

MOMENTUM

Accelerating reductions in maternal, newborn, and child mortality and morbidity in USAID partner countries



VISION

MOMENTUM is a suite of innovative awards funded by the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) to holistically improve maternal, newborn, and child health services, voluntary family planning, and reproductive health (MNCH/FP/RH) care in partner countries around the world.

We envision a world where all mothers, children, families, and communities have equitable access to respectful quality MNCH/FP/RH care so they reach their full potential. MOMENTUM works alongside governments, building on existing evidence and experience implementing global health programs and interventions, so we may help foster new ideas, partnerships, and approaches, and strengthen the resiliency of health systems.

OUR APPROACH

With MOMENTUM, USAID seeks to accelerate reductions in maternal, newborn, and child mortality and morbidity in high-burden USAID partner countries. Through a coordinated portfolio of awards, we support countries by strengthening the capacity, sustainability, and resilience of local institutions to provide high-quality healthcare for their populations. We work to:

- Introduce, adapt, and scale up existing high-quality, evidence-based best practices among the public and private sectors and across the humanitarian-to-development continuum.
- Contribute to global technical leadership as well as generate and disseminate new evidence.
- Strengthen multisectoral collaboration and innovative partnerships with allied sectors, such as food security, emergencies, economic development, and climate resilience.
- Enhance integration and connections within MNCH/FP/RH care.



- Build on successes and lessons learned from previous USAID investments.
- Ensure that investments in partner countries are tailored to country contexts and foster sustainability.

THE MOMENTUM SUITE

Fundamental to MOMENTUM is the recognition that USAID partner countries have different epidemiologic and demographic profiles and unique, context-specific challenges that require tailored support at national and sub-national levels. The suite of projects work to:

- Scale and sustain access to and use of evidence-based, quality MNCH/FP/RH care.
- Improve, institutionalize, measure, and document local capacity to deliver evidence-based, quality MNCH/FP/RH care.
- Increase adaptive learning and use of evidence among partner country technical leaders.
- Increase innovative collaboration between MNCH/FP/RH care and other sectors.



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KEY FACTS

DURATION

December 2019 –
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TOTAL 5-YEAR BUDGET

\$800 million

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