



Community Engagement in Grant Implementation

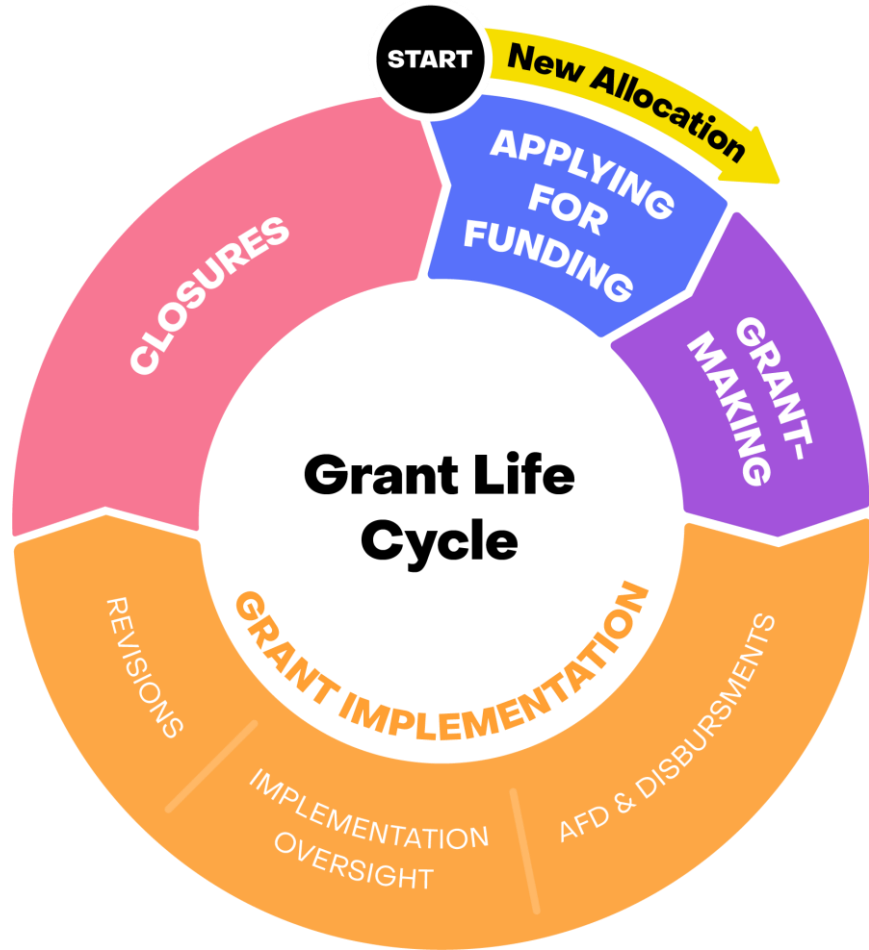
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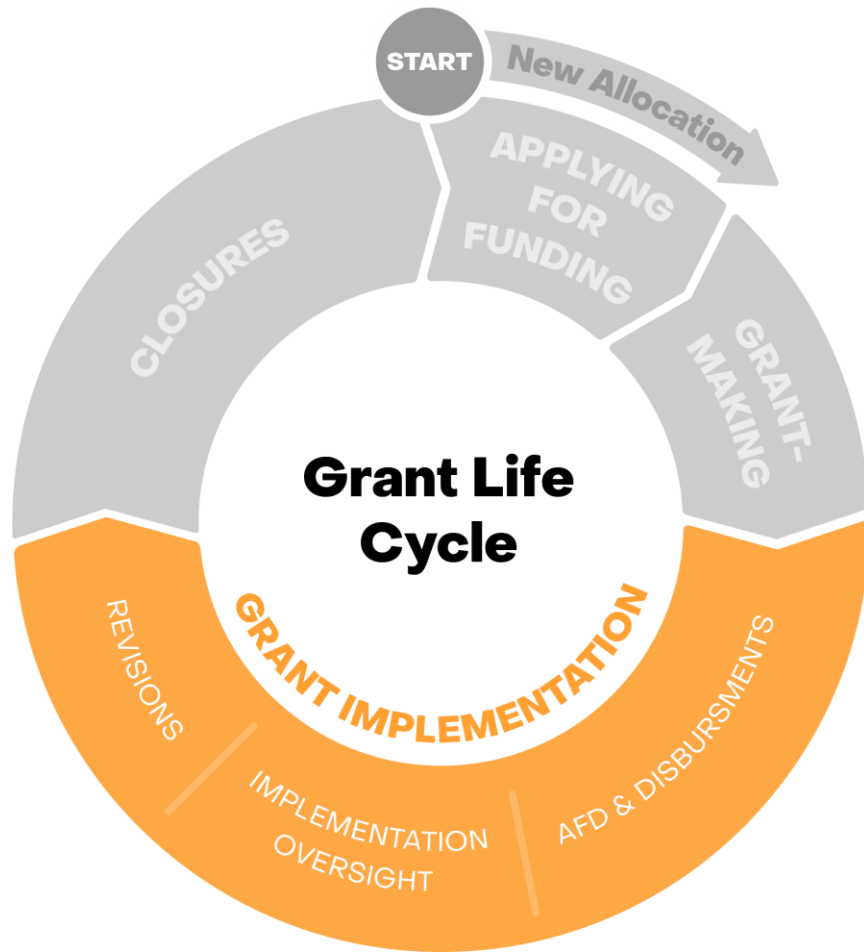
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The Global Fund Grant Life Cycle



