



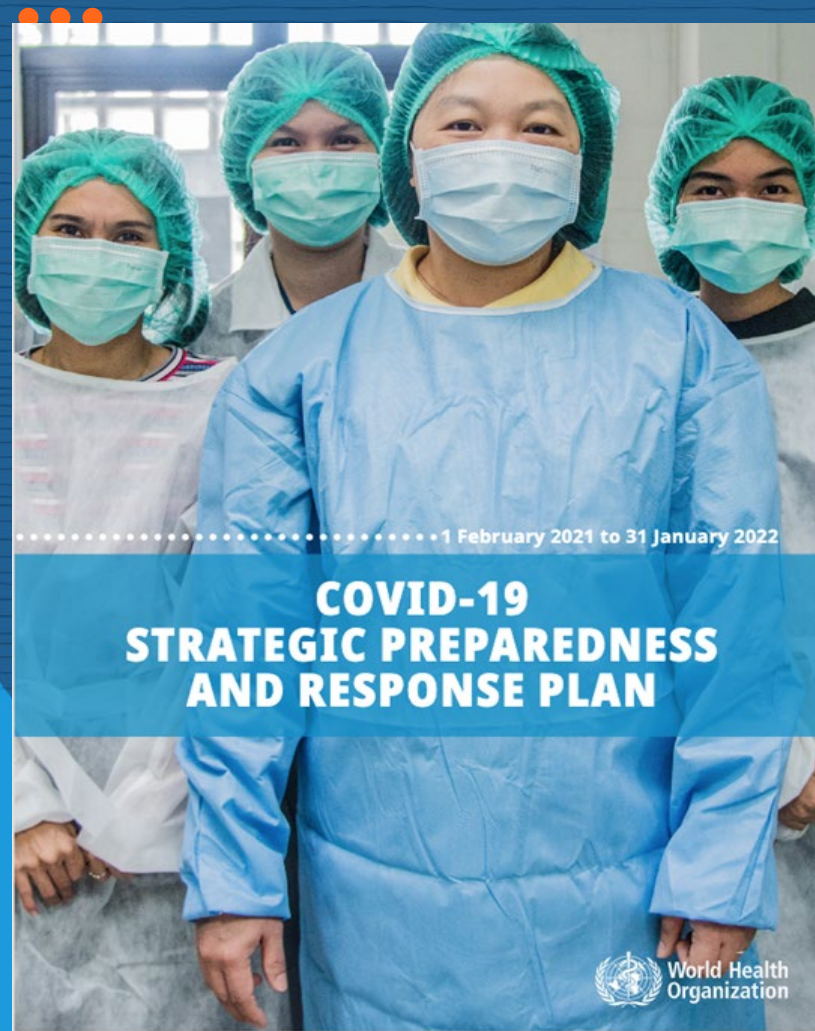
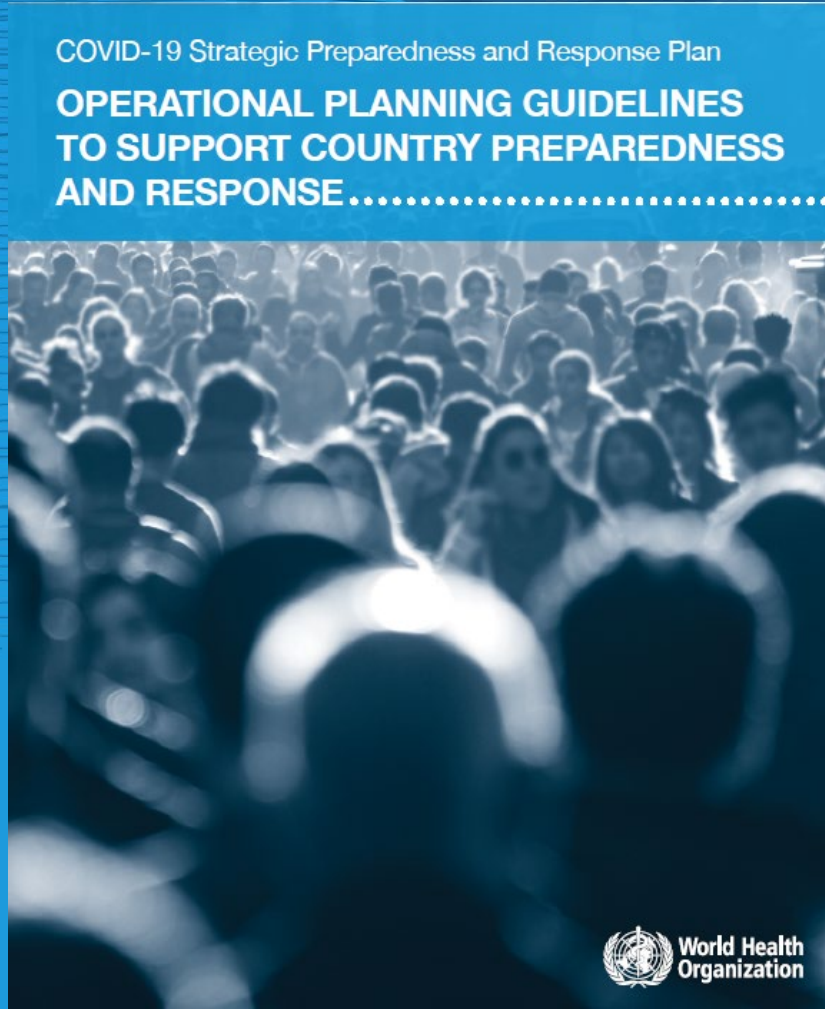
PAHO/WHO ECC's contribution for COVID-19 response

