

**CENTRAL FUND FOR INFLUENZA ACTION**  
**PROGRAMME<sup>1</sup> QUARTERLY PROGRESS UPDATE**

*(for posting on web)*

**January – March 2011**

<b>Participating UN or Non-UN Organization:</b>	International Organization for Migration (IOM)	<b>UNCAPAHI Objective(s) covered:</b>	<b>Objective 3:</b> Human Health: build capacity to cope with pandemic including surge capacity for a pandemic. <b>Objective 5:</b> Public information and communication for behavior change. <b>Objective 6:</b> Continuity under pandemic conditions		
<b>Implementing Partner(s):</b>	International Organization for Migration (IOM)				
<b>Programme Number:</b>	B17				
<b>Programme Title:</b>	Migrant community information for behavior change to reduce the spread of Influenza Like Illnesses (ILIs)				
<b>Total Approved Programme Budget:</b>	USD 119,254				
<b>Location:</b>	Costa Rica, Panama, Nicaragua, Ukraine and Nigeria. Global coordination from Geneva				
<b>MC Approval Date:</b>	March 2010				
<b>Programme Duration:</b>	12 months	<b>Starting Date:</b>	April 2010	<b>Completion Date:</b>	March 2011
<b>Funds Committed:</b>	USD 119,254			<b>Percentage of Approved:</b>	100%
<b>Funds Disbursed:</b>	USD 63,095			<b>Percentage of Approved:</b>	52,9 %
<b>Expected Programme Duration:</b>	15 months	<b>Forecast Final Date:</b>	June 2011	<b>Delay (Months):</b>	3 months

<b>Outcomes:</b>	<b>Achievements/Results:</b>	<b>Percentage of planned:</b>
<b>Costa Rica</b>		
Strengthening partnerships and network with project stakeholders	IOM organized two coordination meetings with the Centre for Intercultural Orientation (COI) to organize activities in the centre and in the farms, and to organize training of cultural advisors for the validation of IEC materials on influenza-like illnesses (ILIs) and other communicable diseases developed by the University of Costa Rica.  IOM participated in three information-sharing meetings and one workshop organized by the Inter-institutional	80%

<sup>1</sup> 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>Commission for Migratory Affairs (CIAM) in San Marcos de Terrazu.</p> <p>IOM established contact with representatives from the Ministry of Health, Social Security System, and Ministry of Education and with authorities at the local level. Information on the project was shared and IOM coordinated with the Ministry of Education to obtain statistics on indigenous population living in the area.</p> <p>IOM advocated to the local government in San Marcos for an appropriate space to be provided to the COI for its work with migrant and mobile populations.</p>	
IEC materials disseminated to local health posts	<p>IEC materials were provided to the health post in San Vito to disseminate to health post in Rio Sereno and to keep for activities during the next harvest.</p> <p>IEC materials were also provided in the area of Los Santos, to be disseminated during project activities and to migrants visiting the COI.</p> <p>IOM provided input to IEC materials on ILIs and other communicable diseases developed by the University of Costa Rica for the indigenous population Ngobe-Bugle. IOM validated the materials with support of indigenous cultural advisors.</p> <p>IOM coordinated with the local radio to record radio spots on ILIs and other communicable diseases in indigenous language.</p> <p><b>Indicators:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 5000 IEC materials provided to the health posts in San Vito and Los Santos</li> </ul>	80%
Awareness raised on ILIs and other communicable diseases among indigenous migrants	<p>IOM trained cultural advisors on basic hygiene measures to prevent the spread of ILIs and other communicable diseases. Cultural advisors also conducted social mobilization campaigns on ILIs and other communicable diseases for indigenous migrants in the farms and provided information and demonstration on how to properly wash hands during these activities and at the COI. Soap bars and nutritional cookies were distributed.</p> <p><b>Indicators:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Five cultural advisors trained on basic hygiene measures to prevent the spread of ILIs and other communicable diseases</li> <li>• 1,385 indigenous migrants reached</li> <li>• Eight farms visited</li> <li>• 2,160 soap bars distributed</li> <li>• 2,000 nutritional cookies distributed</li> </ul>	80%
<b>Panama</b>		
Strengthening partnerships and network with stakeholders	IOM continues to liaise with Ministry of Health, at the national and regional levels, Ministry of Social Development, the Ombudsman in Panama and their counterparts in Costa Rica.	80%
<b>Ukraine</b>		

	<p>IOM distributed the basic counselling and communication skills manual in Russian to the IOM offices in Belarus and Moldova and to UN partner organizations.</p> <p><b>Indicators:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 100 copies of the basic counselling and communication skills manual in Russian distributed</li> </ul>	
<b>Qualitative achievements against outcomes and results:</b>		
<p><b>Costa Rica:</b> Most of the activities were conducted in Costa Rica as it is the receiving country for indigenous migrants during the current season. IOM continues to raise awareness on ILIs and other communicable diseases and to strengthen preparedness capacity at the community level. IOM also liaised with relevant stakeholders in Panama to coordinate for IEC materials to be distributed in communities of origin.</p> <p><b>Panama:</b> IOM continues to liaise and strengthen network with relevant stakeholders.</p> <p><b>Ukraine:</b> IOM provided the manual on basic counseling and communication skills to IOM offices in the region and to relevant stakeholders.</p>		