## USAID GLOBAL HEALTH SUPPLY CHAIN PROGRAM

Procurement and Supply Management









The purpose of the USAID Global Health Supply Chain Program-Procurement and Supply Management (GHSC-PSM) project single award indefinite delivery indefinite quantity (IDIQ) contract is to ensure an uninterrupted supply of public health commodities that save lives worldwide. The IDIQ has four global health task orders that deliver health products for the U.S. President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief, the U.S. President's Malaria Initiative, USAID's family planning and reproductive health program, and USAID's maternal, newborn, and child health program.

We connect technical solutions and proven commercial processes to promote efficient and cost-effective health supply chains worldwide. We purchase and deliver health commodities, offer comprehensive technical assistance to strengthen national supply chain systems, and provide global supply chain leadership to ensure that lifesaving health supplies reach those most in need.

The project's three primary objectives are:

# OBJECTIVE I: GLOBAL COMMODITY PROCUREMENT AND LOGISTICS

**Health commodity procurement.** We support safe, reliable, and continuous supply of health commodities through strategic sourcing, supplier selection, procurement, subcontractor management, risk management, supply and demand forecasting.

**Logistics.** We deploy expert technical assistance to strengthen all logistics processes associated with the storage and delivery of health commodities to donor-supported countries.

**Strategic sourcing.** We develop and implement sourcing strategies aimed at achieving best value, reducing cycle time, securing value-added services, and reducing cost for our clients. We are increasing the share of total procurement managed under long-term agreements, where appropriate, to reduce labor-intensive, on-off contracting.

#### BACKGROUND

#### **CLIENT**

- USAID Bureau for Global Health
- U.S. President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief
- U.S. President's Malaria Initiative

#### **VALUE OF SERVICES**

• \$9.5 billion ceiling

#### **DURATION**

January 2016 to September 2023

#### PRIME CONTRACTOR

• Chemonics International Inc.

#### **SUBCONTRACTORS**

- ARBOLA Inc.
- Axios International Inc.
- IDA Foundation
- International Business Machines Corp.
- IntraHealth International Inc.
- Kuehne + Nagel Inc.
- McKinsey & Company
- Panagora Group LLC
- Population Services International
- SGS Netherlands B.V.
- University Research Co.

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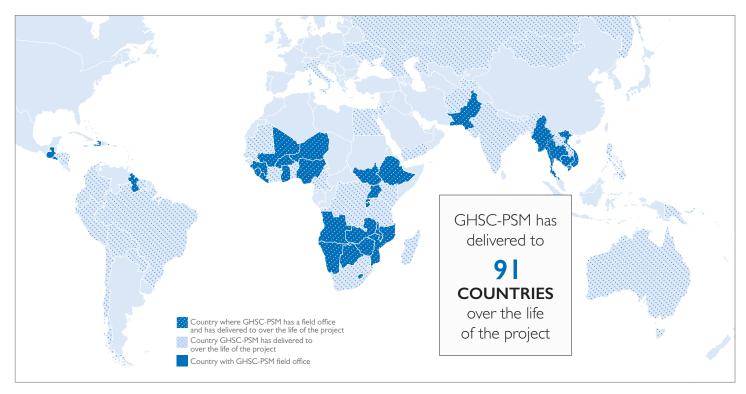












**Market dynamics.** We aim to shape and strengthen the market for key public health commodities. Based on needs identified by market dynamics analysis, we advocate for changes in policy and practice.

### **OBJECTIVE 2: SYSTEMS STRENGTHENING TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE**

**Planning.** We support strategic planning and implementation related to supply chain management and commodity security. We provide technical assistance in health commodity quantification, forecasting, and supply planning.

**In-country logistics.** We provide technical assistance in procurement; warehousing; inventory management, distribution, and transportation; laboratory network optimization; health care waste management; supply chain design; and data collection.

**Workforce development.** We implement strategies to promote workforce development, including by transferring health commodity supply chain management skills, knowledge, and technology to the partner country.

**Enabling environments.** We collaborate with key national stakeholders to formulate and implement new and better policies, allocate resources effectively, coordinate multi-sector efforts to improve health supply chains, and leverage high-quality data for sound decision making.

## **OBJECTIVE 3: GLOBAL COLLABORATION**

**Strategic engagement.** We engage actively with other global players to promote availability of health commodities by providing expertise, promoting harmonization in standards and practices, and managing commodity stock information as a global good.

Research and innovation. We collect, analyze, and report market intelligence information for strategic decision making by U.S. Government agencies and partners and engage in cutting-edge research that helps shape global markets to meet countries' needs.

**Advocacy.** We support awareness-raising efforts with health supply chain partners that have global or regional reach to help make commodity security part of development agendas, strengthen programs, and mobilize additional resources.

**Global coordination.** We coordinate and collaborate across GHSC-PSM health areas and with other GHSC projects on procurement planning, product quality assurance, and data visibility and use.