

TECHNICAL REVIEW MEETING WITH PARTNERS

As part of the activities Ghana Coalition of NGOs in Health in implementing the GAVI health strengthening systems, GCNH is supposed to hold quarterly technical review meetings with other partners such as the Ghana health Service, WHO, UNICEF etc.

The aim of the review meeting is to assess the work carried out by GCNH and also for partners to make input to ensure that work done by GCNH is contributing to immunization coverage. The first and second quarter technical review of the activities carried out was held on 13th July, 2017 at the Ghana Health Service conference. In attendance were; Mr. Fred Sarpong, Mr. J. F. Dadzie (GHS/EPI), Mrs. Maame Esi Amekudzi, (GHS/PPME), Mr. Annan GHS/Finance), Dr. Maureen Martey (MoH), Mr. Stanly Diamenu (WHO), Mrs. Charity Nikoi (UNICEF), Nana Akyeneba III (GAVI Steering Committee member), Mr. Andrews Asamoah (CRS), Regional chairs of GCNH, and National secretariat of GCNH



Vice chair explaining a point to partners at technical review meeting



GCNH technical review meeting with partners

The partners present at the technical review meeting expressed high level of appreciation for the work that has been undertaken so far by the Ghana Coalition of NGOs in Health (GCNH). The technical partners present at the review mentioned that GCNH has improved upon its performance and they encourage GCNH to continue the good work

The partners commended GCNH on the use of private midwives and nurses to support immunization in the communities, celebration of world immunization week across the ten regions, Defaulter tracing at the community level, and good collaboration with DHMTs.



ES of GCNH doing a presentation to partners at technical review meeting

SOME KEY ACHIEVEMENTS OF GAVI HSS YEAR 2 PROJECT IN THE FIRST AND SECOND QUARTER



1. Engaged 639 community leaders to sensitize them on importance of immunization for children
2. 176 members DHMTs were engaged to foster effective collaboration
3. GAVI HSS year 2 Project is been implemented in 215 communities with low immunization coverage across 48 districts
4. Through sensitization done by IPs of GCNH, Community Leaders have promised to be involved in immunization exercises in their districts and communities
5. The paramount chief of the Lawra traditional made the commitment to be an immunization advocate
6. About 10,658 people including men, women, community leaders, and PWDs sensitized on importance of immunization
7. World Immunisation Week has been held in all 10 regions of Ghana.
8. 535 children were immunized through the activities of GCNH
9. A total of 192 volunteers have been recruited and trained to support project implementation in the communities
10. 49 CHNs were adequately trained to undertake community mobilization for immunization services