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Tools for Assessment and Implementation of Strategies within the Global Initiative for Childhood Cancer

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Agenda (20 min.)

1. Introduction

- PAHO/WHO Collaborating Centers
- St. Jude Children's Research Hospital and St. Jude Global
- St. Jude Global's Role as PAHO/WHO Collaborating Center for Childhood Cancer

2. Examples of collaborative work with PAHO/WHO:

- Tools for the Evaluation and Implementation of Strategies within the Global Initiative for Childhood Cancer



Introduction



Collaborating Centres of the World Health Organization (WHO)

Institutions designated by the WHO Director-General to provide strategic support to the Organization's programme at the national, inter-country, regional, interregional and global levels to carry out two key areas:

1. Implementation of the work and programme objectives set by WHO
2. Develop and strengthen institutional capacity in countries and regions*



**St. Jude Global designated as
PAHO/WHO Collaborating Center for Childhood Cancer
(2018-2022)**





WHO Global Initiative for Childhood Cancer

Global effort aimed at achieving at least a 60% survival rate for children with cancer by 2030, thus saving one million more lives



St. Jude Children's Research Hospital and St. Jude Global – PAHO/WHO Collaborating Center for Childhood Cancer



St. Jude Global

Advancing cures for catastrophic pediatric diseases through research and treatment

Improve survival rates for children with cancer and other catastrophic diseases worldwide through education, program development, and research

Support WHO in 3 guiding axes:



Inclusion of childhood cancer in national cancer control plans



Dissemination of Innovation in Health Systems and commitment of leaders



Technical Support and Participation of Global and Regional Actors



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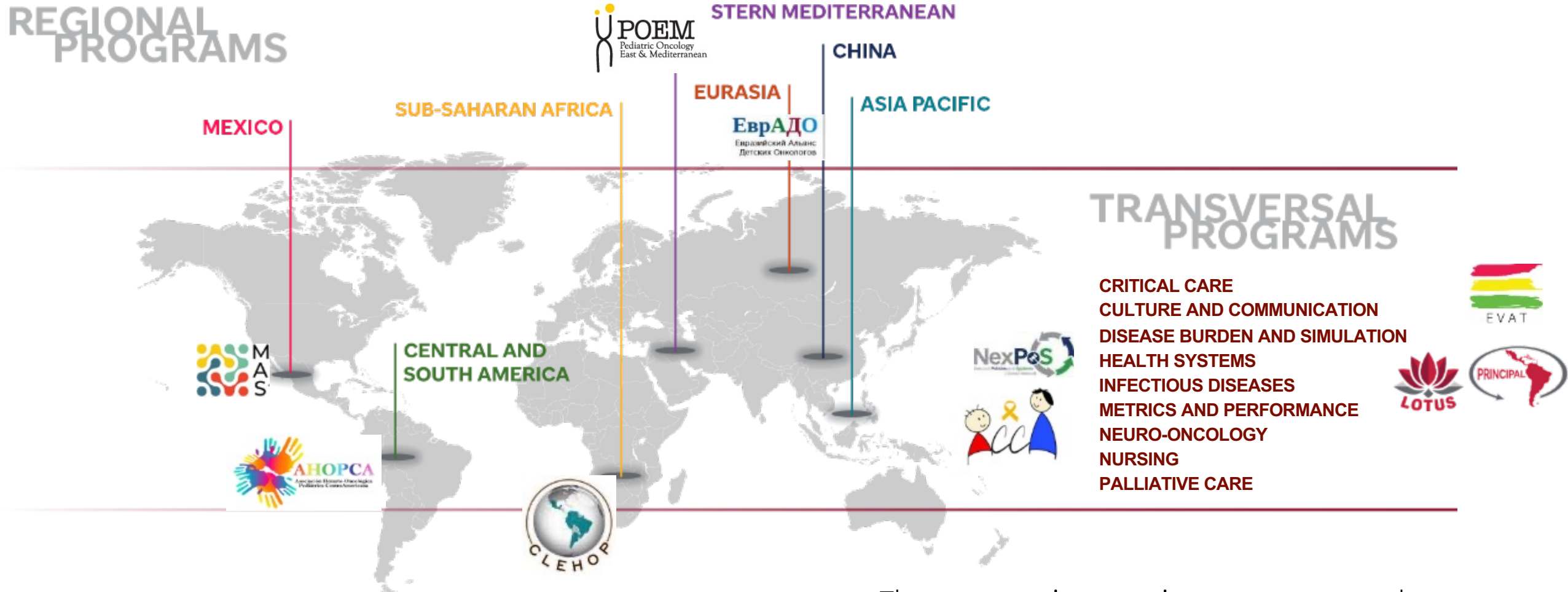


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Administrative Specialist

The St. Jude Global Health Systems Unit serves as the coordinating unit for the
PAHO/WHO Collaborating Center for Childhood Cancer

St. Jude Global Regional and Transversal Programs

REGIONAL PROGRAMS



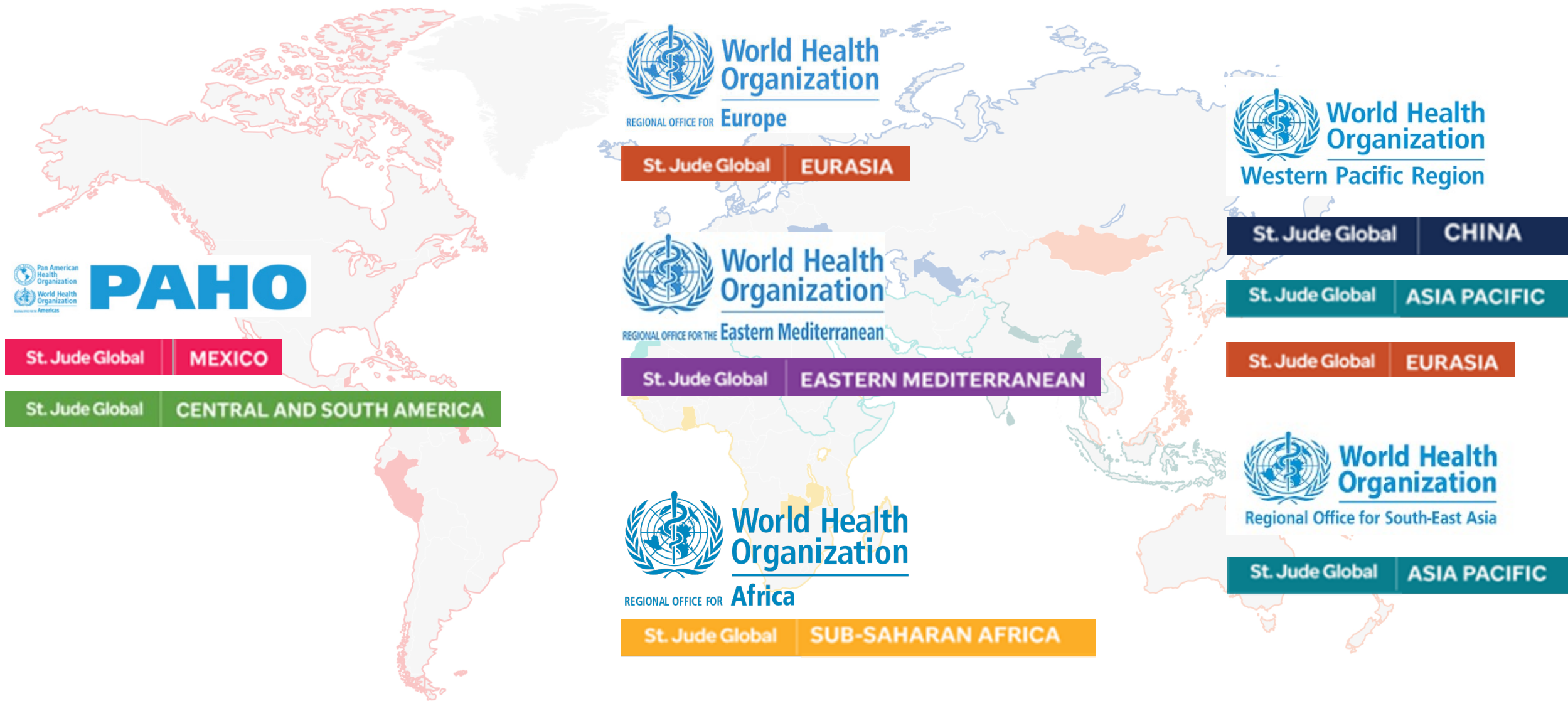
The **regional model**: efficient and effective organizational structure for implementation