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COVID-19 Strategic Preparedness and Response Plan (SPRP)



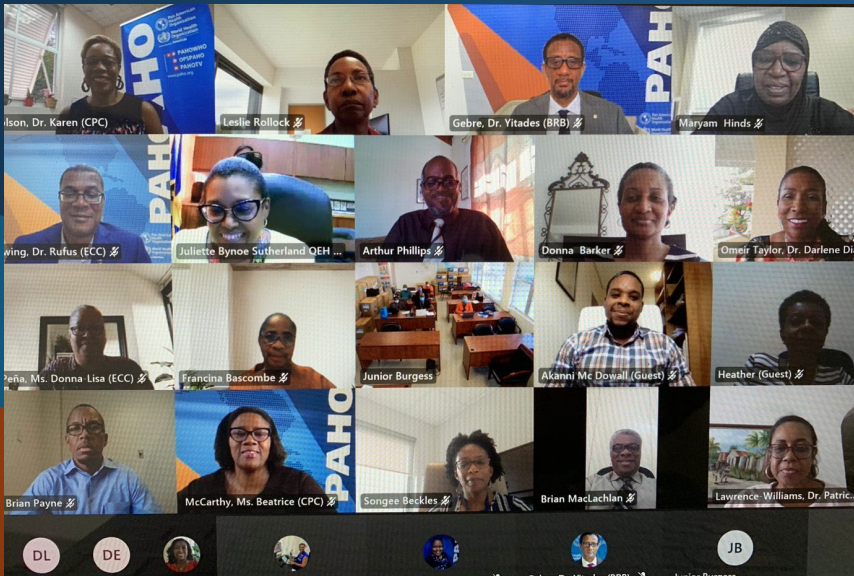
Pillars

- 1 Country-level coordination, planning and monitoring
- 2 Risk communication and community engagement
- 3 Surveillance, rapid-response teams, and case investigation
- 4 Points of entry, international travel and transport
- 5 National laboratories
- 6 Infection prevention and control
- 7 Case management
- 8 Operational support and logistics
- 9 Maintaining essential health services and systems.
- 10 Strategy for the introduction of COVID-19 Vaccine

Pillar 1



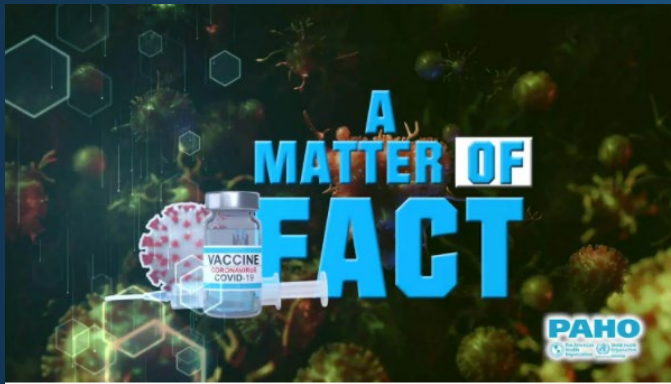
- Incident Management Support Team (IMST) daily meetings and virtual meetings with countries
- Development of proposals for resource mobilization to assist countries in preparedness and response
- WHO Partners Platform
- UN Multisectoral Response Plan (MRP) and funding appeal
- Consultations for development of country SPRPs



