



Support Programme for Integrated National Action Plan for Avian and Human Influenza (SPINAP-AHI)

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Background

SPINAP-AHI



Partnership programme between AU/IBAR and the European Commission

Originating from the pledges for control of HPAI made by the international donor community in Beijing 2006

EC pledged €100m of which €30m is earmarked for Africa



Background

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SPINAP-AHI will support Integrated National Action Plans (IAP) and address Animal and Human health issues.

In collaboration with ALive platform, which supports rapid assessment of veterinary services, etc.



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Its one of the biggest and most important projects being undertaken in livestock disease control in Africa

It has the potential to avert a future Human Influenza epidemic



Calendar and Funding SPINAP-AHI

Signed on 30 April 2007, starting date 01 May 2007

Implementation period 36 months

- Inception phase 6 months
- Operational phase 26 months
- Closure phase 4 months

Overall budget €21.5m (€ 18.1 support to countries IAP)

Co financing AU-IBAR € 1,091,000

Total Budget € 22,591,513

Evaluation and Audits €500,000

ALive component €8m

Total EC contribution €30m



Objectives

SPINAP-AHI



To reduce socio-economic impact of HPAI in ACP African counties

To reduce potential loss of human lives

To strengthen national capacity to prevent and control AHI outbreaks



Purpose

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Strengthen national capacity to prevent and control Avian and Human Influenza through the provision of finances and expertise to the implementation of Integrated Country Action Plans (IAP) for Avian and Human Influenza

Individual country strategic control plans for HPAI



Expected Results

AHI

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Capacity for prevention and control of HPAI strengthened on national level

Information and communication for awareness creation is enhanced

Coordination for IAP Implementation supported (Financial and Technical)



Management Set-up AHI

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AU/IBAR responsible for overall implementation

A Programme Steering Committee (PSC) will oversee implementation, approve funding requests and define SPINAP policies

Programme Coordination Unit (PCU) will be set up to assure technical and financial implementation on day-to-day basis

Within each country, SPINAP will be implemented by the authority nationally appointed for implementation of the IAPs



SPINAP-AHI Inception Work Plan & Current status of Implementation



Request for funds were received from 41 countries out of 47. In Southern Africa region all countries respond to the notification except Zimbabwe.

Funds were allocated based on the GDP, Contribution of poultry industry to the livelihood, poultry population density and potential risk.

The first meeting of the steering committee and allocated funds were approved by the committee.



Fund Allocated Under SPINAP



No.	Country	Fund Allocated	Remark
1	Angola	300000	
2	Botswana	300000	
3	Equatorial Guinea	300000	No request submitted
4	Lesotho	300000	
5	Madagascar	300000	
6	Malawi	300000	
7	Mauritius	300000	
8	Mozambique	500000	
9	Nambia	300000	
10	Swaziland	300000	
11	Zambia	500000	
12	Zimbabwe	400000	No Request submitted
	Total	4100000	



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A panel of five experts reviewed and assessed the request for fund submitted.

An inception workshop will be held between 11-13 March in Gaborone for countries of Southern Africa region.

The updated request will be presented to the steering committee meeting.

Regional work plan prepared.

The countries will be contracted to implement the different activities.



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Ministry of finance in each country will be contracted by AU/IBAR and the money will be disbursed in three instalments.

The PCU will also provide accounting systems and manuals to assist countries with the implementation of the programme.

Support and/or training to the country's implementing bodies in relation to finance, administrative and procurement matters.



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Thank you

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