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Webinar: National Coordination of Multi-sectoral, Multi-level Pandemic Responses

September 30, 2020
COVID-19 pandemic has proven to be devastating for health systems

• No one has the right answers, experimenting and learning by doing
• Emerging guidance keeps changing – what works today may be proven ineffective tomorrow
• Information overload to country implementors - which guidance to follow in the face of political pressure to control the epidemic and open up economies?
What we are hearing from countries?

- Pandemic/epidemic preparedness and response strategies
- Data use
  - Coordination mechanisms and management strengthening
  - Guidelines on testing, tracing, treating, isolating, etc.; case management; IPC
  - Public private partnership in mobilizing resources
- Country response plans and rapid implementation
  - Supply chain management
- How to create and manage the cross-sectoral teams needed to mount a coordinated response to the pandemic
- M&E
- HRH incentives for front-line health workers
- Use of technology and social media in pandemics such as Contact tracing via apps in Korea, Singapore
- Reorganizing to maintain essential PHC service delivery during pandemic covid19
- Financial protection for Covid-19 patients
Objectives for collaborative learning on COVID national coordination

- Respond to country demand on the need for better coordination of pandemic responses by responding to three learning objectives:
  - How to assess how well current approaches to organizing the national Covid-19 response are working and what needs to be updated or changed to strengthen the effectiveness of the national response across sectors, levels and partners?
  - How to most effectively engage the various levels of government, communities, and civil society – including citizens’ voice and vulnerable groups – in countries’ national responses and ensure a coordinated response particularly in devolved/decentralized settings?
  - How to enhance coordination across various levels of care in the health system and shift resources, power and authority closer to the most appropriate service delivery level to improve case management?
Who is in the room?

• 263 registered
• Representatives from Ministries of Health and Education, Private Sector, Civil Society and Development Partners
• 55 countries
Webinar Agenda

• Interactive poll
• First panel
  • Question and answer session
• Second panel
  • Question and answer session
• Key messages and “Call to Action”
Polling

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Collaborative design

• Topic: Multi-sectoral, multi-level coordination of pandemic responses
• Countries: 5-6 countries
• Participants: target Covid-19 coordination units and representatives from Ministry of Health, Finance, Education, Transport etc.
• Duration: 6-month collaborative October – April 2020
• Modalities: Virtual webinars and learning engagements
• Output: Guidance document on multi-sectoral and multi-level coordination of national pandemic response
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Next steps

• Launch EOI process September 30, 2020. Check the JLN website for more details [www.jointlearningnetwork.org](http://www.jointlearningnetwork.org)

• Indicate your interest by October 14, 2020

• Submit a detailed EOI by November 13, 2020

• Country selection by November 23, 2020
Thank you and Goodbye