

SUN Movement Multi-Partner Trust Fund



PROGRAMME¹ QUARTERLY PROGRESS UPDATE *as of September 2015*

Participating UN Organization:	World Health Organization				
Implementing Partner(s):	World Vision Uganda				
Programme Number:	Program number – SUN – Window 2-010				
Programme Title:	Programme title – Strengthening Uganda Civil Society capacity to strengthen the scaling up Nutrition (SUN)				
Total Approved Programme Budget:	US\$ _____ USD 321,000 _____				
Location:	Uganda				
MC Approval Date:					
Programme Duration:	3 years	Starting Date:	March 2013	Completion Date:	March 2016
Funds Committed:	US\$ _____			Percentage of Approved:	
Funds Disbursed:	US\$ _____			Percentage of Approved:	
Expected Programme Duration:	3 years	Forecast Final Date:	March 2013	Delay (Months):	6 months

Outcomes:	Achievements/Results:	Percentage of planned:
A functional CSO platform with harmonised information and capacity to influence nutrition policy and action in favour of mothers and children.	At the beginning of the quarter, UCCOSUN joined other Civil Society networks from 6 countries (Tanzania, Kenya, Uganda, Ethiopia, Burundi and Rwanda) in the regional launch of the Global Nutrition Report. About 60 participated in the function and celebrated successes as well as reflecting on challenges to eradicate malnutrition in the region.	65%
An effective policy and legal frame-work from national level to the grassroots for improved nutrition governance to support the scale-up of proven interventions in country	During the commemoration of the International Breast Feeding Week, UCCOSUN in collaboration MoH, UN agencies and others stakeholders organized a national high level policy dialogue, under the theme; “Breast Feeding and work, Lets make it work”. About 105 people participated in the event where key issues of breast-feeding for working mothers were raised and recommendations tabled for the attention by policy makers. The Chief Guest, the	74%

	Minister of State for Primary Health, underscored the need to ratify ILO Maternity Protection Convention, 2000 No. 183, r.No.191.	
A stronger and sustainable multi-stakeholder dialogue from national level to the grassroots for better government accountability on nutrition investments.	Working closely with actors at grass-root levels, the coalition facilitated community level dialogues on breast-feeding as a build-up towards the International Breast Feeding Week. In Butaleja District, the dialogues covered six sub-counties and the issues raised and recommendations were shared with district leaders during the district level dialogue in which 14 district leaders and a Woman MP participated. The leaders pledged to improve health services to support mothers comply with exclusive breast feeding guidelines.	75%
A constituency with capacity to demand for the scale up of nutrition activities at the grassroots	With support from UCCOSUN, 10 media houses under-took a media excursion that targeted a district hospital, a primary school and a local community as per the links below; http://in2eastafrika.net/east-africa-nutrition-report-to-be-launched/ ; http://www.newvison.co.ug/news/669068-east-africa-nutrition-report-to-be-launched.html	60%

Qualitative achievements against outcomes and results:

UCCOSUN continued growing as a credible CSO voice on nutrition. This was evidenced by the invitation by The Office of the Prime Minister to sit on the National Organizing Committee in preparation for the 6th. African Food and Nutrition Security Day, scheduled for 30 October, 2015.

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