



GLOBAL TASK FORCE ON
CHOLERA CONTROL

COUNTRY SUPPORT - SURVEILLANCE

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- GTFCC and partners can provide support to countries to strengthen their epidemiology and laboratory capacities
- Country-specific based on a comprehensive situational analysis
- Support includes technical and resource support
 - Guidance
 - Tools, job aids and SOPs
 - In country support
 - Capacity building
 - Provision of RDT, equipment, reagents, supplies

EPIDEMIOLOGY PACKAGE

- Update national cholera surveillance guidelines
- Training in early detection, alert and response procedures
- Distribution of SOPs, Job aids, tools and resources for surveillance (e.g. case definitions, Surveillance Guidance, Yellow Book, etc)
- Identification of hotspots, risk factors and disease transmission patterns
- Estimation of burden of disease
- Monitor progress towards control or elimination

LABORATORY PACKAGE

- Provision of cholera RDTs and specimen collection and transport supplies in **peripheral health care facilities**
- Training, job aids and SOPs in use of RDT and specimen collection and transport procedures
- Upgrade peripheral laboratories in **hotspots** for confirmation of outbreaks
 - Provision of equipment, supplies, reagents, SOPs, job aids and capacity building
- Facilitate collaborations with international reference laboratories
- Support implementation of QA/QC programmes



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COUNTRY SUPPORT – CASE MANAGEMENT

CASE MANAGEMENT WG PACKAGE

- Guidance documents, e.g.:
 - Antibiotic use in clinical cases
 - Management of cholera in pregnancy
- Cholera kits:
 - Treatment Structure hardware
 - Case management consumables
 - Investigation/lab materials
- IPC checklist and assessment framework
- In-country case mgmt. training