

Agenda - Integrated Workshop on Data Collection, Reporting, and Utilization for Preventive Chemotherapy NTDs

Day 1: Strengthening Data Collection and Integration

Coordinators: Dyesse Yumba (ESPEN) & Vicent Manyilizu (inSupply Health)

Objective: Enhance national capacities in PC-NTD data collection by improving standardization, integration with national health systems, and ensuring data completeness, accuracy and national ownership of collected data.

Time	Agenda Item	Facilitator(s)
8:30 - 09:00	Registration	ESPEN Admin team
09:00 - 09:20	PRSEAH & Security Briefing	HR Staff
09:20 - 09:45	Opening remarks	Dr Akpaka A Kalu DPC Cluster Leadership
09:45 - 10:00	Workshop Objectives & Expectations	Honorat M Zouré
10:00 - 10:30	Group photo	
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee break	
11:00-11:30	Data Collection in NTD Programming: Tools and Operational Challenges	Vicent Manyilizu
11:30-12:10	Integrating NTD Medicine Data into National Systems: The Tanzania Experience	Tanzania NTD team
	Leveraging Multiple Data Collection Tools for NTD Programming: Survey and Supply Chain Insights from Benin	Benin NTD team
12:10 -12:40	Group work: Key data elements that need to be put into national health and logistics systems for NTDs	Alex Pavluck & Dauda Nurudeen
12:40 -13:00	Plenary Discussion: Prioritizing NTD Data Elements for Integration into National HMIS and LMIS	Vicent Manyilizu
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch break	
14:00 - 14:30	Overview of ESPEN Collect and Available Support Services	Dyesse Yumba
	ESPEN Collect: Data Visualization and Cleaning Workflow	Dyesse Yumba
14:30 - 15:30	Breakout Groups – The Future of ESPEN Collect: Integration, Pain Points, and Governance	Alex Pavluck
15:30 - 16:00	Plenary Session: Sharing and Reflection on ESPEN Collect Breakout Outcomes	Alex Pavluck
16:00 - 16:30	Coffee break	
16:30 - 17:00	Preview Day 2 - Preparations for Day 2 (data, contents, etc)	Honorat M Zouré & Namuchile Kaonga

Day 2: Enhancing Data Reporting, Quality Assurance and Population Denominators

Coordinators: Honorat M Zouré (ESPEN) & Namuchile Kaonga (ESPEN)

Objective: Improve the accuracy, completeness, and timeliness of PC-NTD data by strengthening validation and reporting mechanisms, with a focus on the JAP system and ensuring consistency in population denominators and administrative boundaries for effective planning.

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8:30 - 09:00	Wrap Up Day 1	Coordinators Day 1
09:00 - 9:30	Common Challenges in Completing the JAP – JRF and JRSM	Honorat M Zouré & Namuchile Kaonga
09:30 - 9:50	Country Presentation – Guinea: Improving Timeliness in JAP Submission	Guinea NTD team / Diane Ehoumi
9:50 - 10:10	Country Presentation – Sierra Leone: Strengthening JAP Submission Through Stakeholder Engagement	Sierra Leone NTD team / Sylvia Swai
10:10 - 10:30	Plenary Discussion	
10:30 - 11:00	<i>Coffee break</i>	
11:00 -11:30	Step-by-Step Guide to Completing the JRSM and JRF	Honorat M Zouré & Namuchile Kaonga
11:30 -13:00	Country Breakout Exercise: Completing the JRF Using a Sample Treatment Dataset	Honorat M Zouré & Namuchile Kaonga
13:00 - 14:00	<i>Lunch break</i>	
14:00 - 15:00	Practical Session: Medicine Reconciliation for NTD Programs	Namuchile Kaonga & Diane Ehoumi
15:00 - 16:00	Plenary Discussion: Feasibility of JAP Digitization	Penny Smith
16:00 - 16:30	<i>Coffee break</i>	
16:30 - 17:00	Preview Day 3 - Preparations for Day 3 (data, contents, etc)	Julia Dunn

Day 3: Data Utilization for Programmatic Decision-Making I – Foundations of Data Use

Coordinators: Jorge Cano (ESPEN), Julia Dunn (CHAI) & Katie Shanahan (JSI)

Objective: Establish a strong foundation in data-driven decision-making for NTD programs, assessing the usability of existing tools, and exploring how data can inform strategic planning, resource allocation, and impact measurement.