The **transversal approach**: resources to accelerate implementation and collaborations for global capacity building, education and research



St. Jude Global as WHO Collaborating Centre for Childhood Cancer

Facilitating activities across WHO Headquarters, Regional and Country Offices and St. Jude Global Regional Programs



Tools for the Evaluation and Implementation of Strategies within the Global Initiative for Childhood Cancer

Examples of collaborative work with PAHO/WHO





Example 1

Inclusion of childhood cancer in national cancer control plans



How can we strengthen health systems to improve care for children with cancer?



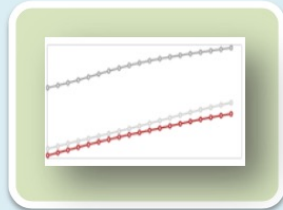
SJCARES Systems: toolkit designed to assess the health systems environment to scale up childhood cancer control through systems thinking and systems strengthening



Country Collaboration Tool for Childhood Cancer Control (C5)
Participatory mapping tool designed to help decision-makers in the country identify collaborative efforts to strengthen health systems



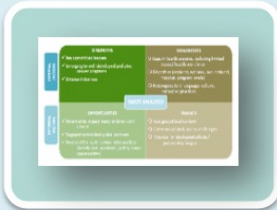
Country Collaboration for Childhood Cancer Control Tool (C5)



c1: National Context and Indicators



c2: Mapped Institutions, Organizations & Roles



c3: National SWOT



c4: Health Systems Key Areas Matrices



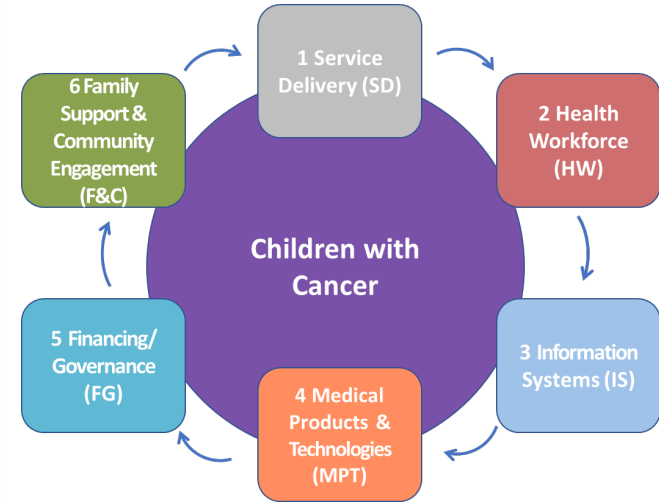
c5: Priority Collaborative Portfolios

A Tool for Mapping National and Regional Health Systems Strengthening and Collaborations



National context + Actors + Internal/External Factors across Health System impacting Care and Outcomes of Children with Cancer

Collaboration Areas considering Time, Values, Political Will and Resources



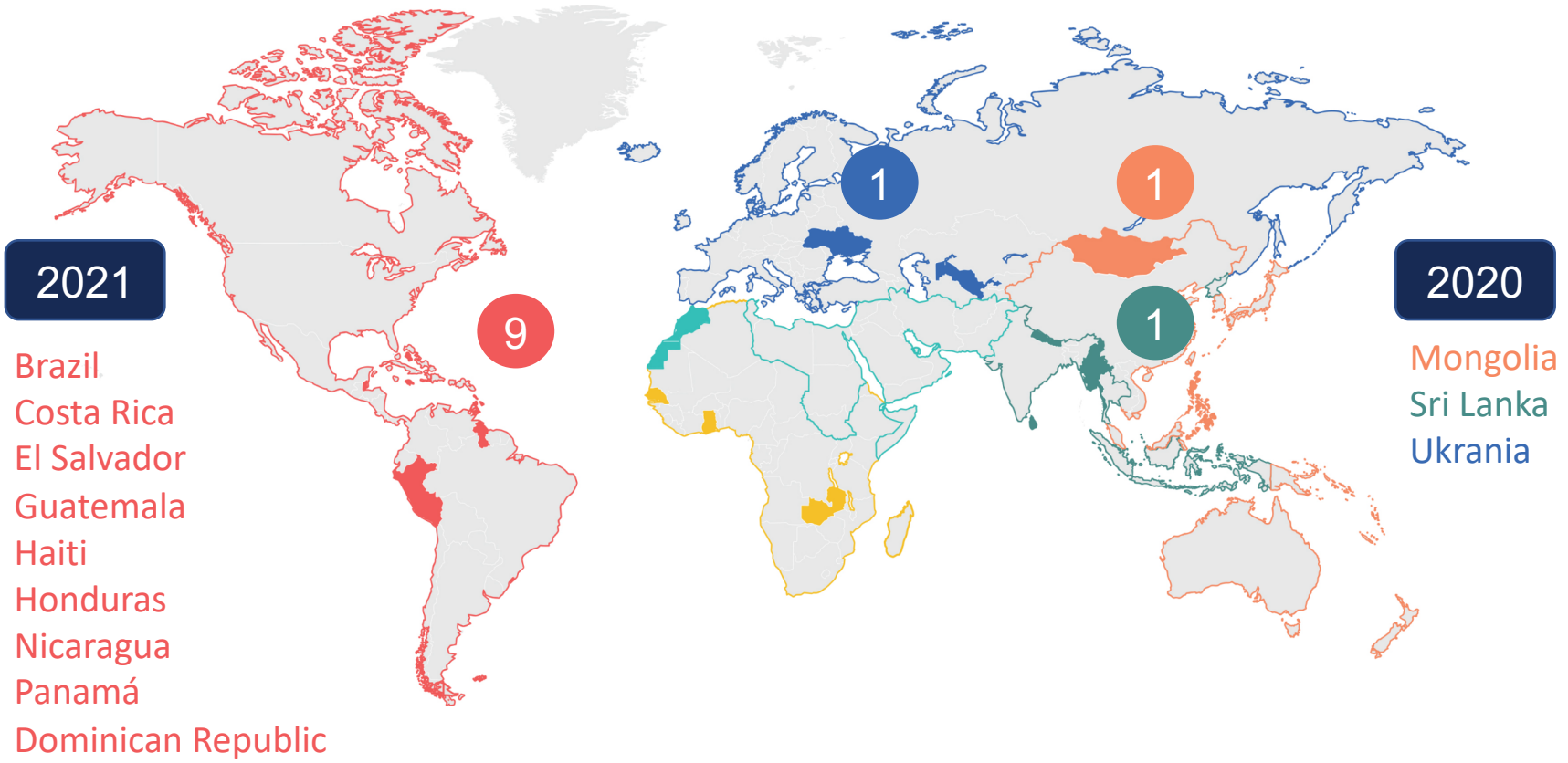
Priority Collaboration Areas + National Summary Data





