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**UGANDA**

1. **Progress towards achievement of GVAP goals**
2. **Summary**

This summary table describes the current situation in Uganda regarding achieving the GVAP goals. Data used to assess progress towards achievement of GVAP goals are included in the annex (Country immunization profile).

| **Area** | **Indicator** | **Data for Uganda** |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **4. Rubella/CRS Elimination** | **Rubella-containing vaccine coverage** | **Not introduced** |
| **SIAs planned?** | **Planned for 2018** |

* + 1. **Achieve measles elimination and rubella & CRS elimination**

Rubella

According to informants, rubella outbreaks have been occurring, and many suspected cases of measles that are not lab-confirmed are believed to be rubella. For instance, while the routine disease surveillance system reported more than 60,000 cases of measles in 2015, many of these are believed to have been rubella. To quickly reduce rubella transmission in the population, UNEPI is planning MR catch-up campaigns in 2018, with GAVI support.

**ANNEX: Country immunization profile**

1. **Immunization coverage and equity**



