**CENTRAL FUND FOR INFLUENZA ACTION**

**PROGRAMME[[1]](#footnote-1) QUARTERLY PROGRESS UPDATE**

*(for posting on the CFIA website)*

***31 March 2012***

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| **Participating UN or Non-UN Organization:** | International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) | | **UNCAPAHI Objective(s) covered:** | | Contingency planning for operational continuity during a pandemic | |
| **Implementing Partner(s):** | World Health Organization (WHO), Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA), International Air Transport Association (IATA), Airports Council International (ACI) | | | | | |
| **Programme Number:** | CFIA/A-5 (RAS 07/801 ICAO numbering) | | | | | |
| **Programme Title:** | Cooperative Arrangement for the Prevention of Spread of Communicable Disease by Air Transport (CAPSCA) | | | | | |
| **Total Approved Programme Budget:** | US$ 201,706 | | | | | |
| **Location:** | Asia / Pacific Region | | | | | |
| **MC Approval Date:** | August 2007 | | | | | |
| **Programme Duration:** | 18 months initially, but extended | **Starting Date:** | August 2007 | **Completion Date:** | | February 2009 |
| **Funds Committed:** | $0 | | | **Percentage of Approved:** | |  |
| **Funds Disbursed:** | $147,485.00 | | | **Percentage of Approved:** | | 73% |
| **Expected Programme Duration:** | 64 months | **Forecast Final Date:** | December 2012 | **Delay (Months):** | | 46 months |

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| **Outcomes:** | **Achievements/Results:** | **Percentage of planned:** |
| 1. Assistance visits to International Airports | There was no airport evaluation (now termed assistance visit) activity this quarter. 17 States in the Asia Pacific Region have joined the CAPSCA project. Ten airports in eight States and Administrations have been evaluated to date. A CAPSCA demonstration ‘assistance visit’ was conducted at the Ulaanbaatar International Airport, Mongolia, on 21 April 2102. | 73 % |
| 2. Network of experts established to provide ongoing advice on the subject | Encouragement was provided to States to attend the upcoming CAPSCA-Asia Pacific meeting in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia. |
| 3. CAPSCA Asia-Pacific Meetings | Arrangements for the 5th Meeting of the CAPSCA AP project is to be held in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia, from 19 to 21 April 2012. The meeting will include a training session ‘CAPSCA Assistance Visit’ Technical Advisors, to be followed by a demonstration of a ‘CAPSCA Airport Assistance Visit’ to the Ulaanbaatar International Airport on 21st April 2012. |  |

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| **Qualitative achievements against outcomes and results:** |
| * Cooperation between the Aviation Sector and Public Health Authorities continues to be developed. * Compliance by States with ICAO Standards and WHO IHR (2005) and associated guidelines continues to be enhanced. * The Regional Aviation Medicine and Public Health Team is now named Technical Advisor Team. * Airports Council International are developing guidelines for Business Continuity Planning. * Continued efforts to promote participation of the APAC States in CAPSCA-AP project |
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1. *The term “programme” is used for projects, programmes and joint programmes.* [↑](#footnote-ref-1)