Country Collaboration for Childhood Cancer Control Tool (C5)

4 WHO Regions – 12 countries





PAHO and St. Jude Global Workshop Global Initiative for Childhood Cancer: "How I Live"

Agosto 2021

Objective: As part of the Global Initiative for Childhood Cancer (GICC), PAHO and St. Jude Global will provide support to the members of the committees of the National Pediatric Cancer Plan of **Guatemala, Nicaragua, Honduras, El Salvador, Panama, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic and Haiti** in the process of implementing their activities prioritized within the National Plan for Pediatric Cancer or activities within the Regional Initiative for the SE-COMISCA for the Integral Approach of Cancer in Childhood and Adolescence



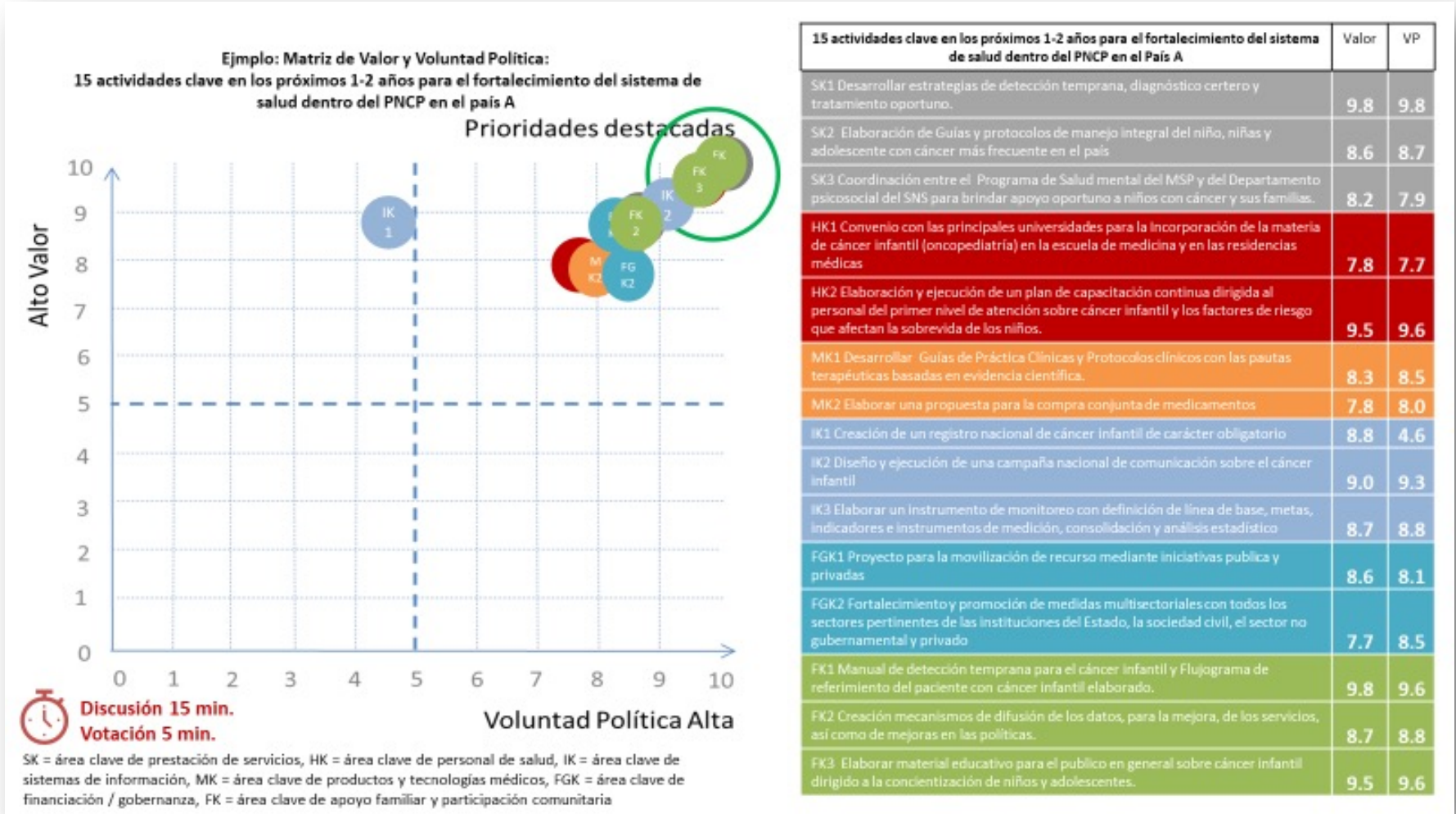
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Value Matrix and Political Will: a tool for the identification of high priority projects



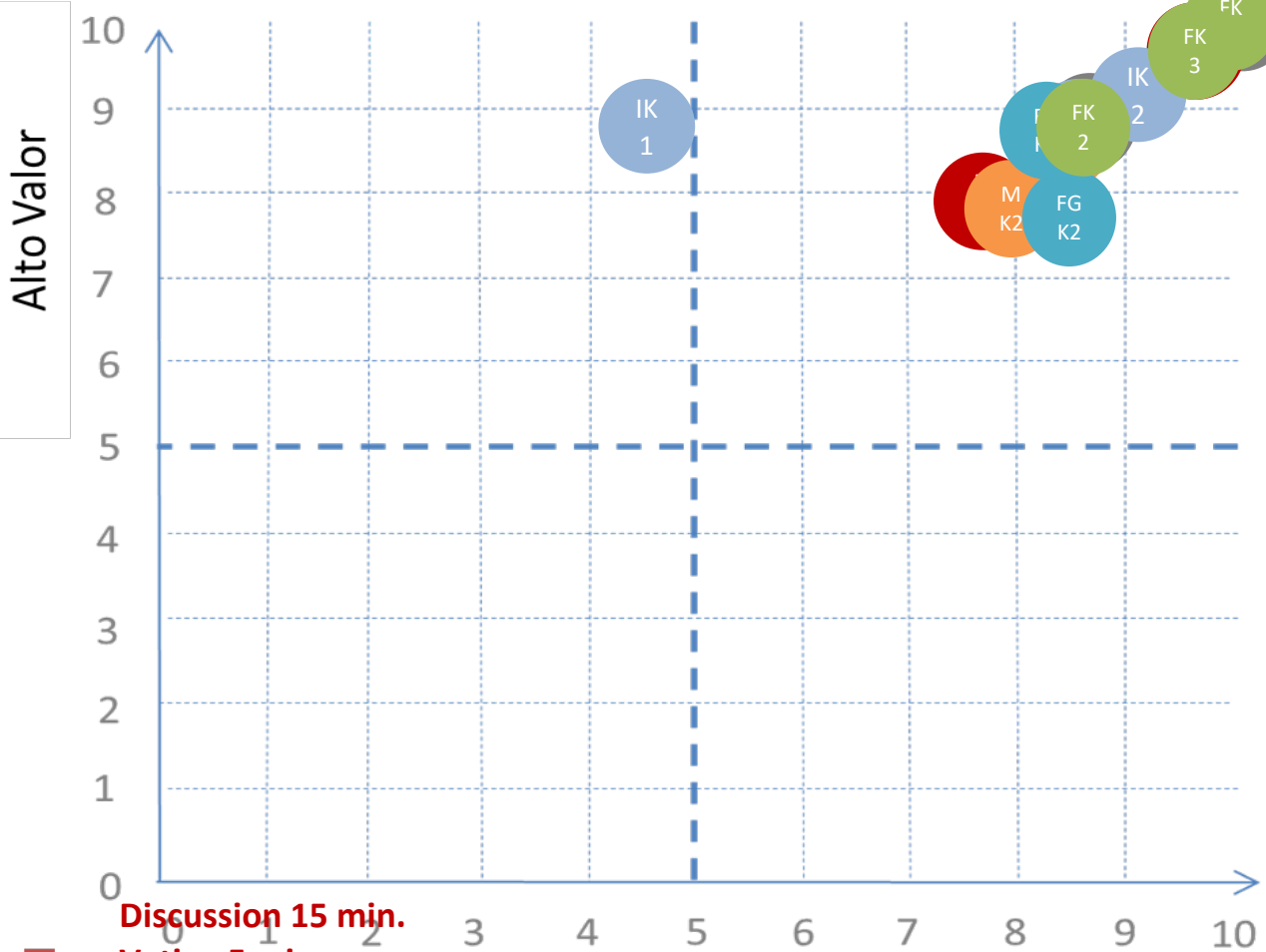
c5:
Portafolios
colaborativos
prioritarios



