe	Yes	Yes	Switzerlan d	Yes	-	-	-	-	
TOTAL	17	5	13	19	13	15	12	4	6

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Today's Workshop

- Presenting and sharing progress, discussing challenges,
- Sharing across countries and sectors
- Empowerment for action
- Stake-holders align and coordinate support in response to country plans
- Agree on future steps