Jhpiego Commitment

Narrative:



For 50 years, Jhpiego has been at the forefront of expanding method choice across the world. We are committed to a future that allows all individuals, no matter their age and/or where they live, to make informed and voluntary decisions on the use of modern contraception. Across the decades, we have led pioneering work in permanent and long-acting reversible contraception, including testing and advocating for task-sharing/shifting, and smart advocacy to accelerate FP policy and program objectives. Our resolve to increase access continues, taking services closer to where women live, even at home. Our technical expertise and strong relationships with governments position us to collaboratively advance FP2030 goals and further progress towards the global goal of zero unmet contraceptive need among all persons, including adolescents and young people. Jhpiego commits to:

- 1. Contribute to expanding method choice by supporting the introduction and scale-up of new and underutilized contraceptive methods across Southeast Asia and sub-Saharan Africa
 - a. Strengthen country capacity to accelerate the scale-up of DMPA-SC self-injection in 8 francophone West African countries and support the introduction and rollout of this method in Pakistan
 - b. Continue to expand contraceptive choice through accelerated scale-up of implants in multiple countries
 - c. Support the introduction and scale up voluntary use of hormonal IUD in Nigeria, Rwanda and other countries
 - d. Support countries to systemically address sociocultural and gender barriers to provision and uptake of LARCs
 - Support local organizations in Kenya and Rwanda to explore digital prompts or sociocultural cues to support improved transition from lactational amenorrhea method (LAM) to other modern methods beyond the LAM period
 - Seek and pursue funding to introduce and scale up other new or underutilized methods

Measures of success:

- Number of countries with national DMPA-SC self-injection policies, which include gender considerations
- Number of countries with hormonal IUD introduction plans, which include gender considerations
- Number of countries where Jhpiego promotes the use of digital fertility awareness apps
- Number of countries with efforts to encourage the use of LAM
- 2. Support countries to accelerate implementation at scale of quality integrated service delivery between FP and other health areas

- a. Strengthen country capacity to scale up integrated and quality service delivery high impact practices, including postpartum family planning (PPFP); postabortion family planning (PAFP); FP integration with maternal, infant and young child nutrition, and immunization
- b. Promote rights-based approach to safe conception and voluntary contraception counseling within HIV programs

Measures of success:

- Number of countries increasing the proportion of postpartum women who initiate FP
- Number of countries increasing the proportion of women receiving postabortion care who initiate FP
- Number of countries implementing safe conception and voluntary contraception counseling within HIV programs
- 3. Advance voluntary contraceptive use through sustainable innovative modalities and new service delivery formats, with focus on adolescents and youth, social inclusion, and gender equality
 - a. Strengthen the quality of FP care for young people, people with disability and other marginalized populations
 - b. Incorporate user insights, including from young people, to provide client-centered contraceptive and FP services (e.g. adjusting models of care to facilitate self-care and digitally-enabled care)
 - c. Advance digital health and frontier solutions (artificial intelligence and machine learning) to expand access to voluntary quality contraceptive and FP services
 - d. Strengthen the capacity of youth-led organizations to advocate for gender transformative programming in FP, remove demand-side barriers and provide voluntary quality contraceptive services to young people
 - e. Strengthen the capacity of local governments in East Africa to implement at scale, evidence-based solutions for self-reliance to expand access to gender-sensitive contraceptive and FP services to young people in urban health systems with a focus on the urban poor

Measures of success:

- Number of Jhpiego countries that incorporate gender-sensitive, client-centered approach to FP counseling.
- Number of countries that use digital health and frontier solutions for contraceptive and FP counseling and service provision
- Number of countries that have youth-led organizations that advocate for and/or implement gender-transformative FP programming
- Number of local governments in cities in East Africa that are self-reliant in providing contraceptive and FP services to young people.
- 4. Promote new opportunities for market solutions for contraceptive and FP services

- a. Advance sustainable private sector engagement and market shaping to expand voluntary access to quality FP services
- b. Advocate and drive policy change for sustainable and productive public-private partnerships
- c. Offer insights and guidance for expanding method choice and gender-sensitive, client-centered counseling in private sector outlets

Measures of success:

- Number of countries implementing policy on sustainable public-private partnerships
- 5. Strengthen the capacity of countries to use FP data for action
 - a. Support countries to generate, manage and use clear and actionable data, including PPFP, for policy change
 - b. Strengthen the capacity of managers to drive evidence-based advocacy to strengthen FP, including PPFP, service quality and client experience

Measures of success:

- Number of countries reporting PPFP data
- Number of countries collecting client satisfaction data

Outcomes:

- Increased number of countries that have increased number of postpartum women who
 initiate FP
- 2. Increased number of countries that have additional contraceptive methods from whom clients can choose from.