

FAMILY PLANNING 2020 COMMITMENT

GOVT. OF VIETNAM

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The following text summarizes the commitment made by the government of Vietnam at the London Summit on Family Planning on July 11, 2012.

Objectives

- To ensure universal access to family planning;
- To bring the mCPR for married women (ages 15-49) up to 70% by 2020 from 67.5% to 2015

FINANCIAL COMMITMENTS

The government is committed to:

1. Ensure adequate budget for family planning (FP) services for the poor and near poor people, and those who are marginalized, hard to reach, and ethnic minority groups;
2. Ensure sufficient budget for consolidation of the service provision network in line with technical decentralization requirements, focusing on marginalized, hard to reach areas, ensuring provision of FP and essential reproductive health (RH) services at all levels, especially at grass roots level.
3. Ensure budgets to meet essential needs for the population/FP/RH programs and services as well as implementing Government policies prioritized for marginalized, hard to reach and ethnic minority groups.
4. Ensure to improve the quality of services through issuing technical protocols, technical procedures; upgrading infrastructures, providing equipment and training to update knowledge of FP/RH service providers

POLICY COMMITMENTS

The government is committed to:

1. Increase accessibilities to FP/RH services in regions that have slow declining maternal mortality rates.
2. Cooperate with telecommunication providers and high tech-media in proactively providing information to adolescents and unmarried youth; improving cooperation between public and private providers to provide youth friendly services and contraceptive methods; developing reproductive health and sexual health policies and strengthening inter-sectoral cooperation on youth's reproductive and sexual health; promoting youth's participating in developing, implementing and monitoring reproductive and sexual health services and interventions.
3. Improve rights-based approaches in providing family planning services, developing national standards for a quality system of contraceptive methods in accordance with international standards; developing policies to support participation of private sector and NGOs in providing contraceptives and family planning services; expanding and perfecting financial mechanisms for family planning services to ensure quality, competitive price and method mix
4. Strengthen the health system, improve linkages and integrate HIV into FP/SRH policies, programs and services at all levels; perfecting policies and interventions in accordance with culture; ensure the provision of quality FP/SRH services, thereby improving clients' satisfaction.

PROGRAM & SERVICE DELIVERY COMMITMENTS

1. The UNFPA cooperative program:

Project VNM8P02: “*Supporting the Ministry of Health to effectively implement the National Strategy on Population and Reproductive Health, period of 2011-2020.*” The project's total ODA budget for Ministry of Health for the period of 2011 – 2016 is USD 7,300,000. For the Target on family planning, the project supports implementing a comprehensive condom program; conducting surveys on accessibility to family planning services; surveys on barriers to ethnic minority populations in accessing family planning services... During the period of 2016-2020, UNFPA will commit to continue its support to Viet Nam on FP/SRH and other issues.

2. MSI cooperative program:

Main components: (1) Promoting procurement of and access to long-term and permanent family planning methods of poor women living in difficult and prioritized areas in Viet Nam, including poor and near- poor women, ethnic women of priority in Viet Nam, basing on the principle of client's rights to informed choice and conforming to technical criteria as well as MOH's requirements. (2) Supporting marketing capacity and procurement of contraceptives of GOPFP and provincial population-family planning offices, diversifying choices of long-term contraceptives, including IUD and implant.