ENDING CHILD HUNGER UNDERNUTRITION INITIATIVE

CONSULTATION

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DRAFT WORK PLAN FOR THE ECHUI PARTNERSHIP - 2007 & 2008		
GOAL	Dramatically reduce child hunger and undernutrition within a generation.	
EXPECTED OUTCOME 1:	Increased awareness of hunger and undernutrition and understanding of potential solutions.	
EXPECTED RESULT (OUTPUT) 1.1:	Increased flow of information to policy and programme decision-makers at all levels.	
ACTIVITIES	TIME FRAME	ANTICIPATED PARTNERS
Review institutional learning and technical support mechanisms related or potentially related to hunger and undernutrition in three regions; initiate process in other regions.	Q3, Q4 2007	Regional institutions/IGOs/networks; UNDP (South-South and Technical Collaboration and MDG Units) PACT, Inc.; INTRAC; Development Gateway; USAID; WFP; NGO coalitions; Rockefeller Foundation
Develop three regional strategies for technical support and sharing experience integrated with existing mechanisms; initiate the process in other regions.	Q4 2007 - Q4 2008	
Develop and disseminate evidence of potential and actual contributions made by MDG1 and hunger/nutrition interventions to achievement of the other MDGs, and vice versa.	Q3 2007- Q4 2008	World Bank; SCN; The Lancet; Universities; INGOs; private sector companies
Integrate child hunger and undernutrition focus in relevant publications.	Q1 2007- Q4 2008	UNICEF, World Bank, UNDP, WFP, WHO, FAO
Create web-based inventory of major advocacy initiatives.	Q1, Q2 2007	NGO coalitions
Align ECHUI clearly with all major relevant existing initiatives	2007	Partners Group members, SCN, NGO and civil society coalitions/alliances
Identify ECHUI 'champions' at the global level	2007	Communications, private sector and NGO divisions within WFP, UNICEF
Update and refine global costing methods.	2007	National Health Institute, Mexico; World Bank; USAID; Regional Development Banks
Establish tracking of resource needs and flows for addressing child hunger and undernutrition.	2007	OECD/DAC
EXPECTED RESULT (OUTPUT) 1.2:	Increased capacity in countries for nutrition-focused communication in support of family and community decision-making.	
ACTIVITIES	TIME FRAME	ANTICIPATED PARTNERS
Document and disseminate local preferred practices in communicating behaviour change.	2008	NGOs and NGO coalitions; UNCTs
Facilitate links between local organizations, partners and media.	Q3 2007- Q4 2008	NGO and civil society alliances; UNCTs



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EXPECTED RESULT (OUTPUT) 1.3:	Increased capacity in countries for generating public awareness of child hunger and undernutrition.		
ACTIVITIES	TIME FRAME	ANTICIPATED PARTNERS	
Mobilize support for national institutions to identify and evaulate successes.	Q3 2007- Q4 2008	INGOs and I/NGO networks; faith-based organizations; UNCTs	
Identify leading examples of civil society-based advocacy on ending child hunger.	Q3 2007- Q4 2008	UNCTs	
Mobilize technical and programme support for organizations seeking to intensify national advocacy on child hunger and undernutrition.	2008	Local media; national and regional private-sector companies; UNCTs	
Identify ECHUI 'champions' at the national and regional levels.	Q3 2007- Q4 2008	National/regional private-sector companies, media, universities, opinion leaders, UNCTs	



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EXPECTED OUTCOME 2:	Strengthened national policies and programmes affecting hunger and nutrition.	
EXPECTED RESULT (OUTPUT) 2.1:	Increased national and local capacity for analysis of country situations in support of policy formulation on child hunger and undernutrition.	
ACTIVITIES	TIME FRAME	ANTICIPATED PARTNERS
Identify national technical partners for policy research and analysis and comparative policy analysis in selected countries.	Q3, Q4 2007	Regional development banks; universities; IDS; Center for Global Development; IFPRI; World Bank; UNCTs
Mobilize support for national institutions undertaking policy research and analysis.	2008	Universities; IDS; Center for Global Development; IFPRI; World Bank; UNCTs; Regional Development Banks; CGIAR
Incorporate policy analysis and national priorities in relation to child hunger and undernutrition into 10-15 upcoming CCA exercises and related UNDAFs.	2007 & 2008	National alliances against hunger; UNCTs
Develop information framework in selected countries to support policy development and implementation.	2008	Regional development banks; regional institutions; national planning divisions; UNCTs
Mobilize support for national entities seeking to monitor and report on indicator(s) related to Target 2 of MDG1.	2008	UNCTs; UNICEF; WHO
Mobilize technical support for national institutions for country-level costing of interventions and tracking of required/deployed resources.	2008	World Bank; regional development banks; IFPRI; UNCTs, UNDP



