**24-30 APRIL**

**Vaccination Week in the Americas**

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FINAL REPORT 2021

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**“Vaccines bring us closer. #GetVax”**

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| **Vaccination Week in the Americas 2021****FINAL REPORT*****Return to PAHO by 31 July 2020*** |
| **Country**  |  |
| *Summarize in a short paragraph how your country celebrated VWA 2021.*  |
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| **Launching Events** |
| Date | In-Person/Virtual | Level (Local, National, other) | Invited guests (from government, UN agencies, civil society, celebrities, etc.) | Additional info (link to recording) |
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| **Number of people vaccinated by population***Please enter the number of persons vaccinated per age group.*  |
| **0-12 months** | **1-4 years** | **<5 years** | **> 5 years** | **WCBAs** | **Adults** | **>60 years** | **High risk occupations** | **Health Care Workers** | **Others** | **TOTAL** |
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| *Comment/Explanation (if needed):* |

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| **Goals by Antigen***Please enter the number of persons vaccinated with each antigen.* |
| **COVID-19** | **Measles****Mumps Rubella (MMR)** | **Measles and Rubella (MR)** | **Polio bOPV** | **Polio****IPV** | **Yellow Fever** | **Influenza** | **Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis (DTP)** | **Diphtheria Tetanus** **(<7 yrs)****(DT)** |
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| **Tetanus diptheria (>7 yrs)****(Td)** | **Haemophilus influenzae type b****(Hib)** | **Hepatitis B** | **Penta-valent** | **BCG** | **Rotavirus** | **Pneumo** | **HPV** | **Other** |
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| *Comment/Explanation (if needed):* |

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| **Vaccination goals for specific populations***Please enter the number of municipalities in which you vaccinated specific populations (indigenous, afro-descendants and border areas)* |
| **Number of border municipalities** | **Number of municipalities where indigenous and afro-descendants live** |
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| *Comment/Explanation (if needed):* |
| **Number of individuals vaccinated living in at-risk municipalities (indigenous, afro-descendants)***Please enter the number of persons vaccinated per age group* |
| **0-12 months** | **1-4 years** | **<5 years** | **> 5 yo** | **WCBAs Td** | **Adults** | **>60 years** | **High risk occupations** | **Health Care Workers** | **Others** | **TOTAL** |
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| *Comment/Explanation (if needed):* |
| **Number of individuals vaccinated living in at-risk municipalities (border areas)***Please enter the number of persons vaccinated per age group* |
| **0-12 months** | **1-4 years** | **<5 years** | **> 5 yo** | **WCBAs Td** | **Adults** | **>60 years** | **High risk occupations** | **Health Care Workers** | **Others** | **TOTAL** |
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| *Comment/Explanation (if needed):* |

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| **COVID-19 Vaccination**  |
| ***During VWA 2021, one of the main focused was the introduction of the COVID-19 vaccines. VWA provided countries with an opportunity to use this platform to introduce, promote and reach their population with COVID-19 vaccines.***  |
| **Did your country used VWA 2021 to vaccinate people against COVID-19?** | Yes[ ]  | No [ ]  |
| *Indicate which methods your country used to reach the population and which groups were prioritize:* |
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| **Number of people vaccinated** |
| Health Care Workers  | Other essential personel | Older adults | People with chronic diseases | Others | Total |
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| **Flu Vaccination**  |
| ***VWA 2021 focused on prioritizing influenza vaccination to prevent respiratory illness or hospitalizations caused by influenza in countries where the influenza season began, and thus supporting the response efforts of the COVID-19 pandemic.*** |
| *Indicate whether your country prioritized influenza vaccination, which methods were used to reach the population, how many people were vaccinated, and which groups were prioritized.* | Yes[ ]  | No [ ]  |
| *Comment/Explanation (if needed):* |
| **Number of people vaccinated**  |
| Children under 5yo | Pregnant Women | People with chronic diseases | Older adults 60+ | Health Care Workers  | Others | Total |
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| **Measles Vaccination** |
| **VWA 2021 was a great opportunity for all the countries of the Region to implement activities to end the current outbreaks of measles, protect their communities, and permanently eliminate the measles virus in the Americas.** |
| **Protect the achievement of measles elimination***Did you carry out activities to protect the elimination of measles in your country?* |  Yes[ ]  | No [ ]  |
| ***How many children did you vaccinate?***  |  |
| ***What ages?*** |  |
| ***Were adults vaccinated against measles?*** | Yes [ ]  No [ ]  |
| ***How many?*** | Number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

