Ensuring Efforts to Scale up, Strengthen and Sustain HIV Responses: Leveraging current and innovative approaches to financing

February 20 – 21, Nairobi, Kenya

DAY ONE

- 8:45 9:15 Welcome, Introductions, overview of JLI project, agenda review
 - Michiel Heidenrijk, Joep Lange Institute
 - Angeline Siparo, Chair, Kenya National AIDS Control Council
- 9:15 10:30 Overseeing the health financing landscape: How do domestic, donor and innovative financing fit together (*Facilitators for morning sessions: Michiel Heidenrijk, Nduku Kilonzo*)
 - Mobilizing domestic resources:
 - How is the HIV response currently supported through domestic resources? What is working/not working? Where do we see the funding gaps? (Nduku Kilonzo, Kenya NAAC)
 - Universal Health Coverage: What does it entail and will it make a difference for HIV? Potential strengths, country experiences (Jonas Bagas, APCASO)
 - Lessons from the UHC Forum, Tokyo 2017. What has been achieved so far? How will HIV funding be affected by UHC scale up? (Mark Dybul, Georgetown University)
 - Mobilizing donor resources
 - The future of ODA; How helpful is the current ODA paradigm? What needs to change to make ODA SDG-proof? (Peter van Rooijen, ICSS)
 - Innovative financing:
 - The opportunities and challenges of "innovative financing" and the need to focus in on realistic funding scenarios (Mark Dybul).
- 10:30 10:45 Break
- 10:45 11:30 Full group discussion
- 11:30 12:00 Overview of innovative financing principles (Amb. John Simon, Total Impact Capitol)
 - Incentive alignment
 - Risk allocation
 - Leverage
 - Blended capital
 - Pay for performance
- 12:00 13:00 Examples of current financing approaches:
 - Kenya (Regina Ombam, NACC Kenya)
 - Macedonia (Andrei Senih, Stronger Together, Association for Support of People Living with HIV)
 - Uganda (Lillian Mworeko, ICWEast Africa)

- 13:00 14:00 Lunch
- 14:00 14:15 Preparation for break-out groups:
 - 1. The role of HIV funding in advancing UHC (John Simon)
 - 2. Funding community-based service delivery (David Barr)
 - 3. Funding successful MIC transitions (Peter van Rooijen)
 - 4. Increasing resources for HIV prevention (*Regina Ombam*)
- 14:30 16:30 Break out groups: Developing example funding scenarios
- 16:30 16:45 Break
- 16:45 17:45 Report back on example scenarios and group discussion (Facilitators: John Simon, Regina Ombam)

DAY TWO

- 8:45 9:00 Re-cap from Day One, Agenda Review (Moderators for morning sessions: Mark Dybul, Lillian Mworeko)
- 9:00 10:15 Increasing Domestic Investments for HIV and health overall
 - Intersectionality across Ministries (Nduku Kilonzo)
 - Insurance schemes and risk allocation (Onno Schellekens, Joep Lange Institute)
 - Internal and external advocacy approaches (David Traynor, The Global Fund, Lillian Mworeko)
- 10:15- 10:30 Break
- 10:30 11:30 Addressing sustainable transitions: Developing bridge funding mechanisms that lead to domestic independent financing with quality services. (Rico Gustav, ICSS, Andrei Senih)
 - What would these mechanisms look like?
 - Would they be components of existing funding mechanisms?
 - How to ensure reliability and comprehensive scope of on-going domestic resourcing?
- 11:30 12:30 Innovative funding approaches to support community systems and community-based services
 - How to improve inclusion of community-based service delivery in government financing for HIV health and support services (Rosemary Mburu, Wacihealth)
 - Use of performance-based funding for community-based service delivery (Mead Over, Center for Global Development)

12:30 - 1:30 Lunch

1:30 – 2:30 Work groups meet again to re-work scenarios based on morning discussion

- 2:30 3:30 Report backs and group discussion (*Facilitators*: *David Barr and Regina Ombam*)
- 3:30 3:45 Break
- 3:45 4:45 Advocacy toward Implementation (*Facilitators: Peter van Rooijen, Nduku Kilonzo*)
 - Implementing a comprehensive vision of UHC
 - How will UHC affect donor support for HIV?
 - What is needed at implementing and donor country levels to encourage use of these funding innovations?
 - Responsible and well-funded MIC transitions
 - Scaling up prevention
 - Maintaining quality of services
- 4:45 5:00 Recap of key discussion outcomes, Next steps
 - Mark Dybul
 - Nduku Kilonzo
 - Lillian Mworeko