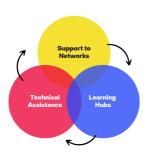


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### **Updates**

# Learning Session on Implementation of Component 2 of the Global Fund's Community Engagement (CE) Strategic Initiative (SI) in Azerbaijan and Kyrgyzstan



The Learning Session on Implementation of Component 2 of the Global Fund's Community Engagement (CE) Strategic Initiative (SI) in Azerbaijan and Kyrgyzstan: what is being planned to support communities in 2024 – 2026 is planned on 10th September 2024:

12.00-13.30 Baku time 14.00-15.30 Bishkek time

### **Objectives:**

- to inform the civil society including communities' representatives in Azerbaijan and Kyrgyzstan and key partners about the activities being planned for the implementation in this country as a part of the Component 2 of the CE SI during the next 3 years, explain their aims and objectives, expected results, impact and how the communities' representatives could be involved and benefit.
- to facilitate synergies, collaborations and partnerships among Component 2 partners, EECA Regional Platform and communities and civil society at the country level.

**Target audience**: communities of people living with and/or affected by HIV and TB in Azerbaijan and Kyrgyzstan, representatives of KAPs, CSOs working with these communities and KAPs in this country as well as technical partners.

**Language:** Russian\English with simultaneous translation.

**More information** about the Learning session can be found on the <u>EECA Regional Platform</u> website.

**Register Now!** 

## Impressions from AIDS 2024 by EECA Regional Platform Scholarship Receivers

As part of the <u>EECA Regional Platform</u>, the Eurasian Harm Reduction Association (EHRA) supported the participation of two representatives from the EECA region at the <u>25th International AIDS Conference</u> (AIDS 2024) held in Munich, Germany on July 22-26, 2024. Check out the impressions of Anastasiia and Dmytro from AIDS 2024 on the topics of mental health and harm reduction in prisons respectively.



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### **Vacancies & Tenders**

### **Call for Application - YOUNITE Global**

**YOUNITE GLOBAL** (Youth United for Impact in TB Elimination) is a dynamic global platform created by youth to drive meaningful change in the fight against tuberculosis (TB). This initiative empowers young leaders to collaborate, innovate, and advocate for effective strategies to eliminate TB, ensuring a healthier future for communities worldwide.

YOUNITE Global is **seeking for a youth leader** to represent their region as a member of YOUNITE Global. This individual should be passionate about ending tuberculosis (TB) and possess the ability to mobilize more youth in the fight against this disease. YOUNITE Global's mission is to unite youth leaders to eliminate TB effectively.

To apply please Scan the barcode given in the Flyer or Click on the Link.



### Join a Vibrant Community of Young Changemakers Dedicated to Ending TB!



Are you passionate about making a difference?

YOUNITE Global is looking for dynamic individuals aged 18-35 to join our mission to Unite Youth Leaders to eliminate TB.



Scan the QR code for more information and to apply

Together, we can make a world free from TB a reality!

### **Global Fund Policies & Documents**

### **Updated Global Fund's Mpox Technical Brief**



Technical Brief Prevent, Detect and Respond to Mpox The Global Fund's Mpox technical brief has been recently updated to align with: (a) current guidance from WHO and Africa CDC; and (b) the GC7 and C19RM modular frameworks. See Annex 1 for the full list of interventions supported by the Global Fund.

#### Main updates to the brief include:

- Overview of the situation since 2024, the new WHO declaration and new guidelines.
- Expand on enhancing disease surveillance and human resources for health interventions.
- Targeted programming including community-based prevention, engagement and systems strengthening.
- Interventions highlighting the importance of women-led and gender diverse monitoring and response.
- Infection prevention and control measures tailored to mpox.
- Targeted vaccine service delivery.

Please note that impacted countries have the opportunity to reprioritize Global Fund grant investments (in line with usual processes) to prevent, detect and respond to mpox, in line with the updated technical brief.

# Global Fund Sustainability, Transition and Co-financing Policy: A Comprehensive Overview



Following the discussions on the sustainability related issues which took place at the recent 51st meeting of the Global Fund Board which was held in Geneva from April 22 to 24, 2024, the Strategy Committee has drafted an improved the Global Fund's Sustainability, Transition & Co-financing (STC) policy framework.

This document will probably be discussed at the next Global Fund Board meetings. In its most recent <u>issue of the Global Fund Observer</u> Aidspan <u>offers an in-depth analysis of the policy</u>, which outlines the principles, strategic objectives, implementation frameworks, and implications for various national contexts of the STC policy.

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