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| **Campaign Specifics** |
| **Adapting the campaign** Please describe what steps, if any, did the country take to adapt the VWA campaign, taking into account the global epidemiological situation, the COVID-19 pandemic and countries’ lockdown policies. (e.g. rearranging vaccination services, personal and community protective measures, vaccination in special and non-conventional places, specific messaging for the population regarding the importance of vaccines during the pandemic, etc.) |
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| **Sustaining the achievements** *Indicate if your country carried out activities to protect achievements (e.g.: maintaining elimination of diseases, completion of childhood schedules, etc.), and then briefly describe plans the space below*  | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
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| **Completing the unfinished agenda in order to prevent and control vaccine-preventable diseases***Indicate if your country carried out activities to complete the unfinished agenda (e.g.: seasonal influenza prevention, elimination of neonatal tetanus, protection of occupational risk groups, hep. B elimination, etc.), and then briefly describe plans in the space below.* | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
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| **Strengthen health services for effective vaccine administration** *Indicate if your country carried out activities to strengthen health services.* | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
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| **Vulnerable Population Group Activities***Indicate if your country carried out activities to target vulnerable population groups, and then briefly describe the type of activities and the planned target groups in the space below.*  | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
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| **Social Mobilization and Communication Activities**  |
| Did you use the Regional slogan, “Vaccines bring us closer. #GetVax”?  | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
| Did you develop other targeted messages/slogans? This can include the adaptation of slogans into indigenous languages. Describe below. | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
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| Did your country develop additional communicational/promotional materials (e.g.: brochures, posters, t-shirts, etc.)? Describe below.  | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
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| Did your country carry out activities to improve public awareness regarding the importance of immunization for good health? (e.g.: Webinars, forums, videos). Describe below. | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
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| Were there press releases for media attention? Describe below.  | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
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| Did you use social media (Facebook/Twitter) to promote VWA? Please describe below and share posts with highest impact.  | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
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| Did you document activities through photos, videos, and other audiovisual materials? Please share links and indicate if you have permission form the people in them.  | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
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| Did you capture images of the materials being used in public spaces such as health clinics, school, or others?  | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
| Please send us links to all materials developed so we can include them in the final report.  |

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| **Risk Communications and Community Engagement**  |
| Did you use VWA to promote messages on the following?  |  |  |
| 1) the safety of vaccines | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
| 2) the effectiveness of vaccines | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
| 3) how vaccines are developed | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
| 4) in the case of COVID-19 vaccination, prioritized groups for vaccination | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
| 5) challenges related to immunization | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
| Did you engage in any social listening activities to monitor and address rumors and doubts about immunization? Please list/describe below: | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
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| Did you train health care workers on interpersonal communication, including how to respond to rumors and doubts about immunization? Please describe below: | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
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| Did you use VWA to engage key stakeholders about immunization, including at the community level? Please describe below. (i.e.: collaboration with civil society organizations, religious leaders, professional and patient associations, and others) | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
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| **Integrated Activities**  |
| *Will your country involve integrated interventions (non-vaccination related) during VWA? (e.g.: COVID-19 prevention measures awareness, health screening, and health education). Please describe below the type of activity and targeted audience.*  | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
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| **Evaluation Activities**  |
| *Countries are highly encouraged to undertake short surveys during VWA; a proposed template can be found on the website (see direct link below), followed by a model survey for evaluating VWA social communication campaigns (see direct link below).* |
| *Did you use Vaccination Week in the Americas as a platform to monitor public satisfaction with vaccination? Describe below.* | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
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| *Did you conduct any evaluation activities for VWA? (e.g.: administration coverage, assessment of public satisfaction with vaccination, vaccine confidence, evaluation of VWA social communication campaigns, targeted coverage surveys). Describe below*  | Yes [ ]  | No [ ]  |
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| **Annexes***Please attach any additional information you would like to share.*  |
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