Pillar 2



- Produced and disseminated videos, posters, social media cards
- Strengthened capacities of Health Information Units to produce and disseminate local materials
- Engaged partners from various communities
- Conducted several thematic **webinars**:
 - Scaling up COVID-19 Testing in the Eastern Caribbean and UKOTs
 - Reopening of Borders
 - NCDs, Maternal and Child Health, Gender Based Violence and Men's Health
 - Dengue Response in midst of COVID-19 Pandemic
 - COVID-19 Vaccination and International Travel
 - Monitoring COVID-19 Vaccine Deployment Towards Herd Immunity
 - Variant of Concern Delta to Omicron, Transmissibility, Severity, Impact of Social Mobility - What will drive future trends and Optimizing our response



Regional Communication Campaign “Vaccines Bring us Closer - Choose to Be Vaccinated” and “Share the Love get Vaccinated”

Conversation Series- “A matter of Fact”

COVID-19 Support to Countries

• Pillars 3 & 4 •••



- Support to strengthen surveillance and in communities and at POEs:
- Hiring of Surveillance Officers, Data entry clerks (AIA, ATG, BRB, DMA, GRD, KNA, VGB), IT personnel (KNA) (**total – 50**)
- Purchase of thermal imagers (DMA)
- Vehicles (ATG-1, DMA-1, KNA-1, VCT-1)
- IT equipment - Computers, laptops, tablets, printers

• Pillar 5

- Strengthened laboratory capacity for detection of SARS-CoV-2
- Training of laboratory personnel
- Procurement of Laboratory Equipment and Supplies: PCR Machines, extraction kits, GenXpert cartridges (1,470); Rapid Antigen kits (198,000); nasopharyngeal swabs (295,150)



COVID-19 Support to Countries (Pillar 6)

Infection Prevention Control – capacity building through training (ATG, DMA, GRD, KNA, LCA)

PPEs	
Items	Quantities
Surgical masks	2,000,000
KN95/N95 masks	350,000
Gloves	150,000
Gowns	270,000
Face shields	90,000
Goggles	27,000
Thermometers	1,300



COVID-19 Support to Countries (Pillar 7)

Deployment of Emergency Medical Teams (DMA, GRD)
Assessment of isolation facilities (BRB, DMA, KNA)
Assessment of health systems and services (DMA)

Medical Equipment & Supplies	
Items	Quantities
Ventilators	53
Oxygen Concentrators	33
Infusion Pumps	20
Vital Signs Monitors	30
Defibrillators	4
Pulse Oximeters	1200



COVID-19 Support to Countries

Pillar 8



Operations and Logistics Support:
Partnership with RSS



Pillar 9

- Mental Health and Psychosocial Support
- Supported countries in Dengue response: (ATG, BRB, GRD, KNA, LCA, VCT, VGB)
- Online version of the Chronic Disease Self-Management Course
- Nutritional Standard Operating Procedures for use by health facilities in emergency settings



COVID-19 Support to Countries PAHO/WHO

Pillar 10

Updates and technical briefings (Webinars)

Training on the use of the various tools (VIRAT, CCE)

Meetings with authorities (coordination and engagement of authorities)

Support in completing COVAX and other requirements

Readiness support and Monitoring

Development of National Deployment and Vaccination Plan for COVID-19 Vaccine

Strengthening the Surveillance of Events Supposedly Attributable to Vaccination or Immunization (ESAVI)



Pillar 10 Strategy for the introduction of COVID-19 Vaccine



- Support for the Digitalization of COVID-19 vaccine data
Strengthening capacities on the use of new vaccines etc
- hiring data entry personnel (DMA- 14,GRD-4,KNA-5, LCA-5, VCT-12)
 - Procurement of cold chain equipment – refrigerators, cold boxes, etc
 - Facilitated distribution of > 200,000 doses of vaccines through COVAX facility