Example: Value Matrix and Political Will:

15 key activities in the next 1-2 years for the strengthening of the health system within the PNCP in country A

Prioridades destacadas



Discussion 15 min.
Voting 5 min.



Voluntad Política Alta

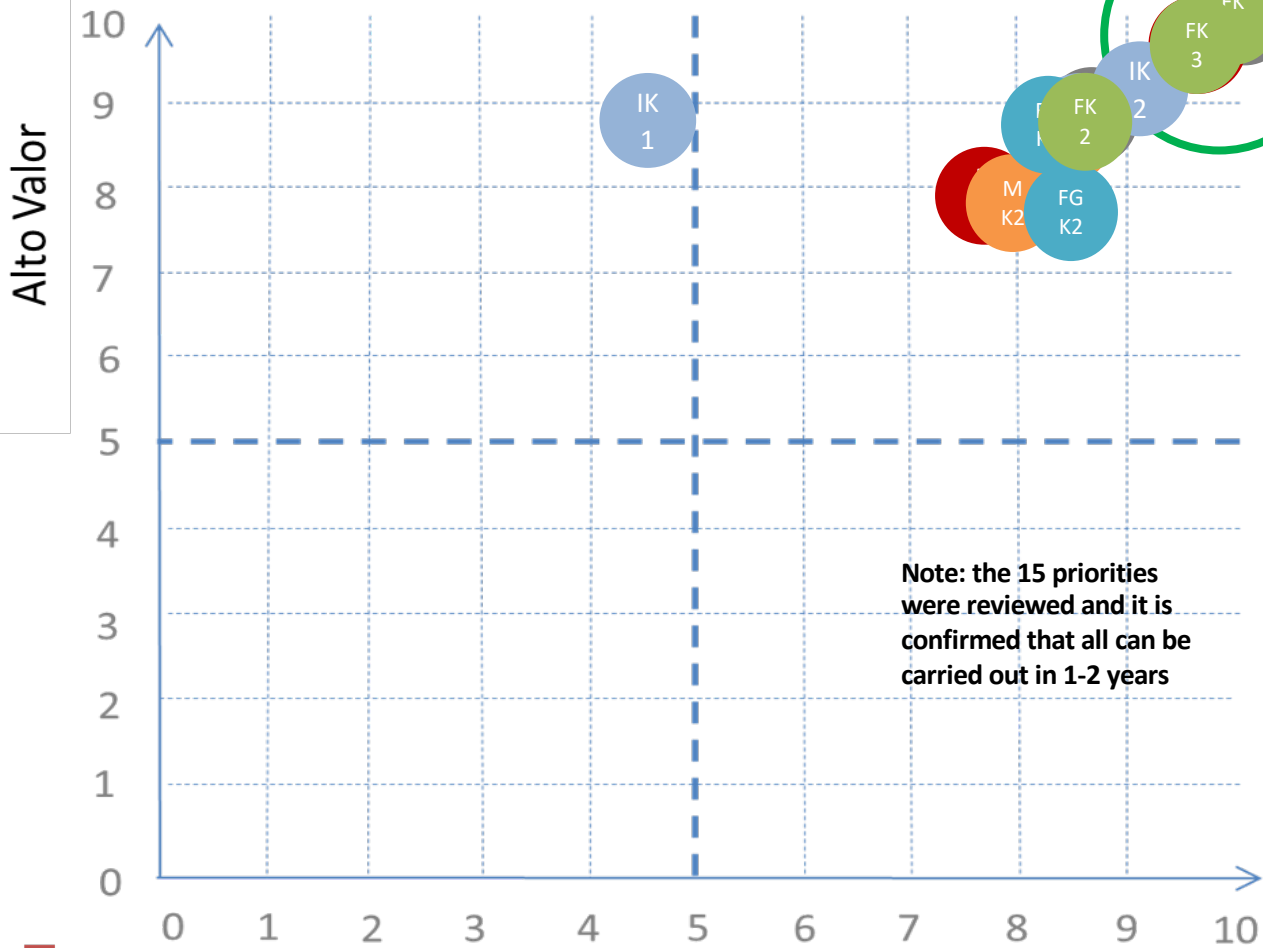
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SK1 Desarrollar estrategias de detección temprana, diagnóstico certero y tratamiento oportuno.	9.8	9.8
SK2 Elaboración de Guías y protocolos de manejo integral del niño, niñas y adolescente con cáncer más frecuente en el país	8.6	8.7
SK3 Coordinación entre el Programa de Salud mental del MSP y del Departamento psicosocial del SNS para brindar apoyo oportuno a niños con cáncer y sus familias.	8.2	7.9
HK1 Convenio con las principales universidades para la Incorporación de la materia de cáncer infantil (oncopediatría) en la escuela de medicina y en las residencias médicas	7.8	7.7
HK2 Elaboración y ejecución de un plan de capacitación continua dirigida al personal del primer nivel de atención sobre cáncer infantil y los factores de riesgo que afectan la sobrevida de los niños.	9.5	9.6
MK1 Desarrollar Guías de Práctica Clínicas y Protocolos clínicos con las pautas terapéuticas basadas en evidencia científica.	8.3	8.5
MK2 Elaborar una propuesta para la compra conjunta de medicamentos	7.8	8.0
IK1 Creación de un registro nacional de cáncer infantil de carácter obligatorio	8.8	4.6
IK2 Diseño y ejecución de una campaña nacional de comunicación sobre el cáncer infantil	9.0	9.3
IK3 Elaborar un instrumento de monitoreo con definición de línea de base, metas, indicadores e instrumentos de medición, consolidación y análisis estadístico	8.7	8.8
FGK1 Proyecto para la movilización de recurso mediante iniciativas publica y privadas	8.6	8.1
FGK2 Fortalecimiento y promoción de medidas multisectoriales con todos los sectores pertinentes de las instituciones del Estado, la sociedad civil, el sector no gubernamental y privado	7.7	8.5
FK1 Manual de detección temprana para el cáncer infantil y Flujograma de referimiento del paciente con cáncer infantil elaborado.	9.8	9.6
FK2 Creación mecanismos de difusión de los datos, para la mejora, de los servicios, así como de mejoras en las políticas.	8.7	8.8
FK3 Elaborar material educativo para el publico en general sobre cáncer infantil dirigido a la concientización de niños y adolescentes.	9.5	9.6

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15 key activities in the next 1-2 years for the strengthening of the health system within the PNCP in country A

