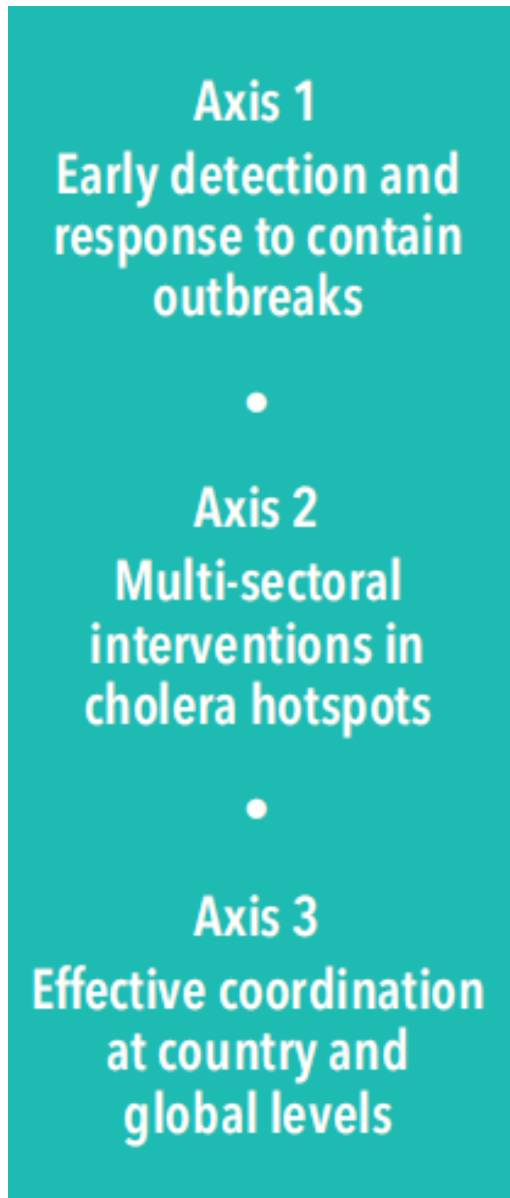




GLOBAL TASK FORCE ON  
**CHOLERA CONTROL**

# IDENTIFICATION OF FURTHER TECHNICAL GUIDANCE NEEDED FOR THE WASH PACKAGE

# SESSION OBJECTIVE



Group 1 and 2



Group 3 and 4



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Q1: Which technical guidance and training material exist?

Q2: What technical guidance and training material is missing and should be prioritised?

**We want to capture:**

- a) The existing (or under development) technical guidance (GTFCC, Partners)
- b) The existing (or under development) training material (GTFCC, Partners)
- c) The technical guidance to be developed (priority)
- d) The training material to be developed (priority)

# INSPIRATIONAL PRESENTATIONS

# PRESENTATION 1. WASH AND OCV IN HOTSPOTS

## Outbreak setting ('reactive' - response)

| Component                                    | Activity  | Factors to be taken into consideration   | Notes  |
|--|---|--|--|
| Water supply                                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Access to safe water (i.e. chlorination of water sources and water quality monitoring (FRC))</li> </ul>  | Human resources available to conduct water quality monitoring  | Quick response   |
| Household water treatment and storage (HWTS) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>'Water treatment kit' including equipment needed to use product (i.e. Aquatabs, PuR)</li> <li>Safe water storage containers<sup>1</sup></li> </ul> | Fixed point vs mobile vaccination campaign, particularly if water storage containers will be distributed as part of HWTS package | Product selection is based on water source parameters and community familiarity and acceptance |
| Environmental sanitation                     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Emptying of full pit latrines</li> <li>Community cleaning campaigns</li> </ul>   | Resources, timeliness, access of trucks to empty pit latrines  | Potential for provision of supplies / equipment for the campaigns                              |
| Hygiene/health promotion                     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Distribution of soap</li> <li>Distribution of ORS</li> <li>Distribution of cleaning supplies</li> </ul>  |  |  |
| C4D  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>IEC and risk communication efforts</li> <li>HH visits (one-off using RRTs)</li> </ul>  |  | Should be based on a standard package (that has been pre-tested and context-specific)          |
| Community engagement                         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Training of local leaders</li> <li>Deployment of RRTs</li> </ul>   |  | If RRTs are not already established and in place, should be trained and deployed               |