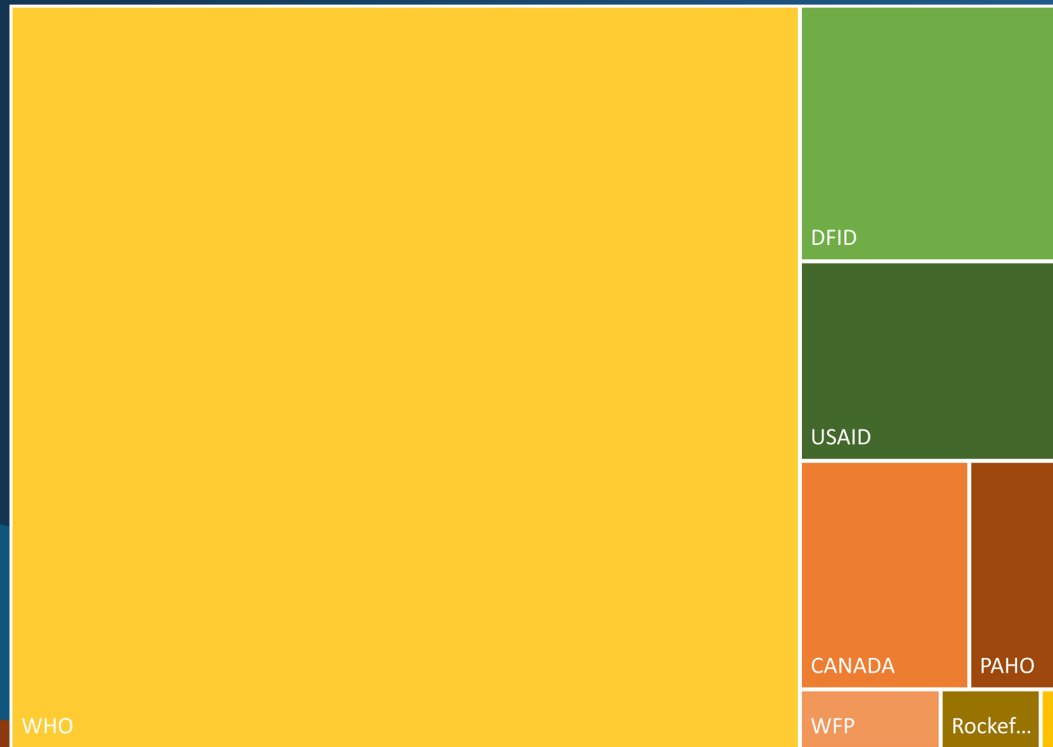


Financial Implementation



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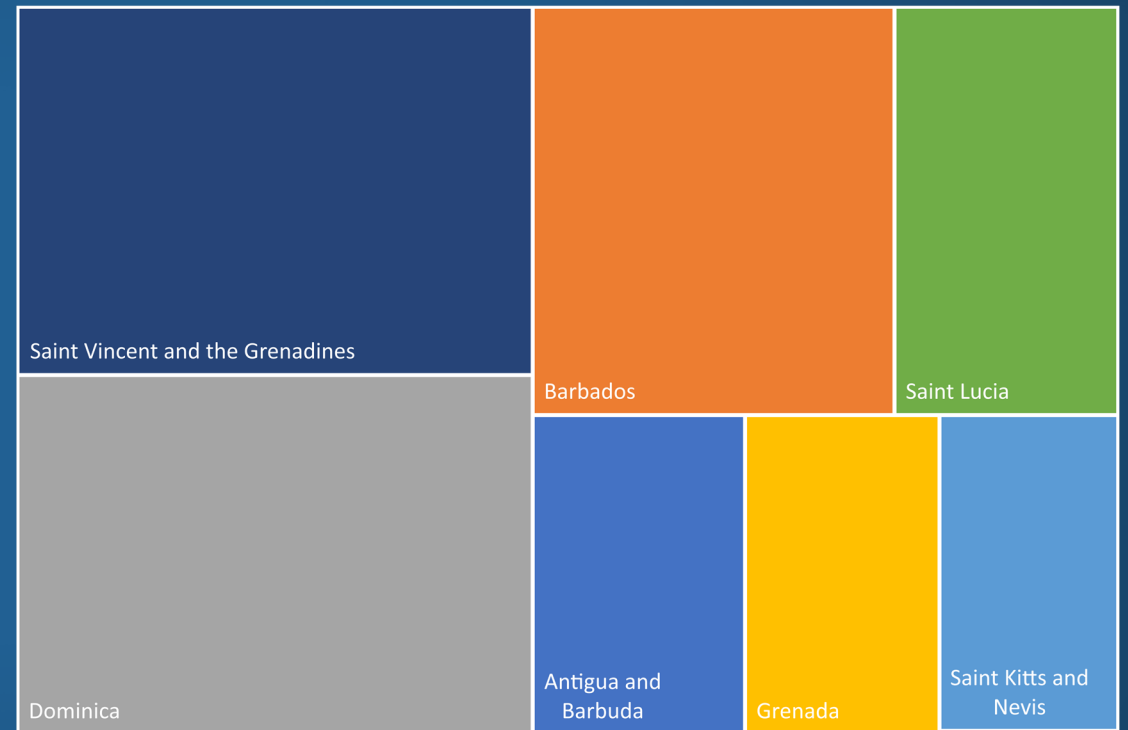
Mobilization of Resources for Covid-19 in 2020-2021 for Barbados and the Eastern Caribbean Countries By Donor (US\$)



