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32nd SMERG Meeting – CRSPC Roles

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- The purpose of the Country/Regional Support Partner Committee (CRSPC) is to provide a platform to engage the RBM Partnership community **in coordinating support to countries and regions** as they execute their malaria control and elimination implementation programs.
- The decision of the most appropriate level of support will be through a **triage** mechanism.
 - *It is not intended that any RBM country/regional support will compete with or duplicate existing mechanisms that are already in place and working effectively.*
 - *Where capacity exists at country level, the support will be provided at that level.*
 - *Where there are gaps in capacity at country level to address a technical or implementation area, coordinated support will be provided at a regional level, and then from global level.*

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- **Country/Regional Technical Strategies and Implementation Plans:**
coordinate support for the development and validation of technically sound, implementable, country-led malaria control and elimination strategies, and sustained financial plans that seek to achieve the *GTS* targets
 - ✓ Support countries in collaboration with WHO in conducting Malaria Programme Reviews and in developing national malaria strategic plans.
 - ✓ Countries integrate/adopt new tools, new approaches, best practices etc into their NSP during this process.
 - ✓ *Opportunity for SMERG – to synchronize the time of dissemination of its works especially country specific ones during NSP revisions.*

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- **Country level resource access and mobilisation:** co-ordinate and provide technical assistance and implementation support to countries to:
 - Complete comprehensive programmatic and **financial gap analyses**.
 - Develop **funding proposals** (including Global Fund Concept Notes) and other investment requests, including exploring flexibilities within existing major donors, increasing public and private domestic resource commitments, and expanding innovative financing approaches.
 - **Foster country coalitions**, as appropriate, to focus on key malaria issues within each country and region.
 - ✓ *Sub-regional malaria initiatives (SaME, ECCAS, GLMI, E8)*
 - **Co-ordinate** between country, regional, and global-level donors to enhance understanding and collaboration, jointly resolve key bottlenecks, and work to fill funding gaps
 - ✓ RBM Global Malaria Dashboard
- ✓ *Opportunity for SMERG – to synchronize the time of dissemination of its works during GF funding request development.*

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- **Implementation support:** working with regional entities, co-ordinate the operation of an early warning system that **identifies bottlenecks** both proactively and reactively and implement a rapid response mechanism to support countries to overcome these implementation bottlenecks.
 - ✓ Implementation Support including support in planning ITNs distribution campaigns, SBC, ZMSWM, HBHI, SMC, and other bottlenecks.
 - ✓ Mitigate the impact of COVID-19 on malaria interventions – *CRSPC tracker*
- **Convene Annual sub-regional meetings** with NMCP managers, and other key malaria staff, International and local partners:
 - ✓ conduct peer review of the status of implementation of national malaria programs, identify major implementation bottleneck/challenges and the solutions adopted, and share best experiences and practices.
 - ✓ Provide updates on the Global Malaria strategies, tools and perspectives
- *Opportunity for SMERG – to dissemination its works during these meetings.*