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Reference	CSR 22/6/3
Title	An update to the CSR from the NDPHS Evaluation Team
Submitted by	Evaluation Team Chair
Summary / Note	Evaluation Team Chair will provide information on behalf of the NDPHS Evaluation Team
Requested action	For reference

An Update to the CSR

From the NDPHS
Evaluation Team

October 16th, 2013
Reykjavik



EVALUATION TEAM MEMBERS

- Chair: Germany
- Members
 - Finland
 - Latvia
 - Norway
 - Russian Federation
 - Expert Group Representatives included
 - NDPHS Secretariat

EVALUATION ROAD MAP



- October 2012, PAC 9, Berlin: Adoption of the Evaluation ToRs and afterwards constitution of the Evaluation Team (ET)
- February 5th: ET 1 meeting, Helsinki
- April 10th – ET 2 meeting, Tallinn
- September 5th – ET 3 meeting, Stockholm
- October 16, CSR 22: Presentation of the outcomes of the Evaluation process and possible follow up for CSR decision
- November 1013 – PAC 10: Presentation of the outcomes and follow up of the Evaluation



OUTCOMES

- Consultant's draft report received in August 2013
 - Thorough review of the report
 - Intensive discussion of the findings and recommendations
- Management response to the consultant's report with additional suggestions
- ET- follow up-recommendations for CSR 22



THE WAY FORWARD

- Constructive evaluation has paved the way for the development of a new NDPHS Strategy
- guidance for creating a new strategy
- Proposed follow-up by
 - a Strategy Working Group (recommended) and
 - CSR/EG's and Partner Countries
- Implementation by CSR/PAC, Expert Groups, Secretariat and Partner Countries



RECOMMENDATIONS

- 2 categories
 - development of a new vision and strategy for 2014-2020
 - organizational issues

DEVELOPMENT OF A NEW STRATEGY



- health priority areas to be set by PAC/CSR
- establishment of a Strategy Working Group (SWG)
- qualified input by Experts Groups to ensure ownership
- SWG provides a draft with visions and goals, clear targets and indicators
- development of individual operational plans by the groups and the Secretariat taking into account available resources
- discussion of the draft strategy by CSR
- adoption of the new strategy by PAC



Organizational issues

- reduce the workload of the secretariat
- improve reporting by including targets and indicators regularly
- highlight the aspects of social well-being
- find a better balance between projects, policy advice and networking
- strengthen the competence and capacities of Expert Groups/ITA's
- improve contents of plans and related planning capacities towards a more structured and analytical approach



POSSIBLE TIMELINE

- CSR 22
 - Decision on establishing a Strategy Working Group
 - Preliminary discussion on future priorities
- Ministerial PAC 10
 - decision on future priorities (headlines)
- SWG produces a draft strategy with input from the EGs
- CSR 23
 - discussion of the visions and goals of the new strategy and further guidance
- SWG and EG's finalize the draft and develop operational plans
- PAC 11 adopts the new strategy



POLITICAL CONCLUSION OF THE REPORT

- The Partnership
 - is a learning and adapting organization. The common driving force, the deep interest in health-matters, is visible on all levels
 - has gained its legal capacity and a stable legal framework
 - has enjoyed considerable success in
 - weathering the storms of the financial crisis and
 - in putting health on the agenda of European politics and
 - generated an inclusive process mutually beneficial for all active participants



THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

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