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Note: the 15 priorities were reviewed and it is confirmed that all can be carried out in 1-2 years

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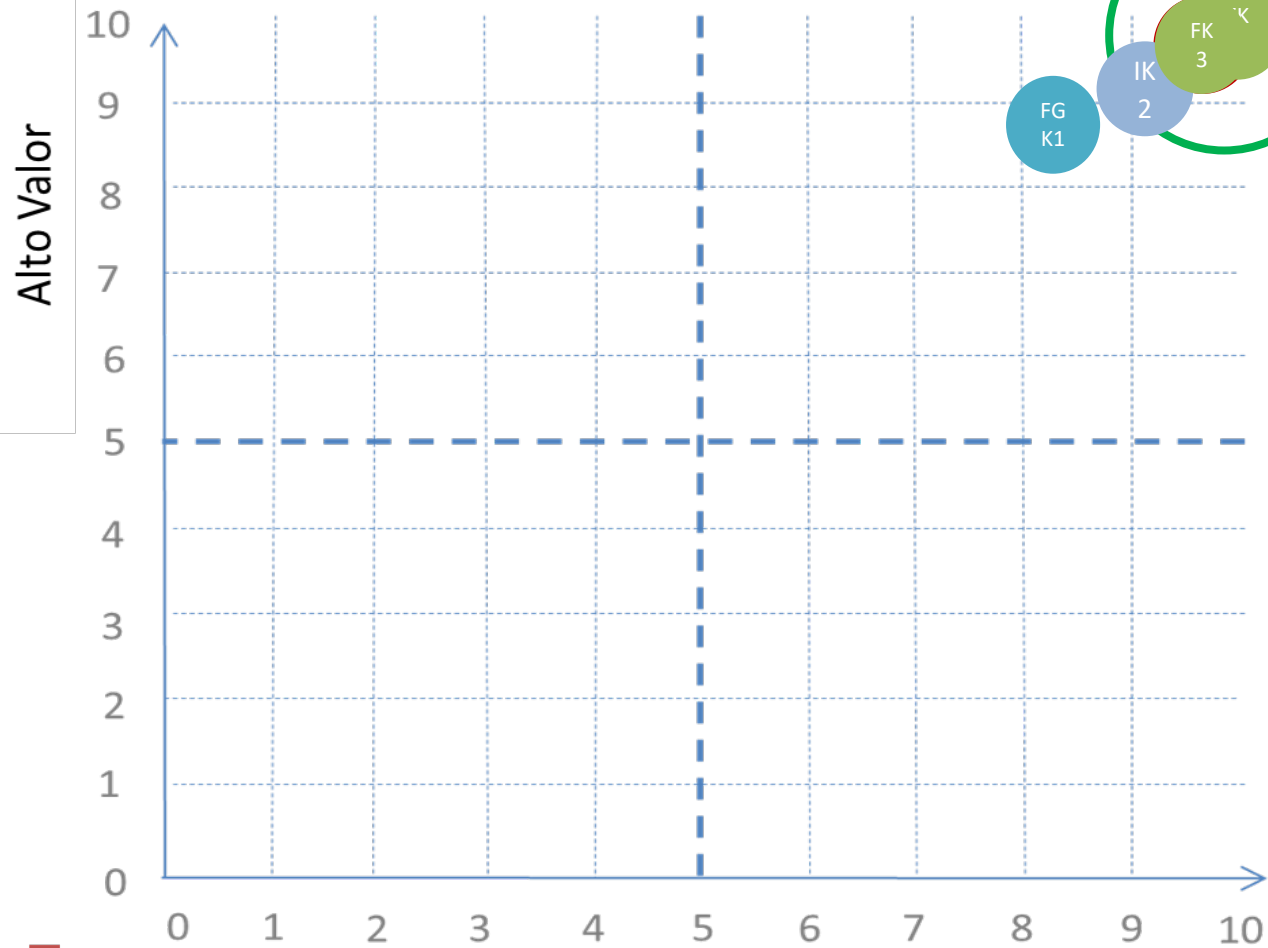




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Reporte

5 min.

1. Prestación de Servicios (SK)

3. Sistemas de Información (IK)

4. Productos y Tecnologías Médicas (MK)

5. Financiación y Gobernanza (FGK)

6. Apoyo familiar y participación comunitaria (FK)

Nombre del país: País A

Prioridad: 2. Personal de Salud (HK)

Propuesta de acción o actividad para lograr los resultados esperados
Elaboración de talleres via virtual y consenso del contenido curricular de los mismos

Entregable: producto directo, tangible y verificable de las actividades
Talleres híbridos - Plataforma virtual (videos, protocolos) y modalidad presencial

Resultado (cambio y/o impacto esperado a corto, mediano o largo plazo)
Llegar a la mayor parte de la población del personal del primer nivel de atención de cáncer infantil para educar y concientizar sobre la detección temprana de los pacientes que presenten algún tipo de cáncer para reducir el tiempo de espera y fortalecer y formalizar la referencia y contrarreferencia de los pacientes

¿Cuál es la historia de su país que contaría para ganar el apoyo de otros colaboradores?
No es solamente ampollas de quimioterapia, el niño se tiene que curar con todo un soporte y estrategia integral de atención. Documentar el camino que sigue un niño desde su diagnostico hasta el inicio de tratamiento – vivencia económica, social hasta llegar al Dx adecuado, Tx, y la odisea laboral y escolar de su familia



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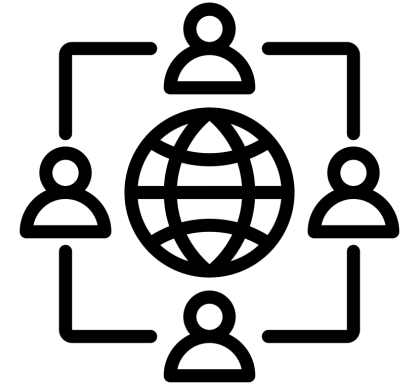
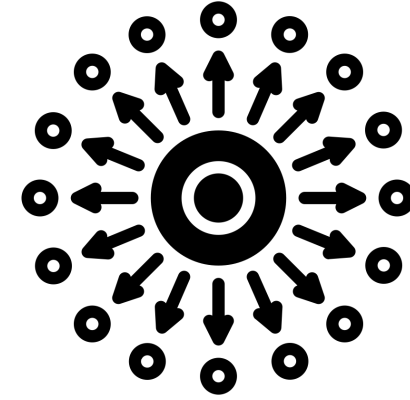
PAHO and St. Jude Global Workshop

Global Childhood Cancer Initiative: "How I Live"



Results:

- 1) **Situational analysis** of the six pillars of health systems - medical care of **children and adolescents with cancer**
- 2)
- 2) **Guidelines** for Creating an Operational Plan - **First Step in Developing a National Pediatric Cancer Plan (PNCP)**
- 3) **Identification of regional strategic priorities** to strengthen the six pillars of the health system - medical care for **children and adolescents with cancer**



Example 2

Innovation Diffusion and Leadership Engagement

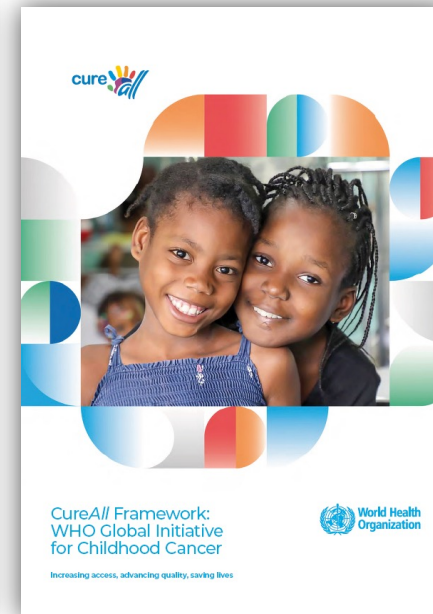
Technical Support Regional/Global Stakeholder Engagement