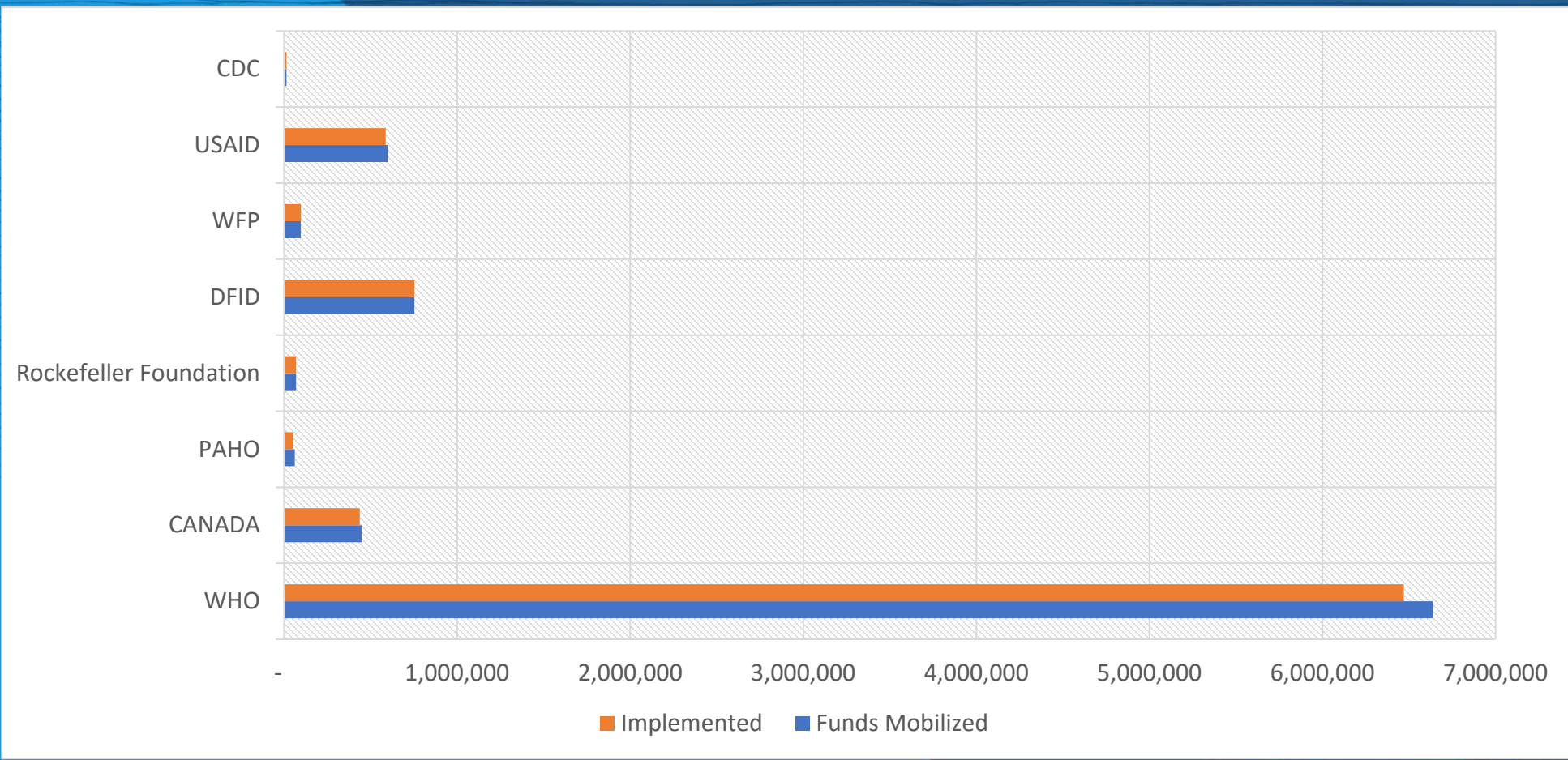
Donor	Funds Mobilized
CANADA	437,527
CDC	13,412
DFID/FCDO	752,805
PAHO	235,380
Rockefeller Foundation	68,254
USAID	587,455
WFP	95,923
WHO	6,637,329
Grand Total	8,828,084

