Welcome to the Polio Partners Group Meeting
28 April 2021 from 15:00-17:30 CET

As you join the meeting

• Please ensure you are muted unless speaking to avoid background noise

• So that we know who is who, please make sure your name follows the ‘ORGANIZATION / FIRST NAME LAST NAME’ naming convention.
  o To change your name, click on the “Participants” button at the top of the Zoom window.
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During the meeting

• Use the chat feature to ask questions and communicate with your fellow participants. You can make your questions “to everyone” or send them privately to the Moderator.

• Use the raise your hand button, if you’d like to ask a question
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  o At the bottom of the window on the right side of the screen, click the button labelled “Raise hand”
  o If you want to lower your hand, lower it by clicking on the same button, now labelled “Lower hand”
15:00 – 15:10: Welcome and introductory remarks (PPG Co-Chairs) – 10 minutes
15:10 – 15:30: Update on key Polio Oversight Board decisions (Michael McGovern) – 20 minutes
15:30 – 16:10: Discussion – 40 minutes
16:10 – 16:20: Health break – 10 minutes
16:20 – 16:40: Programmatic and strategic updates (Aidan O’Leary) – 20 minutes
16:40 – 16:50: Programmatic and strategic updates (Sir Liam Donaldson) – 10 minutes
16:50 – 17:20: Discussion – 30 minutes
17:20 – 17:30: Closure of meeting (PPG Co-Chairs) – 10 minutes
Presentations
Strategy Revision due to Program Setbacks

• **Comprehensive process** began in July 2020

• **300+ stakeholders** (GPEI reps, donors, polio-affected countries, technical advisors, external stakeholder panel, etc.)

• **Eight working groups**
Polio Eradication Strategy 2022-2026
Shifts in new strategy

• Re-establish polio eradication as a public health emergency

• Hold governments, agencies and global partners accountable for progress

• Improve community engagement by addressing their needs and including their voices, and capabilities

• Balance capacity and decision-making between HQ and regional and country teams
GOAL 1: Permanently interrupt all poliovirus in endemic countries

GOAL 2: Stop cVPDV transmission, prevent outbreaks in polio-free regions

5 Strategic Objectives

- Political advocacy to increase government ownership
- Community engagement to drive demand for vaccination
- Improve polio immunization campaigns to increase quality
- Integrate with other health programs to reach more children
- Expand surveillance for polio and other vaccine preventable disease
### TIMELINE: Goals 1 & 2

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Budget requirements 2022-2026

Estimated cost: US$5.3 billion
Main cost drivers:
• surveillance
• outbreak response and preventive campaigns
• integrated health services
• vaccine supply
• staffing
Other Major Developments

Governance Review:
• Donor representation on Polio Oversight Board, Financial Accountability Committee, Strategy Committee
• Increased engagement of the Polio Oversight Board
• Focus on Integration

Management Review:
• Reorganization of the GPEI structure
• Monitoring and Evaluation Framework, including key performance indicators, to monitor progress
• Increased focus on countries and regions
GPEI Management Structure

Strategic Leadership
Develop and adapt GPEI’s strategy while ensuring the availability of sufficient programmatic resources, oversight, and accountability to achieve and sustain polio eradication.

Global Program Support
Provide strategic, financial, and operational guidance and resources for implementation and in support of Regional Operations activities.

Regional Operations
Support country-led eradication activities while holding countries accountable for progress against eradication targets.

Financial Accountability Committee (FAC)
- Finance
- Surveillance
- Containment
- Polio Research
- Vaccine Supply
- Resource Mobilization
- Global Communications
- Political Advocacy

Polio Oversight Board (POB)

Strategy Committee (SC)

Executive Management Unit (EMU)

Global Advisory & Consultative Support
Provide independent external feedback & technical support on key strategic issues.

- Independent Monitoring Board
- mOPV2 Advisory Group
- SAGE Policy Working Group
- Global Certification Commission
- Polio Partners Group
Thank you!