Innovation Diffusion
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CureAll Framework



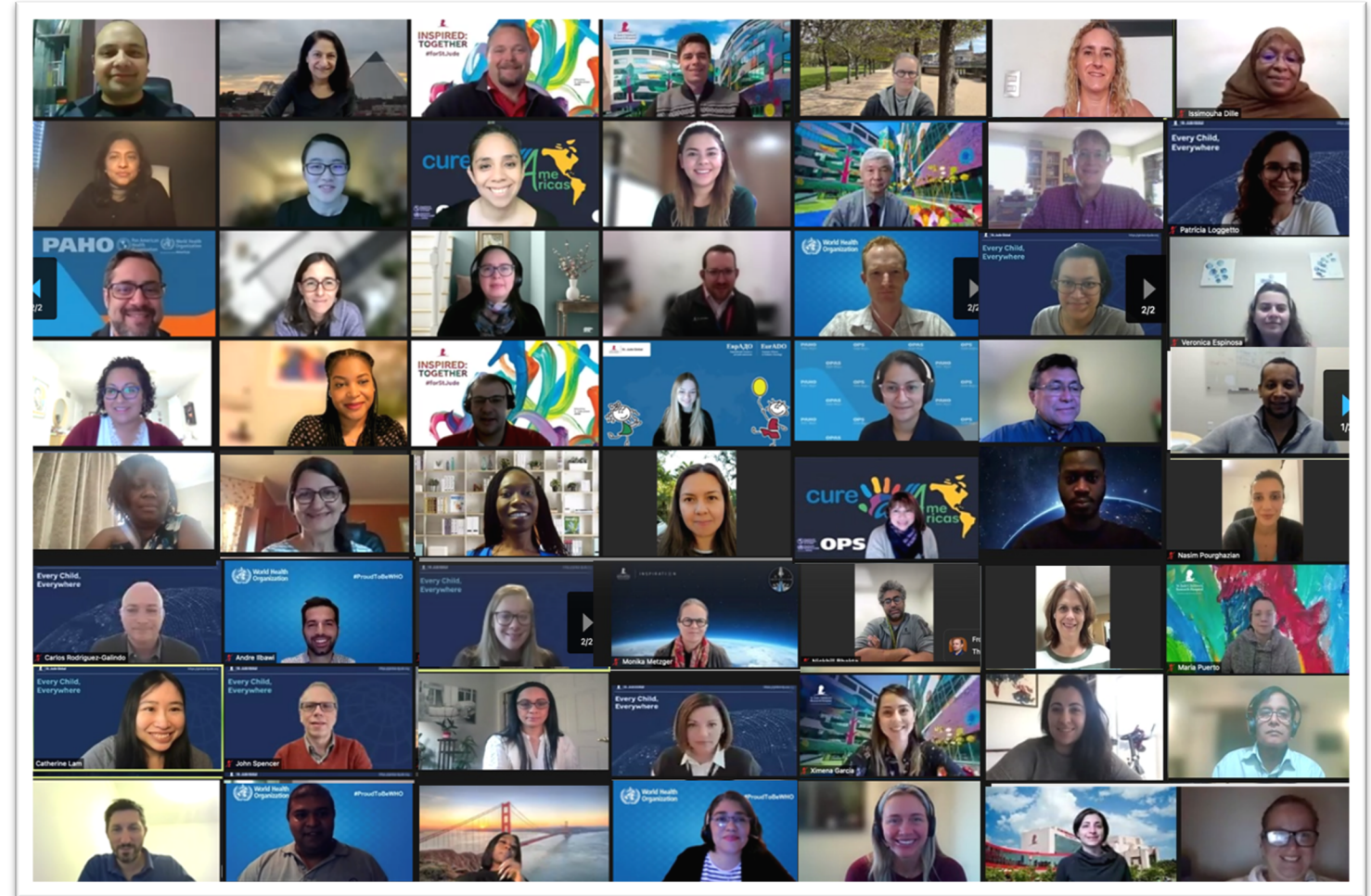
St. Jude supporting WHO's development of technical materials and packages specifically for childhood cancer, and materials/platforms on cancer/noncommunicable diseases



WHO & St. Jude Global, Global Initiative for Childhood Cancer Pre-Biennium Strategic Planning Event

Objetives

1. Analyze the current **CureAll** activities that support the Global Initiative for Childhood Cancer implementation in the six WHO regions
2. Identify and prioritize **CureAll** projects and activities that will be accomplished in collaboration of WHO and St. Jude Global **by June 2023**



Six breakout group discussions per WHO Region (60 participants)

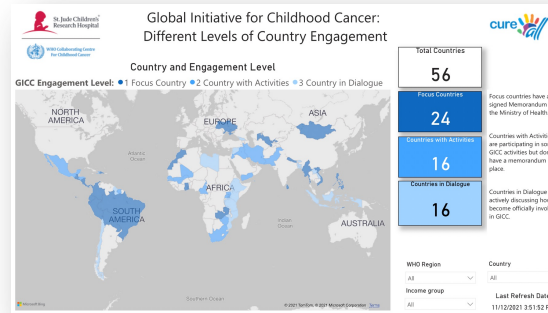


Strategic Planning Event Tools and Frameworks: situational assessment and prioritization



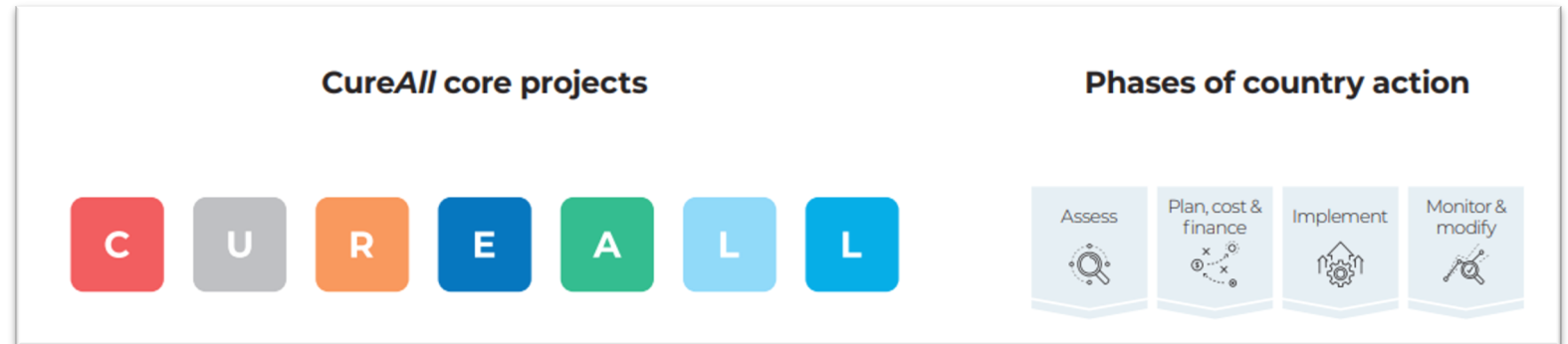
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Countries in the WHO Region involved in Global Initiative for Childhood Cancer Activities



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Country and Regional Activities under the 10 **CureAll** Core Projects Framework



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Consensus on Next Steps (2022-2023)