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EXPECTED RESULT (OUTPUT) 2.2:	Appropriate prioritization of child hunger and undernutrition in national/sub-national development frameworks and budgets.	
ACTIVITIES	TIME FRAME	ANTICIPATED PARTNERS
Promote use of National Programming Framework as tool for country-based planning and prioritization in the context of Poverty Reduction Strategies, national development plans, state/municipal plans, etc.	2007 & 2008	Governments, NGOs, UNCTs/World Bank
Align United Nations country cooperation on child hunger and undernutrition during PRSP development in 5-10 countries; mid-term reviews in 5-10 countries.	2007 & 2008	Governments, UNCTs/World Bank, bilateral donors
Promote national and sub-national frameworks to end child hunger and undernutrition on the basis of the 'three ones' approach in 10-15 countries.	2008	Governments, NGOs, UNCTs/World Bank, bilateral donors
Initiate 'Hunger Fellows' programme involving 30 international fellows assigned to 10-15 countries.	2008	Governments, WFP, UNICEF, Kellogg Foundation



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EXPECTED OUTCOME 3:		apacities for community-level action on child undernutrition.
EXPECTED RESULT (OUTPUT) 3.1:	Increased community-level capacity to identify and monitor hungry, undernourished and vulnerable children.	
ACTIVITIES	TIME FRAME	ANTICIPATED PARTNERS
Assess and identify commodities required by families and children in priority communities.	Q3 2007- Q2 2008	FIVIMS; WHO; WFP (VAM); World Bank (Poverty Monitoring Database); FAO; UNEP (Poverty Mapping); CDC; NGOs; UNICEF
Develop online targeting and monitoring system in selected communities/countries.	2008	(Poverty Mapping), CDC, NGOS, UNICEP
Promote community assesssment/analysis/action (triple A) systems linked to child growth monitoring and promotion in 8-10 countries.	2008	National and local governments, national NGO networks
EXPECTED RESULT (OUTPUT) 3.2:		ocal capacity to deliver basic services and level capacity to support families and
ACTIVITIES	TIME FRAME	ANTICIPATED PARTNERS
Establish inventory of local outreach organizations and larger support entities in selected countries.	2008	Development Gateway; WHO (Service Availability Mapping)
Establish mechanisms to promote learning about community-level action on child hunger and undernutrition and disseminate preferred practices.	2008	NGOs; national programmes; local communication networks
Establish system for direct financial transfers from local organizations wishing to fund community outreach efforts and local organizations.	2008	People-to-People International



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EXPECTED OUTCOME 4:	Increased efficiency and accountability of global efforts to reduce child hunger and undernutrition.	
EXPECTED RESULT (OUTPUT) 4.1:	Periodic evaluation of the ECHUI partnership approach, mobilization of international support and complementarity with other initiatives.	
ACTIVITIES	TIME FRAME	ANTICIPATED PARTNERS
Finalize results framework for ECHUI.	Q1, Q2 2007	Partners Group
Work plan and results framework: progress review, strategic review and updating.	Q1, Q2 2008	Partners Group
Evaluate ECHUI's effectiveness on the basis of agreed results framework.	Q4 2008	Partners Group
Joint report to WFP and UNICEF Executive Boards and other stakeholders.	Q2 2008	WFP, UNICEF, SCN
EXPECTED RESULT (OUTPUT) 4.2:	Periodic evaluation of the effectiveness of programme interventions in achieving the hunger component of MDG1 (target 2).	
ACTIVITIES	TIME FRAME	ANTICIPATED PARTNERS
Identify partners for study and future impact assessment of ECHUI intervention strategies.	Q3, Q4 2007	SCN
Identify partners to design and undertake modelling of the impact of ECHUI-promoted interventions and the 'essential package' approach, and future impact evaluation.	Q3, Q4 2007	SCN
Produce updated global monitoring report (Progress for Children).	Q3 2007, Q4 2008	UNICEF/WFP with DHS, SCN
EXPECTED RESULT (OUTPUT) 4.3:	Improved capacity for identifying and monitoring hungry and undernourished children at the local, national and regional levels.	
ACTIVITIES	TIME FRAME	ANTICIPATED PARTNERS
Promote the review of information systems in selected countries and align, adjust, expand and scale up as necessary.	Q3 2007- Q4 2008	Governments, UNCTs
EXPECTED RESULT (OUTPUT) 4.4:	Increased community capacity for assessment and feedback on programme performance.	
ACTIVITIES	TIME FRAME	ANTICIPATED PARTNERS
Promote pilot community assessment and feedback systems in 3-5 countries.	2008	National, local governments, NGO networks, civil society

