Resource Mobilisation and Pledge Monitoring

Meeting of the Board of Directors
Paris, France, 19-20 November 2012
For Decision
PLEDGE MONITORING UPDATE

a. the Secretariat to produce a comprehensive report on the status of fulfillment of the pledges made by partners at the GPE Pledging Conference in November 2011 and deliver it to the Board of Directors at its next face-to-face meeting; and

b. calls on all partners to provide the required information to the Secretariat in a timely manner upon request.

For Input

RESOURCE MOBILIZATION

Simply seeking comments (oral and written) on the issues raised in the paper
Strategic Objective

The GPE Strategic Plan has as one of its five objectives for the period 2012-2015:

“Expand the volume, effectiveness, efficiency and equitable allocation of external and domestic funding and support to education in GPE-endorsed countries”.

The Strategic Plan makes clear that resource mobilization for education in developing countries, not simply for the GPE Fund, is an important role for the Global Partnership.

Cannot raise funds without monitoring and reporting progress
Pledge Monitoring:
What we want from you

• Ownership of the concept and process
• Reaffirmation of the importance of monitoring pledges, and request for report to be delivered in 2013
• Acknowledgement and increased awareness of the current challenges to effective monitoring
• Agreement with the timeline and call on all partners to cooperate with the process
Challenges

• Lack of data on implementation of national education plans
• Submission of collective pledges by civil society and private foundations
• Differing methodologies used by donors to define “basic education” and count ODA for education
• Low response rate by developing country partners to the survey
• Differing levels of detail in pledge statements

• RECOGNISE MAY TAKE A WHILE TO GET ALL THE DATA
Resource Mobilisation is Urgent!

• Thank you to all supporters
• Demand for $ is outstripping supply
• GPE a victim of its own success
• Global funding marketplace is tough…
  … and getting tougher
• To reach and exceed the $2.1bn for the GPE Fund we need more resourcing
Issues (see paper)

- GPE Fund and broader financing?
- Investment depends on scale of ambition and scope of focus
- Potential of emerging donors?
- Separate fund?
- Earmarking?
Issues (see paper)

• Need for comprehensive, collective effort
• Advocacy, champions
• Other processes such as IDA 17, EU MFF
• Innovative financing: real potential?
• Need for accurate data
• A compelling narrative
Qatar: Case Study?

- Educate a Child launch 14\textsuperscript{th} November
- Focus on Chad, South Sudan, Sudan
- Co-financing of GPE Funds
- Fully aligned
- $45m initial commitment
- Will be much more
- DRC, Yemen, Mauritania and up to 10 other countries
Long-term Trends in Basic Ed, Basic Health, and PP/P & RH ODA

Trends in funding for basic health, population policy and programs and reproductive health (PP/P & RH), and basic education.
Trends and Targets in Health and Education MDGs

MDG targets for Completion Rate (CR) and Under-Five Mortality Rate (UFM)
Are the comparisons valid?

- The education sector is different
- Maybe not more complex
- But certainly different
- Yet, some aspects of education are relatively more like health than others
- The GPE Strategy takes advantage of those aspects.
Examples

• Health outcomes are more immediate
  • GPE strategy has some potentially “fast acting” results such as early learning (SO 3)
• Health outcomes are more predictable (e.g., vaccines prevent death)
  • GPE focus on areas where we know what works: girls’ transition, early learning (SO 2, 3)
• Health impacts are more identifiable (you live or you die)
  • Making it to 2ndary, or being numerate, are pretty identifiable (SO 2, 3)
Next Replenishment

• Has to be late 2014:
  IDA and AfDF in 2013
  Global Fund in autumn 2013
  GAVI in late spring 2014
• Host: decision May 2013
• Core sponsors: decision November 2013
• Focus: preliminary decision May 2013
• Targets: preliminary thinking May 2013
Decision Requested

BOD/2012/11-06—Pledge Monitoring Report:
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Next Steps Pledge Monitoring

W/c 26 November 2012: All partners will receive the survey.

W/c 7 January 2013: Deadline for partners to return the survey.

14 January to 22 February 2013: The Secretariat will undertake telephone interviews, as needed.

April 2013: The final report will be available.

May 2013: Presentation at the next face-to-face meeting of the Board of Directors
Next Steps: RM

• Written feedback by 30\textsuperscript{th} November 2012
• Summary of feedback sent to Board before 31\textsuperscript{st} December 2012
• Preliminary resource mobilisation strategy and replenishment outline to Board for comments by 31\textsuperscript{st} March 2013
• Formal strategy and replenishment outline to Board by May 2013