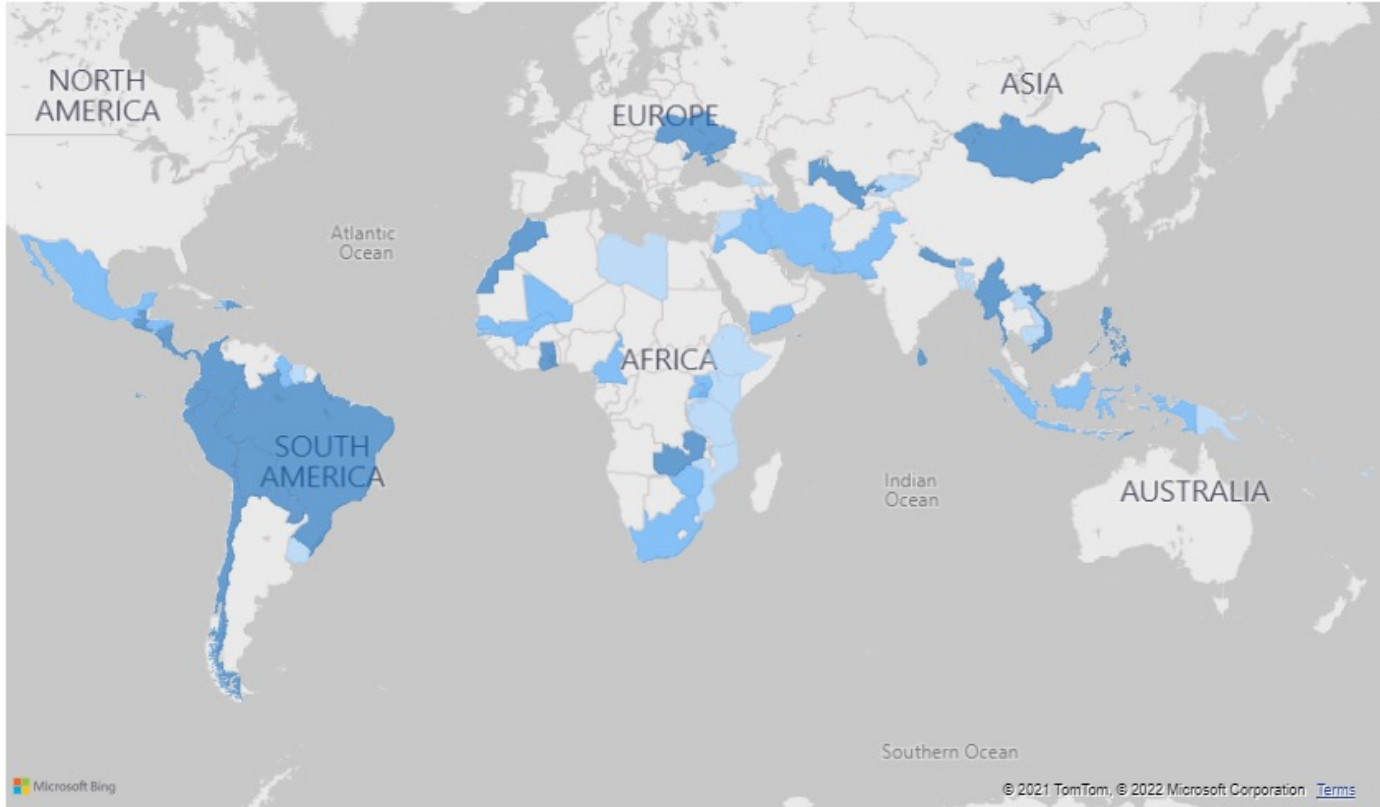


Global Initiative for Childhood Cancer: Different Levels of Country Engagement



Country and Engagement Level

GICC Engagement Level: ● 1 Focus Country ● 2 Country with Activities ● 3 Country in Dialogue



Total Countries
62

Focus Countries
25

Countries with Activities
18

Countries in Dialogue
19

Focus countries have a signed Memorandum from the Ministry of Health.

Countries with Activities are participating in some GICC activities but don't have a memorandum in place.

Countries in Dialogue are actively discussing how to become officially involved in GICC.

WHO Region
All

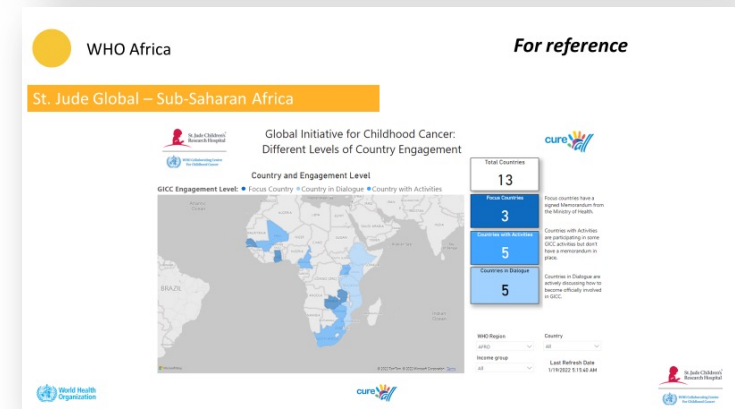
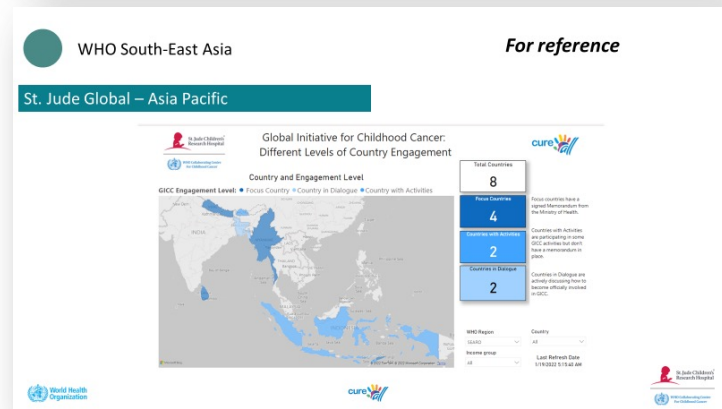
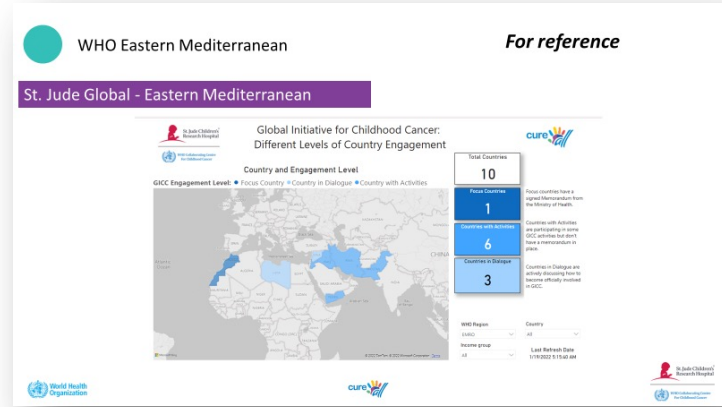
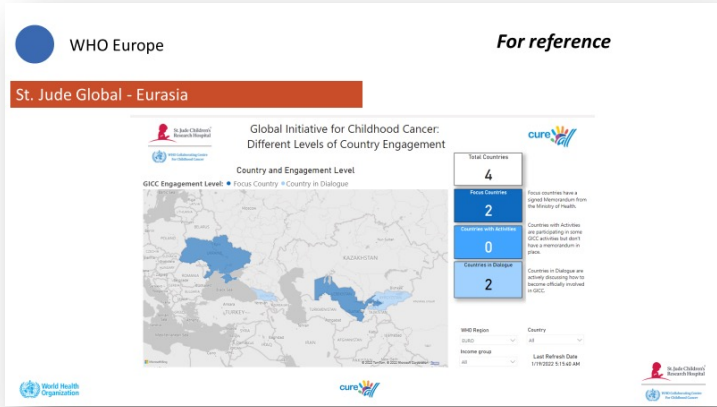
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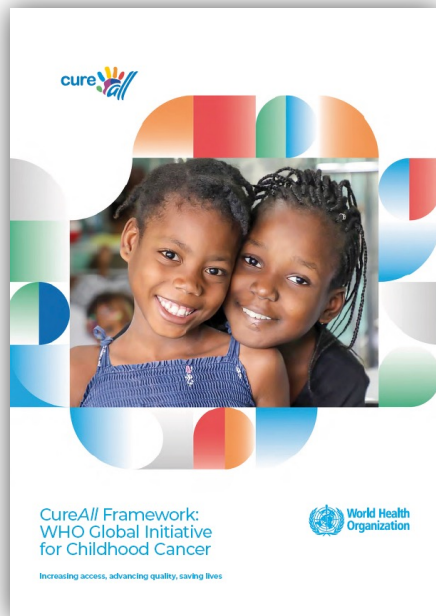
Identification and Mapping of Activities of the Global Initiative for Childhood Cancer in each WHO Region

