

CENTRAL FUND FOR INFLUENZA ACTION
PROGRAMME¹ QUARTERLY PROGRESS UPDATE

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July– September 2010

Participating UN or Non-UN Organization:	International Organization for Migration (IOM)	UNCAPAHI Objective(s) covered:	Objective 6: Continuity under pandemic conditions With reference to Objective 3: Human Health: Objective 5: Public information and communication for behavior change		
Implementing Partner(s):	International Organization for Migration (IOM)				
Programme Number:	CFIA-B13				
Programme Title:	Humanitarian Pandemic Preparedness, Mitigation and Response: Capacity Building for Migrants and Host Communities				
Total Approved Programme Budget:	USD\$ 495,000				
Location:	Middle East and North Africa technical support from IOM Cairo, Cambodia and Laos technical support from IOM Thailand, Global Coordination from Geneva				
MC Approval Date:	14 December 2009				
Programme Duration:	12 months	Starting Date:	January 2010	Completion Date:	December 2010
Funds Committed:	USD\$ 495,000			Percentage of Approved:	100%
Funds Disbursed:	USD 279,546			Percentage of Approved:	56%
Expected Programme Duration:	12 months	Forecast Final Date:	31 December 2010	Delay (Months):	

Outcomes:	Achievements/Results:	Percentage of planned:
Laos		
Production of the IEC materials for social mobilization activities	IOM Laos in collaboration with IOM offices in Cambodia, Indonesia, Myanmar, Thailand and Vietnam developed a radio drama on topics related to influenza-like illnesses (ILI) prevention in seven local languages. The radio drama was shared with the IEC Taskforce in Laos and pretested among Chinese, Khmer, Lao, Myanmar, Thai and Vietnamese migrants to ensure relevance of the stories as well as language and culture appropriateness. Draft training for trainers (ToT) manual community workers was developed to be used with the radio drama.	75%

¹ The term “programme” is used for projects, programmes and joint programmes.

* Activities conducted in December have not been charged to this project code at the time of preparing this report

	<p>Indicators:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two episodes of radio drama developed in seven languages and pretested • One draft ToT manual to be used with the radio drama developed 	
Participation in information sharing meeting with national and international stakeholders	<p>IOM participated in the Stakeholder Planning Meeting for the next five years Plan (2011-2015) on Emerging Infectious Diseases (EID) organized by the National Emerging Infectious Disease Coordination Office (NEIDCO).</p> <p>IOM participated in an information sharing meeting on the Participatory Action Research (PAR) conducted in Savanakhet province by AED and NEIDCO.</p> <p>IOM participated in the Strengthening and Informing Response and Reporting Mechanisms (SIRRM) Project, implemented by NEIDCO in collaboration with Care International to strengthen the response system of Avian Influenza in Laos.</p> <p>IOM participated in a meeting with members of the Laos IEC Taskforce, where UNICEF presented the results of the Knowledge, Attitudes and Practice (KAP) study on H1N1 conducted in Vientiane Capital and Bolikhamxay Province</p> <p>IOM participated in the 1st Asia Regional Risk Communication Initiative Forum organized by UNSIC in Bangkok.</p>	100%
Egypt		
Advocacy to stakeholders at national and community level to include a migrant in pandemic influenza related activities and to ensure equal access to health care for migrants	<p>IOM participates in the Avian and Pandemic Influenza (API) UN Country Team (UNCT) monthly meetings to coordinate action with UN partners.</p> <p>IOM participates in monthly meetings of the Refugee Working Group that includes UNHCR, NGOs and CBOs, to strengthen cooperation and to ensure consideration of migrants' health issues.</p> <p>IOM coordinated two meetings with a communicable disease Programme Officer at the Ministry of Health to promote the inclusion of migrants in ToT activities.</p>	70%
Production of training materials	<p>IOM Training Manual on Basic Counselling and Communication skills was produced in Arabic.</p> <p>IOM produced a training package in English and Arabic on pandemic influenza including handouts and power point presentations. The package is meant to be used in training activities and in Cultural Orientation (CO) classes targeting IOM beneficiaries of resettlement programmes.</p>	70%
Capacity building on pandemic influenza for migrant	<p>IOM gave a presentation on preventive health programming, including pandemic influenza, at the joint IOM and UNHCR training for the civil society on <i>Assisting Refugees and Other Vulnerable Migrants</i>.</p>	

<p>communities</p>	<p>IOM in coordination with Caritas Egypt conducted a pilot training session and refresher training on health promotion to reduce the spread of ILI and other communicable diseases. The training targeted Caritas' network of Sudanese teachers.</p> <p>IOM in collaboration with the local NGO Tadamon conducted trainings on health promotion to reduce the spread of ILI and other communicable diseases. The training targeted Sudanese and Eritrean migrants and community leaders.</p> <p>IOM in coordination with the local NGO Youth Lead Project conducted two pilot training sessions and two training sessions on health promotion to reduce the spread of ILI and other communicable diseases. The training targeted young males (18-26 years old) in three different migrant dense areas in Greater Cairo.</p> <p>IOM in coordination with a local Eritrean CBO conducted one ToT for Eritrean migrants on health promotion to reduce the spread of ILI and other communicable diseases.</p> <p>IOM in collaboration with local NGO Tadamon, organized two-day training on health promotion to reduce the spread of ILI and other communicable diseases targeting Sudanese community leaders.</p> <p>IOM held an Award Ceremony for trained migrants who have been actively engaged in conducting community mobilization throughout the project</p> <p>IOM Cairo in coordination with IOM Lebanon organized training on health promotion for migrants and host communities in Beirut. Participants included representatives of civil society organizations such as Caritas Migrant, Lebanese Public Health Association, Lebanese Red Cross, and Institute for Human Rights. IEC materials were distributed during the training.</p> <p>Indicators:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 500 copies of the training package on pandemic influenza in English and Arabic printed • One health promotion training session and one refresher training conducted for Sudanese teachers • Three training session on health promotion conducted for Sudanese migrants • At least 50 migrants and community leaders trained in health promotion • Two pilot training and two training session health promotion held • Three migrants dense areas reached in Greater Cairo • 12 Eritrean migrants trained on health promotion • 50 IOM trained migrants participated in the Award Ceremony • 13 individuals trained in health promotion in Lebanon 	
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Qualitative achievements against outcomes and results:

Laos: IOM continues to strengthen partnership and coordination with relevant local and international stakeholders. IOM developed a radio drama on seven local languages to be used to promote basic measures to prevent the spread of ILI, to be integrated in all health project implemented in the region.

Egypt: IOM continues advocating at national and community level for the inclusion of migrants in health promotion programmes. IOM strengthened capacity at the community level on ILI and other communicable diseases in Egypt and Lebanon.

Geneva IOM Headquarters continues to provide technical support on pandemic preparedness, capacity development on the reduction of the spread of influenza like illnesses and other communicable diseases to IOM missions in Africa , The Middle East and Asia.