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Summary of Qualifications

Professional qualifications:

Kablan Prao Raimond, MD, MPH is an international public health consultant. He actually works with the Global Fund as consultant and provide technical support to the Ministry of Health in Niger to strengthen their health system. Before joining Niger, he worked with family health international on a bilateral project funded by USAID and targeted keys populations. He provides technical oversight for the EpiC project in Cote d'Ivoire. He oversees planning, implementation, coordination for achieving program objectives. He has over 14 years of experience in project management. He has led monitoring and evaluation of health programs and projects funded by the CDC. He specializes in communicable and non-communicable diseases, family planning and reproductive health programs management, social marketing, social behavior change communication and community mobilization, capacity building of community-based organizations, and health system financing. He has also an expertise on health system strengthening. During the past ten years, his duties were focused on Key Populations and priorities populations. Before joining FHI 360 in 2013, he worked with the Ministry of Health of Côte d'Ivoire as deputy coordinator in charge of HIV/AIDS program for key populations and priorities populations.

Country Experience

Cameroun, Côte d'Ivoire, Djibouti, Ethiopia, France, Hollande, Kenya, Maroc, Rwanda, South Africa, Togo, Niger

Languages

French (native), English (proficient)

Professional Experience

Present

international consultant for the Global Funds to provide technical support for the ministry of Health of Niger

the main objectives of this consultancy are:

- Provide technical support for the ministry of health to implement HIV differentiated service delivery
- Provide technical support to conduct the national HIV strategic plan review
- Contribute to the development of the integrated STI / HIV / hepatitis national strategic plan 2023-2026 for Niger
- Contribute to the development of the new Global Fund request 2024-2026

June 2021- November 2021

Associate Director, Technical (EpiC Côte D'Ivoire), FHI 360, Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire I Provide technical oversight for the EpiC project in Cote d'Ivoire. key activities targeting key population, priority population including AGYW. The project was funded by USAID around 4 USD million. I directly supervised around 10 staffs.

A. Program development

- Serves as a senior-level technical resource for the EpiC project in Côte d'Ivoire
- collaborates with PEPFAR implementing partners and the Ministry of Health s to identify opportunities and ensure complementarity interventions
- Provides technical assistance and oversight to implementing partners to ensure that activities are carried out in alignment with approved work plans and guidelines
- Develops innovative approaches to improve the project achievement
- Provides national standards documents
- Develops standard operating procedures to harmonize interventions

B. Management and Technical leadership

- Develops the project annual workplan
- develops program descriptions and other technical components for implementing partners
- Plan the project activities
- Monitor the execution of each implementing partner's action plan and budget
- partners' performance assessment
- Weekly data review
- Elaborates remediation plan to address gaps to improve the project result
- Develops and implement innovative approaches to improve result
- Strengthens CBO's organizational and technical capacities
- Integrates Reproductive Health in the project implementation with screening of the cervical cancer in the facilities supported by the project
- Integrates Family planning services delivery in project implementation sites (training, equipments, pills and other family planning commodities)
- implements the community HIV drugs distribution for key population and priority population including adolescent and AGYW
- Documents lessons learned and best practices.
- Provides feedback to the donor request
- ensures the compliance with the donor procedure

C. monitoring and reporting

- develops data collection tools
- Conducts site visits as required to monitor progress, and to provide technical and programmatic recommendations to ensure effectiveness, efficiency in the project implementation
- conducts SIMS visit
- Implements a system to monitor the quality-of-service, stigma and discrimination in health facilities
- Conducts data quality assessment
- Elaborates quarterly PEPFAR Oversight and Accountability Review (POART),
 Semi Annual Performance Report (SAPR), and Annual Performance Report (APR)

D. Organizational representation and collaboration

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- Establishment of a collaboration framework between the project and other PEPFAR partners
- periodic monitoring meetings with USAID and implementing partners
- Technical support for the functioning of the Technical Working Groups
- Review of normative documents on key populations
- Advocacy for successful project