## Endemic setting ('pre-emptive' - preparedness / prevention)

| Component                                    | Activity   | Factors to be taken into consideration   | Notes   |
|--|--|--|---|
| Household water treatment and storage (HWTS) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Locally available water treatment products</li> <li>Water filters</li> <li>Safe water storage containers<sup>1</sup></li> </ul> | Subsidy scheme / acceptability for distribution of items<br><br>Fixed point vs mobile vaccination campaign, particularly if water storage containers will be distributed as part of HWTS package | Ensure that the local market can support replacement and O & M products               |
| Environmental sanitation                     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Emptying of full pit latrines</li> <li>Community cleaning campaigns</li> <li>ODF or CLTS efforts</li> </ul>                     | Resources, timeliness, access of trucks to empty pit latrines  |   |
| Hygiene / health promotion                   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Distribution of soap</li> <li>Distribution of ORS</li> <li>Distribution of cleaning supplies</li> </ul>                         | Subsidy scheme / acceptability for distribution of items   |   |
| C4D  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>IEC and risk communication efforts</li> <li>HH visits (frequent using CHWs)</li> </ul>  |  | Should be based on a standard package (that has been pre-tested and context-specific) |
| Community engagement                         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Training of local leaders</li> <li>Deployment of CHWs</li> </ul>  |  | If CHWs are not already established and in place, should be trained and deployed      |

# PRESENTATION 2.

## WASH and cholera training, Pierre Yves Oger

# MAIN TOPICS OF AXIS 1 & 2



# AXIS 1. PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE OUTBREAKS - TOPICS

**Early warning surveillance systems**

**Pre-positioning and maintenance of stocks** of essential supplies (ORS, IV fluids, cholera kits, High Test Hypochlorite),

**Preparedness of WASH systems** (including monitoring of water quality)

**Preparedness of the health care system**, set-up of dedicated health care facilities and training of health workers, and improved health care facility infrastructure

**Establishment of WASH and Health Rapid Response Teams**

**Community engagement and community-based interventions** promoting hygiene practices.

**Mass vaccination campaigns with OCV**, contingency agreements with governments,

# AXIS 2: WASH IMPLEMENTATION PLAN IN HOTSPOTS - TOPICS

**Identifying of hotspots** requiring priority action and analysis of local transmission pattern

Implementation of adapted **long-term sustainable WASH** solutions to ensure use of safe water, basic sanitation and good hygiene practices to populations most at risk of cholera.

Strengthening of epidemiological **surveillance** of clinically suspect cholera cases, complemented by a strong laboratory capacity at the peripheral level

Strengthening of **health care systems** (readiness) through capacity building of staff involved in all aspects of cholera response, and pre-positioning of resources for patient diagnostics

Implementation of hygiene promotion, risk communication and social mobilisation strategies

**Cross-border collaboration** and building of a strong sub-regional preparedness and response strategy.

# EXISTING MATERIAL

# AXIS 1. PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE OUTBREAKS

## From GTFCC:

- WASH and IPC in CTCs Note
- Environmental Surveillance Note
- Outbreak Response Manual (yellow book)
- *WASH for OCV campaigns (draft/under-development)*
- *Technical Factsheets/Checklists (draft/under-development)*
- *Training Framework*

# AXIS 1. PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE OUTBREAKS

## From Partners:

- ACF: Cholera Manual (under development)
- Oxfam: Cholera and Community Engagement Guidelines
- UNICEF: Community engagement/risk communications
- UNICEF: Rapid Response Team Technical Note
- WHO and UNICEF: Water Quality Surveillance
- WHO and UNICEF: Cholera Toolkit
- WHO and UNICEF: WASH FIT (WASH in Health)
- WHO: Sanitation and Health

# AXIS 2: WASH IMPLEMENTATION PLAN IN HOTSPOTS

## From GTFCC:

- *Costed NCP WASH Guidance Package:*
  - ✓ *Information Management System tool*
  - ✓ *Checklist for technical assessment (including social, economic/financial, environmental, community engagement, policy/governance aspects)*
  - ✓ *Technical costing tool*
  - ✓ *Monitoring tool*
- *Training Framework*
- *Advocacy Guidelines*

# AXIS 2: WASH IMPLEMENTATION PLAN IN HOTSPOTS

**From Partners:**