Mobilization of Resources for Covid-19 in 2020-2021 for Barbados and the Eastern Caribbean Countries By Country (US\$)

Country	Funds Mobilized
Antigua and Barbuda	747,406
Barbados	1,627,685
British Virgin Islands	7,489
Dominica	2,041,861
Grenada	684,646
Saint Kitts and Nevis	622,037
Saint Lucia	1,006,498
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	2,090,462
Grand Total	8,828,084

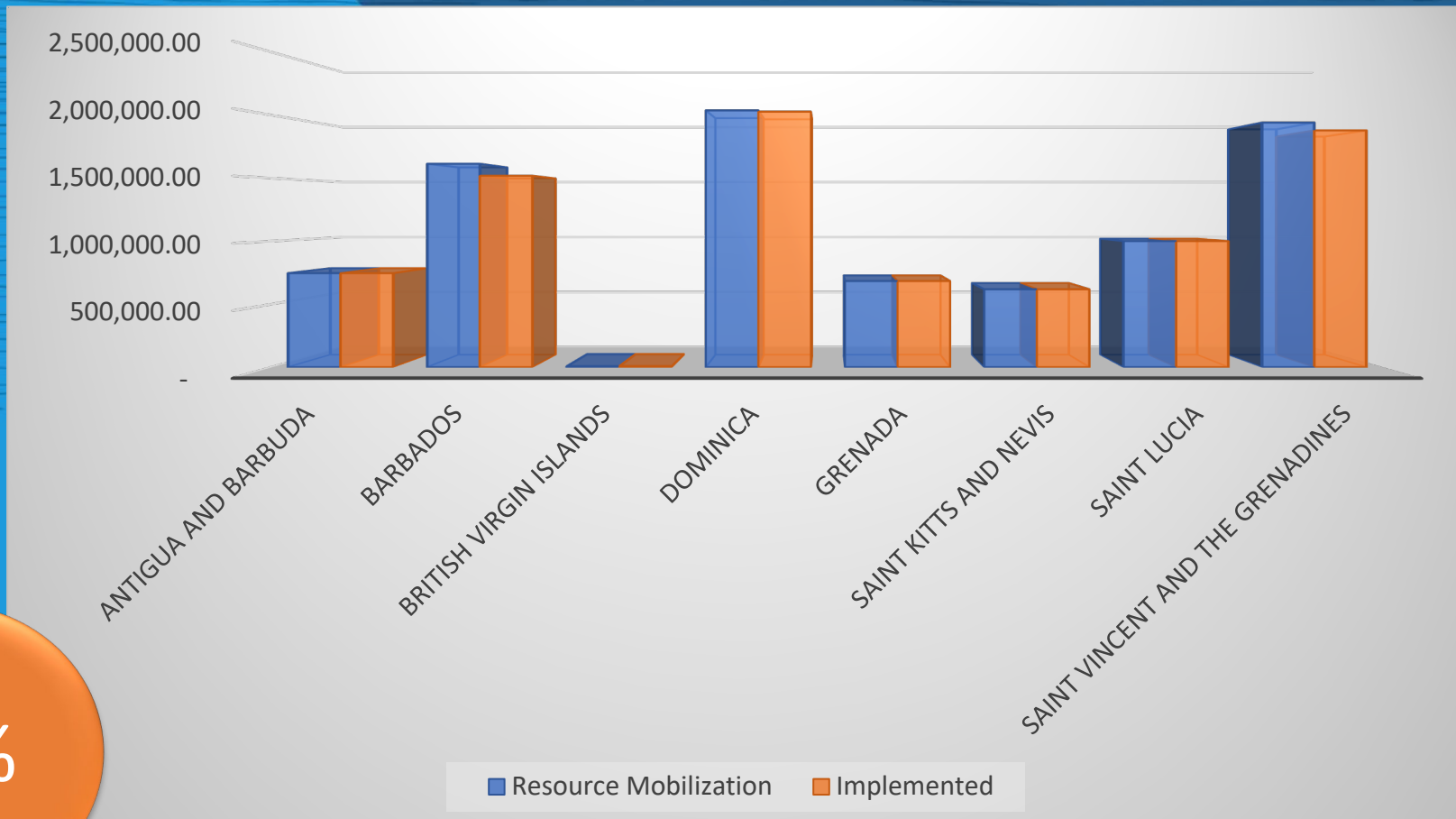


COVID-19 Resource Implementation by Donor



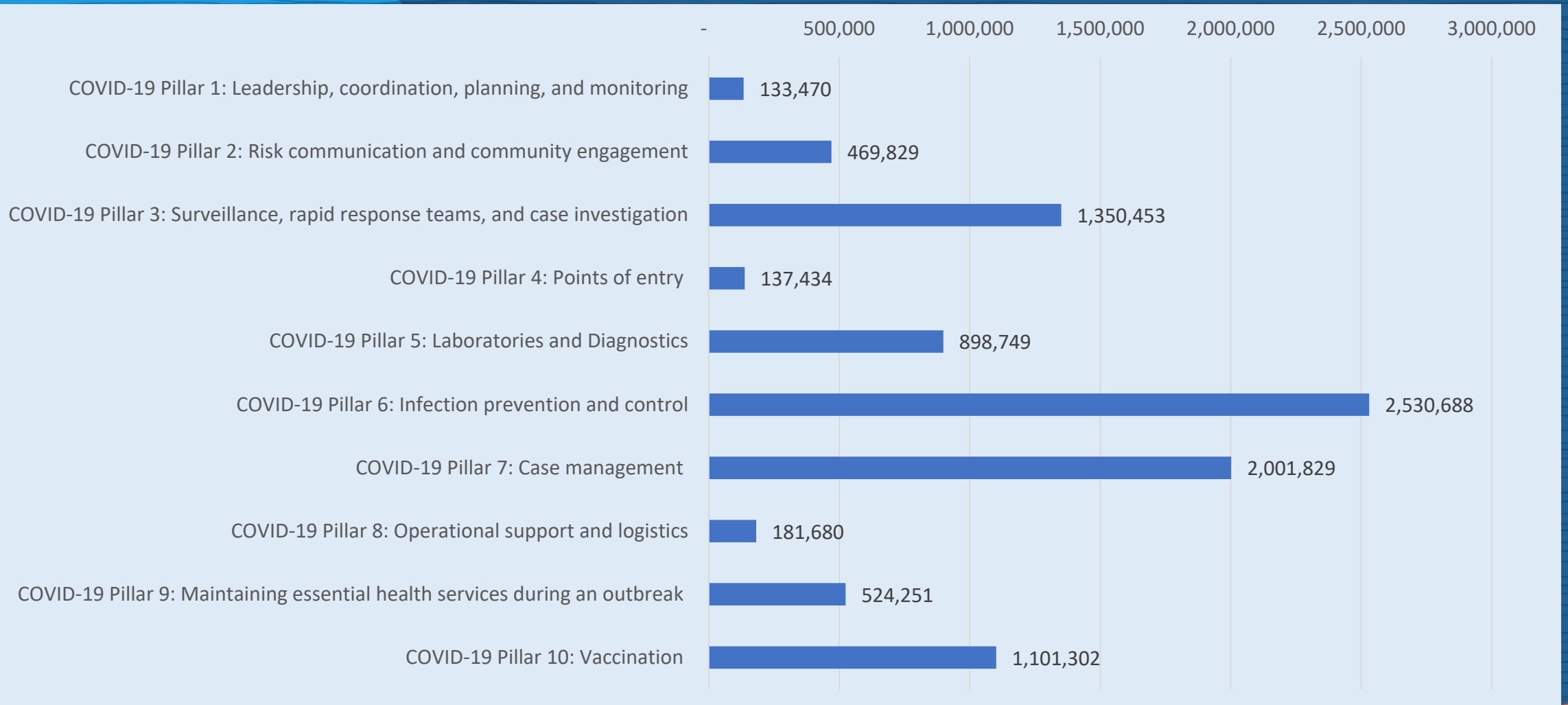
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COVID-19 Resource Implementation by Country



98%

COVID-19 Resource Implementation by SPRP Pillar



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