



National Information Platforms for Nutrition

Improving nutrition through accountability, ownership and partnerships
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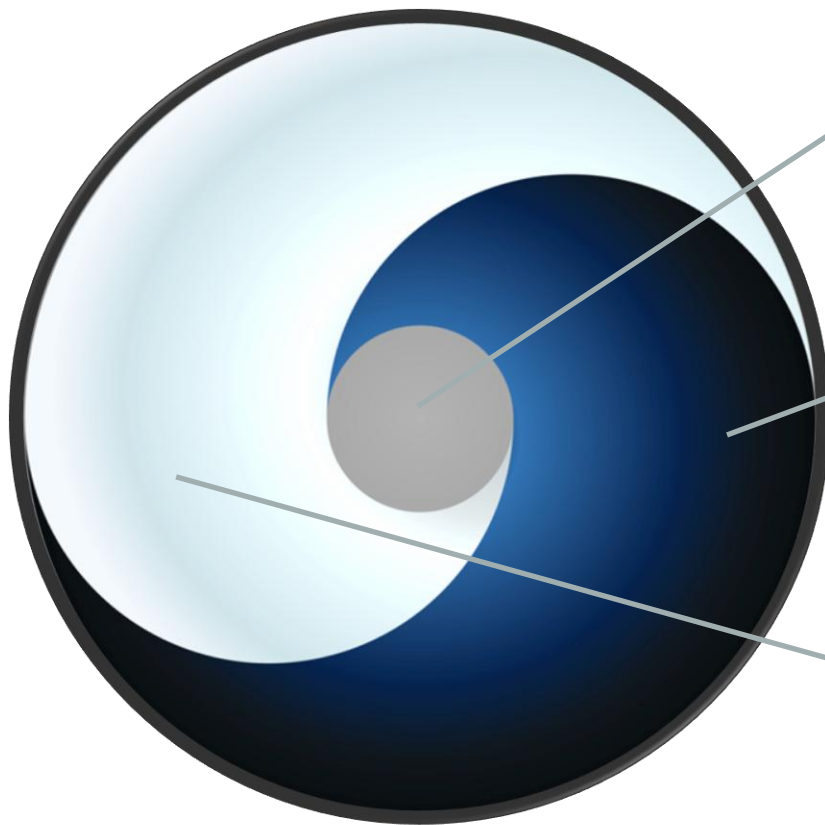
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NIPN contributing to:

- *The EC's internal accountability for its commitments*
 - To reduce stunting by 7 million by 2025
 - To spend €3.5 billion to do so
- *Countries' learning and strategic oversight of progress in addressing undernutrition*
- *Global learning about the the linkages between investments, programming and progress*

NIPN: a process with a technical core



Compiling and cleaning data;
Purposeful analysis

Intra-government
consensus-building around
nutrition as a national
concern

Dialogue with national
stakeholders – harnessing
existing knowledge and
capabilities; discussing
findings; agreeing on way
forward

NIPN implementation about to start

- *In Bangladesh, Burundi, Ethiopia, Kenya, Laos, Niger*
- *A Global Support Facility*
- *An expert panel for additional expertise*
- *A stakeholder group for strategic guidance*

Country-Led Platforms

- Facilitated process for identifying government's priority questions/concerns regarding nutrition
- Creation and management of the living platform database - multi-sectoral, surveys plus routine administrative data, programme data, contextual information
- Increased analytical capacity to establish associations between interventions and changes in nutrition
- Platform for dialogue, learning and planning on nutrition - through SUN processes
- Disseminate data and findings for decision making



Global Support Facility (GSF)

- Support the design of country platforms
- TA to partner country platforms
- Coordination, information and communication

Expert Group

Providing additional skills, insights and advice.

Stakeholder group

- Strategic direction, vision
- Global dissemination and advocacy to use results
- Coherence and alignment with other initiatives
- Funding





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**Thank you very much
for your attention**

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Potential Structure for a NIPN

