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|  | Orientation of FP Champions on above three documents  |   |   |   | X | MOHSW         | Pre-tested and orientation done to 153 FP champions (25 were MPS)<br>200 Regional and District level champions   | Futures Group International   |
|  | RH advocacy meeting with members of parliament, and district leaders  | X | X |   |   | POPC<br>MOHSW | Two RH and FP Advocacy workshop (s) organized for MPs.<br><br>One RH and FP Advocacy workshop (s) organized for Regional and district commissioners and she has. | Futures Group Engender Health AT                                    |
|  | Conduct advocacy on adolescent health and development to policy / decision makers at regional and district levels | X | X | X | X | MOHSW         | Number of advocacy meetings conducted  | FHI/UJANA<br>UNJP2<br>TGPSH<br>UMATI<br>MST<br>AMREF<br>WAMA<br>DSW |
|  | Conduct training for media on advocacy for MNCH including family planning   |   |   |   |   | MOHSW         | The training conducted as planned  | Futures Group International<br>Engender Health<br>MST<br>UMATI      |
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**Objective 1.2. To strengthen linkages and strategic partnerships with other international, regional and national institutions and civil society organizations to create synergies, avoid duplication and maximize available resources in furtherance of the implementation of agreements (ICPD, MDGs, Maputo PoA, etc).**

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| SA 1.2.2 Hold regular coordination meetings | Formulate national Family Planning technical working group which will spearhead the process of repositioning FP in Tanzania |   |   |   | X | MOHSW                    | FP technical group was formulate (Gov and partners) | -                                     |
|   | Inclusion of Family Planning in Global fund Round 10 particularly for FP commodities and CBD revival                        |   |   |   | X | MOHSW                    | Application submitted                               | WHO<br>NACP<br>UNFPA<br>CDC<br>UNICEF |
|   | Convene monthly meeting of the national FP technical working group  | X | X | X | X | MOHSW, POPC and partners | Monthly meeting conducted as planned                | Pathfinder, FHI                       |
|   | Establish and operationalize FP/ HIV working group  | X |   |   |   | MOHSW                    | FP Technical Working Group established with TOR     | FHI                                   |
|   | Convene quarterly meeting of the national FP/HIV working group  | X | X | X | X | MOHSW                    | Meeting were held on quarterly bases                | FHI                                   |
|   | Hold contraceptive security meeting on quarterly basis  | X | X | X | X | MOHSW                    | Meeting were held as planned                        | JSI                                   |
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|   | Convene monthly MNCH technical working group- reports to Technical Committee SWAP   | X | X | X | X | MOHSW | Meetings held as planned   | WHO<br>UNFPA<br>UNICEF<br>TGPSH<br>USAID            |
| SA 1.2.3: Strengthening internal and external communication mechanisms (e.g. News letters, website)<br><br>SA 1.2.5. Engage with cultural and traditional institutions to address socio-cultural barriers that impede SRHR (e.g. SGBV, FGM/C) | Review and finalize FP training material  | X | X | X |   | MOHSW | Module I, II & III were finalized  | FHI,<br>Engender<br>Health &<br>PSI                 |
|   | Technical Working Group on advocacy and BCC   | X | X |   |   | MOHSW | FP posters 24000 pcs, FP leaf lets (all methods) 30,000, (specific method) 36,000, T-shirts 5000 and Caps 2500 | DMT under<br>WHO<br><br>UNJP2                       |
|   | Preparation for launching and roll-out of Maternal and New born Campaign            |   | X | X |   | MOHSW | Preparation for the campaign launching is going on well  | UNICEF  |
|   | Develop messages and materials on FP in Radio, TV, Newspapers – Articles in session |   | X |   |   | MOHSW | Messages and materials on FP in Radio, TV, Newspapers – Articles in session were developed                     | UN Joint<br>Program                                 |
|   | Introduce and operationalize mobile reproductive health services                    |   |   |   | X | MOHSW | The process of Introducing and operationalizing mobile reproductive health services is going on well           | FHI   |
|   | Develop Maternal Newborn and Child Health Communication Strategy with FP components |   |   |   | X | MOHSW | Maternal Newborn and Child Health Communication Strategy with FP components developed                          | UNJP2   |
|   | Developed messages and materials on male involvement in SRH/FP , GBV, FGM,          |   | X |   |   | MOHSW | Messages on male involvement in SRH/FP and GBV, FGM  | MEWATA<br>Engender<br>Health –<br>Champion<br>AFNET |