The Grant Life Cycle (GLC) is defined by country-facing Global Fund grant processes, which start with allocation, move through funding request and grant-making to **implementation**, and end with closure.

The Global Fund Grant Life Cycle - **Implementation**



AFD and Disbursements

- The Global Fund uses a performance-based model of funding.
- Progress towards targets and rates of absorption are taken into consideration when making the annual funding decision.

PR Reporting

- PRs report regularly on the progress made against the targets set in the Performance Framework.
- They also report on the expenditures against the Detailed Budget.
- The Progress Update (PU) and the Disbursement Request (DR) are the tools used to capture and report the grant progress. Additionally, the Pulse Check collects more frequent and timely insights through a select number of coverage indicators and financial metrics and a self-evaluation on grant performance.

Revisions

- Allow Global Fund investments to adjust to programmatic requirements during grant implementation.
- A grant revision may also occur due to other changed circumstances and arrangements.

Principal Recipient (PR) Reporting

Overview

TOOLS



**Progress Update &
Disbursement Request (PU/DR)**



Pulse Checks



**Supply Chain and Health
Services Spot Checks**



OUTPUTS



**Grant/Implementation
Insights**

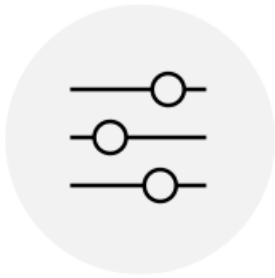


Performance Rating



Results Reporting

Revisions



Implementers can revise a grant when the country context or needs change during implementation. A timely revision ensures that funds are used efficiently, aligning to national strategic plans and the [Global Fund Strategy \(2023-2028\)](#). Changes can be made to programmatic and financial aspects in the Performance Framework and/or the Budget, and/or additional funding can be added to the grant.

Types of revisions



End-date revision (extension): Extends or shortens the end-date of the grant (its implementation period) to avoid program disruptions.



Additional funding revision: Increases the total amount of funding for the implementation period with no change to the length of implementation period. Also includes grant funding reduction and transfers.



Programmatic revision: Changes the scope and/or scale of a grant within approved funding ceiling and current implementation period.

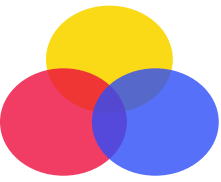



Budget revision: Adjusts the budget but does not affect the total approved funding for the implementation period or the Performance Framework.




Administrative revision: Makes adjustments that have no impact on the budget or the Performance Framework and are purely administrative.

Strengthening community engagement at three stages of the Grant Cycle 7 (GC7)



 A **transparent and inclusive consultation process** with populations most impacted by HIV, Tuberculosis and malaria (across gender and age) during funding request development resulting in an **“Annex of Funding Priorities of Civil Society and Communities Most Affected by HIV, Tuberculosis and Malaria”** as an output

 Community and civil society representatives on the Country Coordinating Mechanism (CCM) have **timely access to information on status of grant negotiations** and changes to the grant to support their involvement in oversight

 Community and civil society representatives on the CCM have **timely access to information on program implementation**

Ways to engage during the grant implementation and grant reprogramming processes

- Request **routine meetings with the Fund Portfolio Manager and country teams** when they are in the country; offer to develop a collective community agenda that should be shared in advance of the meeting.
- Work with other community organizations to develop a set of **collective discussion points with the PRs**.
- Set up regular engagement touchpoints with the assigned PR and SRs and develop **clear accountability communication channels**.
- Ensure that the CCM community representative sits on the **CCM Oversight Committee**.
- Suggest ways (including convening meetings during grant monitoring discussions) through which technical **community expertise can be highlighted** in support of grant implementation – especially on some of the challenging issues and bottlenecks.
- Participate as **observers in budgeting processes** and planning reforms that **promote domestic financing** and sustainability.

Resources

A must-attend FREE INPUD webinar
AMPLIFYING THE VOICES OF COMMUNITIES IN
Global Fund Reprogramming

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PEOPLE WHO USE DRUGS

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