### GLOBAL TASK FORCE ON CHOLERA CONTROL

Fondation Merieux (FMx) support to the GTFCC and perspectives on the way forward

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# MÉRIEUX FOUNDATION

Our mission: Strengthen local capacities to fight the infectious diseases that affect vulnerable populations in developing countries



A BIT of ABOUT US: The Foundation has extensive experience coordinating complex, multi-partner projects in diverse cultural and political contexts. It initiated the successful **RESAOLAB** program with health authorities in 7 West African countries, building laboratory system capacity and supporting the creation of government policy to sustain it. The Foundation has led similar capacity

building projects, ERLEUX



### Initiative against Diarrheal and Enteric diseases in Africa and Asia

Public Health Initiative hosted at Fondation Mérieux, constituted of an Informal network of national and international stakeholders involved in enteric diseases management committed to help define and implement effective measures against cholera in their countries / regions

#### **Objectives**:

- Give the voice to the field through a bottom-up and transversal approach
- Foster interdisciplinary, multisectoral and cross-border interactions
- Be complementary and synergistic with other international and national actors WHO / GTFCC, UNICEF, DOVE.



#### Highlights



- 8 meetings/workshops in Africa and Asia followed by "IDEA releases" First meeting started in 2011 and Last meeting was held in Hanoi, Vietnam in March 2017;
- 2 Publications and 1 publication and report in writing progress
- Partner of the Cholera renewed strategy launched during the high-level meeting held on May 25th during the World Health Assembly and followed by a case investment meeting on Oct 2017.



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# FMx joins the GTFCC Clobal TASK FORCE ON CHOLERA CONTROL

#### october 2017

#### 4 October / High-level Meeting

WHO launches renewed cholera strategy Global Taskforce launches 2030 roadmap New financial and political commitments to end cholera are made

WHO Regional Committee Meetings Planning for 2018 WHA cholera resolution





## GTFCC framework for action

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- . Organize the GTFCC meetings in toondination with partners and in accordance with GTFCC priorities and strategies
- Organize global and in country GTFCC trainings, in coordination with partners and in accordance with GTFCC priorities and strategies
  - Develop and maintain the GTFCC website and website resources
- Support countries for the implementation of their cholera control plans in aspects covering: capacity building, community engagement, communication
- Support the GTFCC working group or GLOBAL TASK FORCE ON engagement
  - Support in the dissemination of educational materials &

## Today providing support and working for ...



# The way forward

In agreement with the GTFCC,

Continue to backing and further structure information dissemination and knowledge transfer activities already engaged in at Global level,

Support in the development and implementation of the platform for knowledge transfer at Country level



# TOGETHER, WE CAN #ENDCHOLERA



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