2020 - 2021

Acting Project Director (EpiC Côte d'Ivoire), FHI 360, Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire Responsible for overall administration, program management, performance monitoring and technical implementation, and oversight of all aspects of EpiC activities in Cote d'Ivoire, under the oversight of the EpiC HQ management team. Led the EpiC/CI team in the development and oversight of quality and evidence-based approaches for key populations and priority populations being implemented in the EpiC target districts in the country. Served as the primary point of contact for the EpiC/CI program with the USAID/CI Activity Manager. Key duties include:

- Technical and administrative leadership of the EpiC/CI project to ensure successful implementation of the work plan and achievement of the project's targets and goals.
- Technical and programmatic oversight directly to the activity areas as well as liaise with senior government officials, dignitaries, executives of non-governmental organizations (NGOs), community-based organizations (CBOs) and the organized private sector.
- Ensuring technical efforts are evidence-based, community-driven and will contribute to the deliverables of the EpiC annual implementation plan.
- Leadership of the EpiC CI project team to roll-out new technical intervention areas, such as new clinical services, decentralized drug distribution (DDD), and community-led monitoring (CLM) approaches.
- Ensuring that EpiC/CI FY21 organization and sub-partner startup items are completed in a quality and time-efficient manner, such as finalizing all FY21 subgrantee requirements, budget reforecasting, and finalizing new local staff recruitment processes.
- Ensuring alignment of activities with Côte d'Ivoire Ministry of Health (MOH) and existing KP and PP HIV planning and programming and work with other KP, PP and HIV coordinating bodies.
- Leading advocacy visits with all stakeholders for improved service uptake and creating understanding on KP and PP friendly services.

2016 - 2021

Senior Technical Advisor (LINKAGES/ EpiC Côte d'Ivoire), FHI360, Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire

Responsible for the technical implementation of the project, ensuring the faithful implementation of programmatic approaches and the supervision of implementing partners.

Main achievements

From a project limited to a few implementation sites and community scope, the project has become over the years the only key populations program for PEPFAR in Cote d'Ivoire. In the past fiscal year, the project achieved over 90% of its targets. for

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this fiscal year, the project obtained an increase in its implementation sites with an expansion of its scope which include clinical scope. The current budget is around \$ 4,670,810.

2013 - 2016

Technical Officer (ISPEC Project), *FHI360*, *Abidjan*, *Côte d'Ivoire*Responsible for the design of HIV/AIDS program evaluation protocol. Planned and conducted evaluation activities (including development of standard operating procedures, recruitment, and training of implementing team, supervision of field data collection). Conducted a review of the HIV/AIDS surveillance plan 2010-2014 and provided technical support to the HIV/AIDS technical working group in Côte d'Ivoire.

2008 - 2013 **Deputy Coordinator for key population national AIDS program,** *Ministry of Health, Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire*

Strengthened the coordination of the HIV / AIDS interventions for sex workers and men who have sex with men. Ensured the planning of activities, the quality of interventions by developing national guideline for FSW and MSM (minimum package of activities, STI guideline, SBCC documents). Set up a technical working group for KPs and ensured its functioning (a network for KP organizations). Contributed to the development of the mapping of KP interventions in Côte d'Ivoire. Provided technical support as well as organizational capacity building (capacity assessment, training) to local CBOs and supported international implementing partners targeting KPs. As focal point for the condoms programming, we developed national guideline and tools to conducted condoms programming activities, trained national trainers and communities' workers for the promotion and the use of condoms for double protection. I worked with other national stakeholder to extend condom programming program. We also developed condom programming five years strategic plan.

Education

- Doctorate in Medicine, University Felix Houphouet Boigny, Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire, 2005
- Master's in Project Management, University Felix Houphouet Boigny, Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire, 2008
- Master's in Health Economics and International Development, University of Clermont Ferrand, France,
 2013

References:

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