

MOH/UNDP/GEF CCH Climate Change-Health Project



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About the Project

Title: **Integrating climate change into the management of priority health risks in Ghana**

Project objective: To identify, implement, monitor, and evaluate adaptations to reduce current and likely future burdens of malaria, diarrheal diseases, meningococcal meningitis, and other opportune diseases in Ghana

Pilot Districts: Bongo(UER), Keta(VR) & Gomoa West(CR)

Implementing Partner:

Ministry of Health

Implementing Entity/Responsible Partners: UNDP

Funding Partner:



GEF



Project Principles

- **Learning** through delivery – Hallmark of the project
- District led and driven –
 - Districts shall be assisted to be responsible for identifying, planning, implementing their project activities
 - Pilot districts will be responsible for lessons & best practices capture-feeding into overall national strategy development
 - Focus on capacity building at institutional and community level
- Results-oriented adaptation measures from pilot districts shall be integrated with HSPOW – institutionalization and sustainability
- Set a cross-sectoral coordinating mechanism to drive local and national climate resilient health response strategy

Project Outcomes

Project Outcome 1(Capacity Enhancement): Improved national and local health technical sector capacity to plan for and manage climate change related alterations in the geographic range and/or incidence of climate-sensitive health outcomes, including malaria, diarrhoeal diseases and meningococcal meningitis

Project Outcome 2(Policy Mainstreaming): Mechanisms established for cross-sectoral coordination to support climate change-resilient health policy formulation and implementation at national and local policy-making levels.

Project Outcome 3(Knowledge Management): ‘Lessons learned’ collected and knowledge management components established

Key Partners

- MOH & GHS to drive implementation
- GEF, UNDP, DANIDA, DFID- funding and technical advisory
- Regional and District Health Services- planning, implementation, supervision, & reporting
- Community structures- surveillance and early warning reporting
- WHO- technical backstopping
- Health Research Units- data collection and analysis and mgt

Project Management & Coordination

- MoH responsible for execution
- Project Management Committee- as focal point for day to day management decision making and implementation
- Project Steering Committee
 - High level guidance
 - Review and approve POW and budgets
 - Review quarterly and annual reports
- Project Management Unit - responsible for day to day project activity implementation

Management & Coordination @ Pilot Sites

- DHMT

- Identify, develop, implement and evaluate district plans
- Report, communicate lessons and input into strategies development
- Become the focal drivers of project deliverables

- Regional Support

- Project supervision
- Technical Support
- Monitor progress and report
- Be a functional intermediary between the project office and the DMT



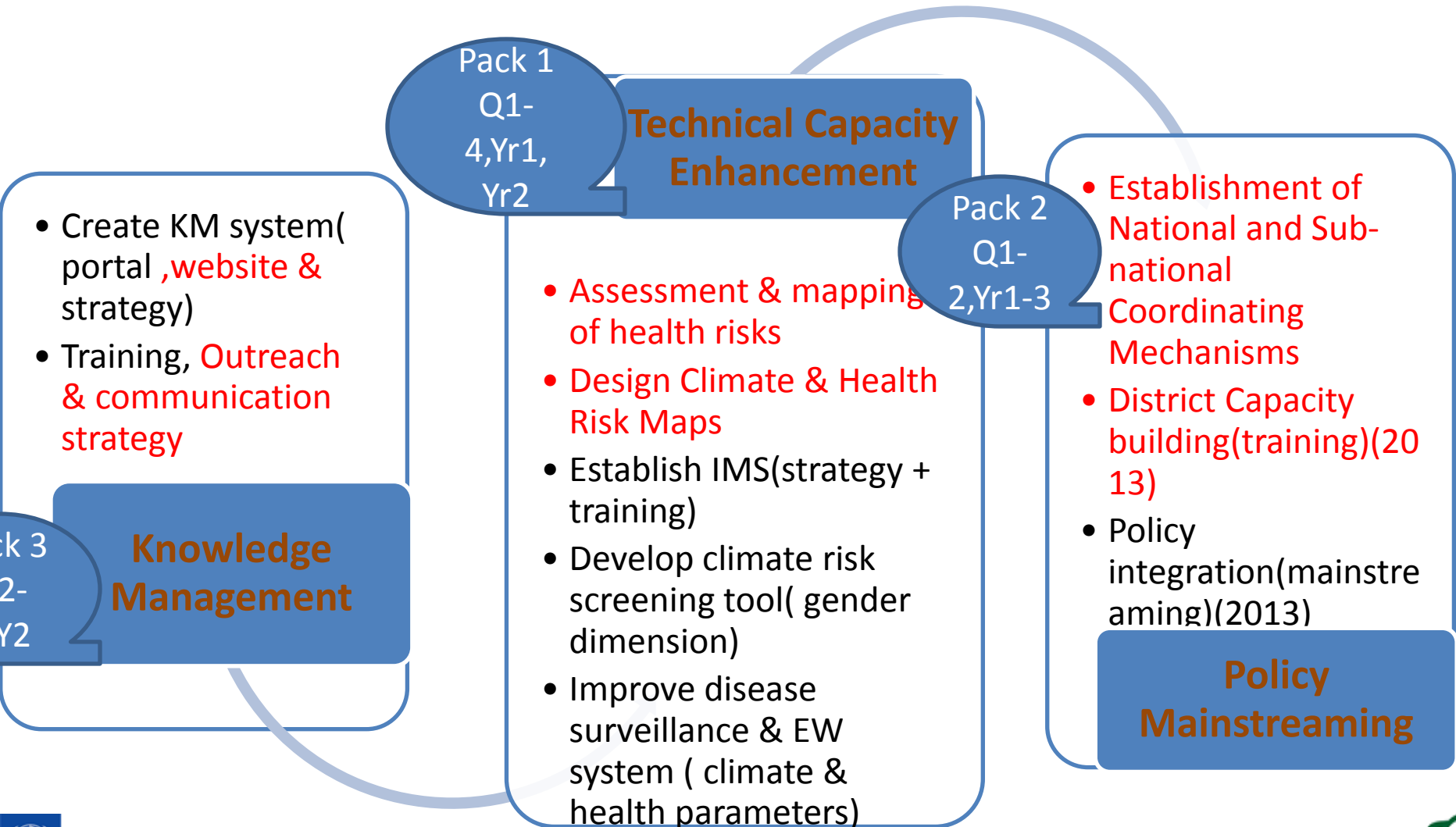
Activities initiated

- Project management unit established
- Setting up a governance structure @ the regional and district levels
- Assessing the capacity levels of pilot sites
- 2012 Work plan and budget approved by MOH, UNDP & GEF
- Activated 7 consultancy assignments



Project Delivery Strategy

Outputs Pack delivery



Consultancy Assignments

Focus Area

1. Capacity Assessment & Development
2. Cross sectoral Coordinating Mechanism
3. Indicator Development
4. Climate Information Assessment (baseline)
5. Risks Maps Development
6. Communication Strategy Development
7. Website Development

Results Targets

- **strengthening technical capacities of health sector workers** to manage climate change-related health risks
- **mainstreaming climate change health risks** into decision-making at local and national health policy levels
- **strengthening the climate change-health risk knowledge base** by managing information and effectively disseminating it
- **Institutional architecture and capacity will be developed** for enhancing Ghana's management of priority climate change-health issues



Thank you

Questions?