

SUN Movement Lead Group members play key roles in accelerating both institutional and policy change and unlock solutions to advance nutrition progress in SUN countries. The actions of Lead Group members should inspire the wider Movement, to realize the transformation needed to improve nutrition. This Lead Group meeting on 21st September 2022 is the first in-person meeting since 2019, and will be the first meeting with the new Chair, Ms. Catherine Russell, UNICEF Executive Director.

The upcoming meeting will focus on giving the new Lead Group members an opportunity to interact and provide strategic guidance to the SUN Movement against the background of the global food and nutrition crisis, COVID-19 response and recovery, climate shocks and humanitarian crises.

### Making a commitment for the SUN Movement

Lead Group members are encouraged to articulate a personal or institutional commitment to support the SUN Movement and its member countries. Lead Group members can choose to share their commitments during the meeting on 21 September<sup>1</sup> or work with the SUN Movement Secretariat to finalize their commitments afterwards.

#### Guidance: Forming and articulating 2022 commitments

Lead Group member commitments should be SMART (specific, measurable, achievable, realistic and timebound) and outline how individual members will support the Movement during its third phase (SUN 3.0); how they support improved nutrition outcomes at national, regional and global levels; and help bring about the systemic changes needed to end all forms of malnutrition in SUN Movement countries and beyond.

Examples could be related to driving change within your institutions and leveraging networks and spheres of influence in support of specific nutrition outcomes or multistakeholder participation.

The key question for Lead Group members to form these commitments is as follows: *What do you commit to do additionally, and differently, to support SUN member countries eliminate all forms of malnutrition in a systemic, durable and sustainable way in 2022-2024, as a Lead Group member?*

Once finalised, the SUN Movement Secretariat and relevant colleagues across the SUN Networks will work closely with each Lead Group member and their teams to identify the opportunities and tools that will help to achieve and amplify these commitments.

### Next steps and timelines

**By 9 September:** Your team should confirm if you are intending to announce a commitment at the Lead Group meeting on 21 September 2022.

**By 16 September:** Please share your commitment with the SUN Movement Secretariat.

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<sup>1</sup> There will be a space to present commitments at the Lead Group meeting on 21 September under agenda item 4. Identifying contributions of SUN Movement Lead Group members. Commitments