Time	Agenda Item	Presenter(s)
8:30 - 09:00	Wrap Up Day 2	Coordinators Day 2
09:00 - 09:15	The Importance of Data-Driven Decision-Making in NTD Programmes: Highlighting real-life examples	Jorge Cano
09:15 - 10:00	Why Do We Collect and Use Data?: Linking data collection to programmatic goals and outcomes	Julia Dunn
10:00 - 10:30	Core Principles of Data-Driven Decision-Making for NTD Programmes	Katie Shanahan
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee break	
11:00 - 11:45	Country Case Studies: Applying Data to Real-World Programme Decisions	Kenya - STH/SCH Nigeria Kano - MDA Senegal
11:45 - 12:30	Panel Discussion: Insights and Reflections on Data Use in Country Contexts	Moderator: Julia Dunn
12:30 - 13:00	Navigating the ESPEN Portal: Dashboards, Maps, and Analytical Resources	Jorge Cano
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch break	
14:00 - 15:30	Hands-On Practical Session: Developing a Brief Country Report Using ESPEN Portal Resources	1) Epi and MDA - Julia Dunn and Jorge Cano 2) Supply Chain - Katie Shanahan and Gurmeet Philora
15:30 - 16:00	Group Discussion: Feedback on Tools Used—Strengths, Limitations, and Opportunities	Julia Dunn & Katie Shanahan
16:00 - 16:30	Coffee break	
16:30 - 17:00	Preview of Day 4: Preparation and Overview of Required Data and Materials	Katie Shanahan

Day 4: Data Utilization for Programmatic Decision-Making II – Advanced Applications and Strategic Planning

Coordinators: Jorge Cano (ESPEN), Julia Dunn (CHAI) & Katie Shanahan (JSI)

Objective: Strengthen the practical application of data for strategic planning, intervention targeting, and performance tracking, ensuring that NTD programs maximize the use of available data for program effectiveness.

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8:30 - 09:00	Wrap Up Day 3	Coordinators Day 3
09:00 - 09:30	From Data to Action: Using Evidence to Refine Strategies and Future Planning	Julia Dunn
09:30 - 10:30	Country Case Studies: Data-Driven Strategic Planning	Madagascar, Tanzania (Mainland) & Tanzania (Zanzibar) NTD representatives
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee break	
11:00 - 12:00	ESPEN GenAI Assistant: AI Assistant for NTD Programs	Namrata Tomar
12:00 - 13:00	Deep Dive: Strategic Use of Data for Programme Scenarios and Prioritization	Katie Shanahan
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch break	
14:00 - 15:00	Practical Session: Scenario-Based Planning and Decision Support (Part I)	1) Epi and MDA - Julia Dunn and Jorge Cano 2) Supply Chain - Katie Shanahan and Gurmeet Philora
15:00 - 16:00	Practical Session: Scenario-Based Planning and Decision Support (Part II)	
16:00 - 16:30	Coffee break	
16:30 - 17:00	Preview of Day 5: Preparation and Overview of Required Data and Materials	Namuchile Kaonga

Day 5: Strengthening Forecasting & Supply Chain Planning

Coordinators: Namuchile Kaonga (ESPEN), Sarah Andersson (JSI) & Sylvia Swai (inSupply Health)

Objective: Improve medicine demand forecasting, logistics planning, and MDA execution using real-time data.

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8:30 - 09:00	Wrap Up Day 4	Coordinators Day 4
09:00 - 09:15	Introduction to Forecasting: Why It Matters for NTD Programme Planning and the JRSM	Gurmeet Philora & Namuchile Kaonga
09:15 - 09:45	Country Case Presentations: Learning from Past Forecasts to Strengthen 2027 JRSM Submissions	Country teams Kenya and Madagascar (Supported by Sylvia Swai and Diane Ehoumi)
09:45 - 10:15	Q&A	
10:15 - 10:30	Forecasting Tools, Methodology, and Assumptions: Building Reliable Multi-Year Estimates	Gurmeet Philora
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee break	
11:00 - 12:00	Practical Session: Applying Forecasting Assumptions Using Dummy Data	Facilitated by Katie, Gurmeet, Namu, Sylvia, Diane, and Vicent
12:00 - 12:45	Group Presentations and Peer Feedback on Forecasting Outputs	Moderator: Namuchile Kaonga
12:45 - 13:00	Next Steps for Forecast Validation and Planning	Sylvia Swai & Namuchile Kaonga
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch break	
14:00 - 15:00	Medicines Transfer Tool: Review the tool and gather feedback	Penny Smith
15:00 - 15:30	Reflections and Way Forward: Wrap Up Data Workshop	
15:30 - 16:00	Closure	Dr. Elizabeth Juma (ESPEN Team Lead)
16:00 - 16:30	Coffee break	