



The Partnership for Maternal, Newborn & Child Health

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(PMNCH)

Evidence, advocacy and accountability for women's and children's health

Who we are

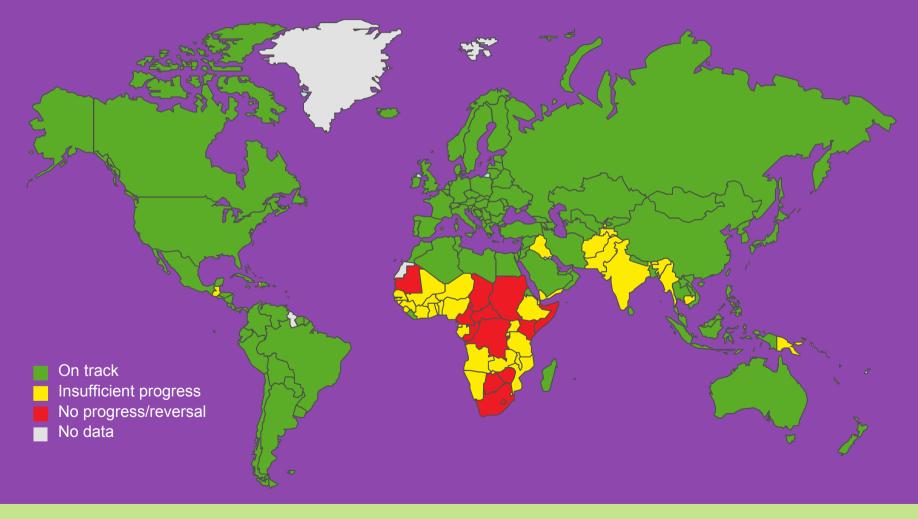
- Leading global alliance 400+
- Launched Sept 2005 in India
- Unique knowledge based advocacy partnership
- Aims to accelerate achievement of MDGs 4 & 5
- Hosted by WHO, with independent Board and budget

"Progress to improve women's and children's health and MDGs can be achieved through close co-operation between the UN, governments, NGOs and the private sector"

UN Secretary General Ban Ki-moon, Sept 2011

The Partnership for Maternal, Newborn Why we act

MDG 4 (Child Mortality) - Little progress in Africa



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Source: Levels & Trends in Child Mortality, Report 2010. WHO / UNICEF / UNPD / World Bank, 2010

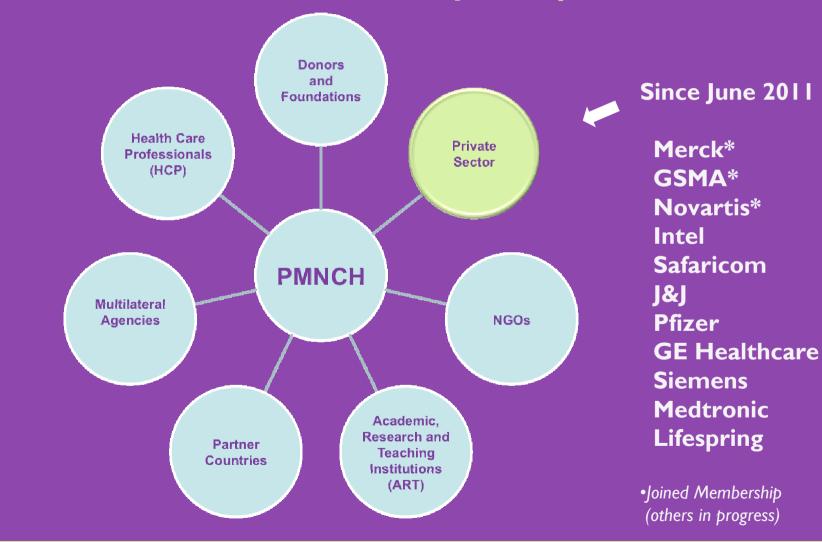
The Partnership for Maternal, Newborn & Child Health Why we act MDG 5 - Maternal deaths still common in Africa and Asia Maternal death rates¹ Low Medium High Very high No data

1. Maternal mortality ratio is defined as the number of deaths per 100,000 live births. Low represents countries with less than 100 deaths per 100,000 live births, medium represents countries with 100-500 deaths per 1000,000 live births, high represents countries with 501-1,000 deaths per 100,000 live births, and very high represents countries with greater than 1,000 deaths per 100,000 live births.

Source: Estimates of maternal mortality levels and trends 1990-2008. WHO / UNICEF / UNFPA / World Bank, 2010

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PMNCH Structure: 7 Constituency Groups

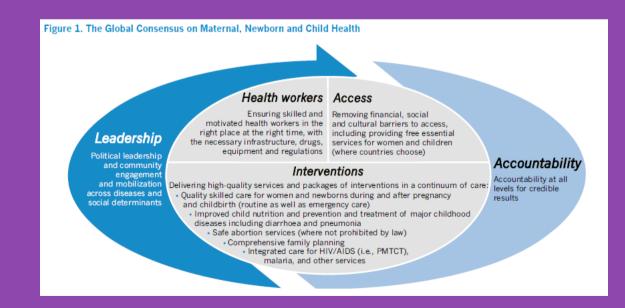


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The Global Strategy for Women's and Children's Health



- PMNCH lead catalyst in development, launch and implementation
- Unique global effort led by UN SG Ban Ki-moon, launched in 2010
- Over 200 commitments valued at \$40+ billion, several from business



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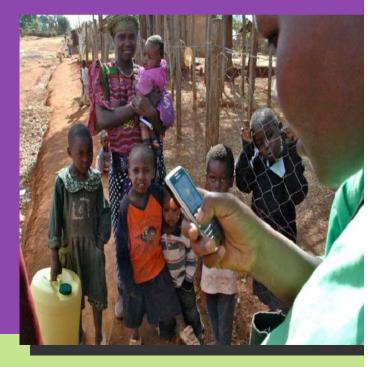
Untapped potential of the private sector

Commitments to the Global Strategy in 2010/11:

- 30 commitments from the private sector (out of 200+ from different stakeholders)
- Less than 2% in terms of estimated value (\$ 40 billion) from private sector

Private sector has significant role to play

- Catalyze Progress
- More Health for the Money
- Leadership Corporate Champions
- Rethink business models
- Product and service innovation
- Engage employees and communities



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ICT/Mobile-Private Sector Engagement

- Open source learning platforms for education
- Decision support tools
- Reporting, supervision and management systems
- Mobile payments for health workers
- Telemedicine support
- SMS messaging applications that health workers can use to communicate with clients
- Inventory and supply chain management for commodities
- Vital registration
- Product compliance
- Reduced counterfeiting







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