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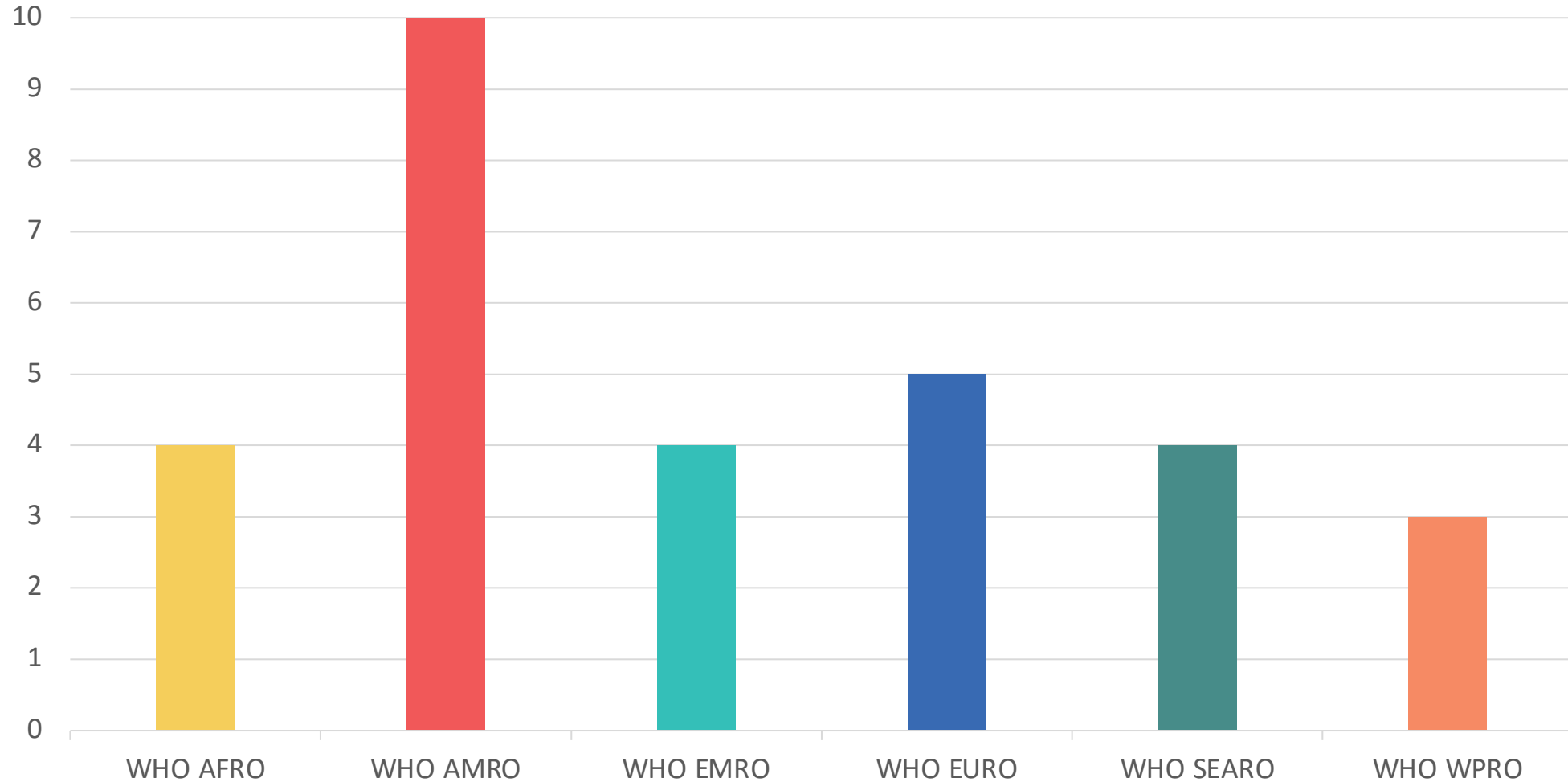
CureAll Core Projects Framework

Phase of country action



1. Analysis of cancer health system
2. National Cancer Control Strategy Development/implementation
3. Implementation of cancer workforce training packages
4. National network and referral pathway strengthening
5. Defining national standards and guidelines for index cancers
6. Essential medicines and technologies strengthening, including via UN
7. Economic analysis and benefit packages review of cancer
8. Strengthening & linking cancer registries (population & hospital based)
9. Country dashboard for childhood cancer monitoring
10. Local/regional advocacy portfolios: case studies, awareness campaigns

Number of **CureAll** projects and activities by WHO Region that will be accomplished in collaboration of WHO and St. Jude Global by June 2023*



Consensus
on Next
Steps
(2022-2023)

*30 priorities identified by WHO Region during the virtual WHO & St. Jude Strategic Planning Event in December 2021. These projects will be accomplished in collaboration of WHO and St. Jude Global **by June 2023**

Priority projects in the 6 WHO Regions distributed across 3 CureAll Core Projects



Strengthening & linking registries
(population & hospital based)



National cancer control strategy
development/implementation



Implementation of cancer
workforce training packages

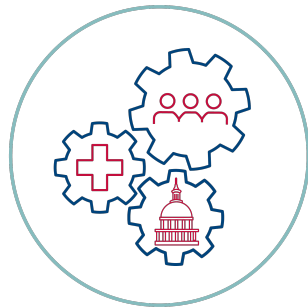
86% of the
identified priority
projects in the 6
WHO Regions

St. Jude Global Transversal Programs* working with 6 WHO Regions in upcoming prioritized collaborative projects

Health Systems Unit
(SJCARES Policies and
Systems)



Palliative
Care



Professional
Education



Global Nursing
Program



Disease Burden
and Simulation
Modeling (SJCARES
Registry and ARIA)



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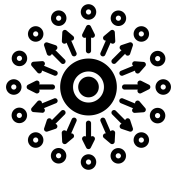
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Conclusions



National Cancer Control Planning



Innovation Diffusion and Leadership Engagement



Technical Support Regional/Global Stakeholder Engagement

Thank you to all our global collaborators

International Agency for Research on Cancer



World Health Organization



IAEA

International Atomic Energy Agency



UNDP



World Health Organization



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Senofi Espoir Foundation



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