| <b>STRATEGIC FOCUS 2: Programme Development and Expansion</b>   |  |   |   |   |   |             |   |                                      |
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| <b>Objective 2.1. To enhance capacity of partner organizations to offer integrated SRHR programmes</b>  |  |   |   |   |   |             |   |                                      |
| <b>SA2.1.1:</b> Share good practices and information<br><br><b>SA2.1.2:</b> Formulate an annual WORK PLAN and monitor and evaluate EARHN activities   | Site visit for preparation of FP/HIV intergartion in Iringa and Morogoro regions   | X |   |   |   | MOHSW       | 12 facilities were visited in Iringa (6) na Morogoro (6)  | FHI support                          |
|   | Developed and Launched the National Family Planning Costed Implementation Plan   |   | X | X |   | MOHSW       | The participants were the RMOs , DMOs and FP stakeholders and other Ministries                        | FHI support                          |
|   | Develop GBV management Guidelines  |   |   | X |   | MOHSW       | Draft National Guideline on GBV in place  | FUTURES<br>ECSA-HC<br>MEWATA         |
|   | Monitor contraceptive procurement and distribution pipeline  | X | X | X | X | MOHSW       | Procurement and distribution of contraceptives monitored  | JSI                                  |
|   | Conduct follow up of service providers trained in family planning  | X |   |   |   | MOHSW       | Number of Service providers supervised  | USAID-Engender Health                |
| <b>Objective 2.2 To facilitate the strengthening of health systems, in particular with regard to provision of RH supplies and their procurement and distribution</b>  |  |   |   |   |   |             |   |                                      |
| <b>SA2.2.1:</b> Facilitate information sharing among mem ber and collaborating countries on RH supplies (provision, procurement, distribution)<br><br><b>SA2.2.2:</b> Documentation and dissemination of good practices | Participated in International Coalition members meeting on Contraceptive security  |   |   |   | X | MOHSW       | Consensus on ensuring FP commodity security in the country strengthened                               | JSI                                  |
|   | Procurement and distribution of contraceptives: Injectables Depo provera, Implants- Implanon, Oral pills, Microval, Microgynon and Lofemenal | X | X | X | X | MOHSW & MSD | Amount of Contraceptives procured and distributed   | Govt. & Partners( USAID, UNFPA, KFW) |
|   | Develop National Package of Essential FP Interventions in Council Health Plans   |   | X |   | X | MOHSW       | Draft National Package of Essential FP Interventions in Council Health Plans Developed and pre-tested | USAID through EngenderH ealth ATP    |

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|              | Participated in Fostering Change in Health to Scale- up Best Practices in RH/FP<br>- National ARH Technical Working Group in informed and in the process of organizing an orientation workshop |  |   |   | X | MOHSW | A Plan of Action on IBP on SRH/FP in place   | WHO<br>ECSA-HC |
|              | Strengthen HIMS and M& E on MNCH including FP  |  | X | X | X | MOHSW | Disaggregated tools on HIMS and M&E in place | UNJP2          |
| <b>Total</b> |  |  |   |   |   |       |  |                |

# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON TANZANIA COUNTRY REPORT

## ON REPOSITIONING OF FAMILY PLANNING

**2010 Statistics:** Population = 41.9 millions; IMR = 51 / 1,000 live birth; CMR = 81 / 1,000 live birth; TFR = 5.4 per WRA; CPR = 27.4%;

Since November 2008 the President's Office Planning Commission, MOHSW in collaboration partners of development has reached several audiences, including:

- (i) The Directors and Senior Policy and Planning Officers from all sectoral ministries of the Government of Tanzania
- (ii) The Budget, Planning and Health Officers as well as their respective regional secretariats in 6 regions and their 34 districts of Tanzania Mainland
- (iii) Members of Parliament (members of the Tanzania Parliamentary Association on Population and Development – TPAPD)
- (iv) The Supreme Clerical Council of Muslims in Tanzania (the Ulamaa)
- (v) The Council of Bishops under the Christian Council of Tanzania (CCT) and
- (vi) Media houses through the Association of Journalists Against AIDS in Tanzania (AJAAT).

### Some Achievements

- (a) Issuance of an Official Statement in Support of Family Planning by the CCT Council of Bishops
- (b) Issuance of an Official Statement (Fatwa) in Support of Family Planning by the Ulamaa
- (c) Placing of some population variables (e.g growth and fertility) targets and indicators in the new MKUKUTA II (Country's Poverty Reduction Strategy Paper 2010 - 2015).

The project has also used the **FP/MDG Analysis**, which shows the Cost-Benefit Analysis of how meeting the family planning unmet need could progressively reduce the cost of meeting the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs).

This analysis Family of Planning Contribution to Achieving Millennium Development Goals has been used during (i) The final reviews of MKUKUTA II (PRSP) 2010 – 2015 (ii) Presented to the ECSA Health Ministers Conference in February 2010 in Kampala; where also it made part of the Tanzania Minister for Health and Social Welfare presentation as he talked about the process and justification for his ministry developing the NFP CIP.

### Some Planned Advocacy Activities in the Coming Year

- (a) Production of Documentary on Population, Reproductive Health and Development

- (b) Disseminating the population and fertility targets in the new MKUKUTA II for policy response
- c) Profiling of Family Planning significance for national development in the coming Budget Guidelines document
- (d) Creation of appropriate targets and line items for Family Planning in the MoHSW budget.

### **Challenges**

The following challenges are obstacles to the governments' efforts:

- i. Inadequate fund for procurement of contraceptive supplies despite the fact that government has increased its contribution to contraceptive procurement
- ii. Inadequate resources for effective implementation of FP activities at central level including Coordination at all levels, capacity building and service provision
- iii. Inadequate awareness among community members especially rural communities on the importance of utilizing the existing FP services, resulting to high unmet needs
- iv. Outdated knowledge and skills among frontline FP service providers/inadequate technical know-how on contraceptive technology, and on HIV/AIDS
- v. Inadequate fund for strengthening FP data management at all levels including for coordinating and building the capacity of data collectors and data managers
- vi. Verticalism in service provision that results to lack of expected integration of services, particularly integration of FP with post abortion, postnatal, and HIV prevention services.
- vii. Inadequate involvement of community members in planning for FP services and participation in implementation, monitoring and evaluating the services