

Appendix 1: Action points from the DSD TWG meeting held on 30th June 2021

SN	Gap/challenge	Action point	Responsible person	Timeline
1	<p><u>DSD implementation</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poor DSD C&T model mix with significant variations across the regions e.g. high proportion of clients on FBIM, Low enrolment onto community approaches, high uncategorized clients in regions/districts. Probable causes; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✚ Varied attention provided to DSD implementation by the IPs ✚ Low DSD data utilization 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Support DSD capacity building interventions at facility level e.g. Train untrained sites, Support CMEs, Train DSD group leaders, Mentorships and support supervision. ❖ Support DSD related quality improvement initiatives i.e. DSD learning sessions, DSD QI projects. ❖ Support submission of quality DSD data through supporting utilization of revised HMIS tools, supporting facility based data reviews. ❖ Support utilization of DSD related data through DSD performance reviews ❖ Share DSD indicator definitions with all stakeholders ❖ Formally communicate to IPs supporting districts and facilities with high uncategorized PLHIV active on ART ❖ Conduct quarterly IP meetings to discuss IP performance. Selected IPs to share their DSD performances and plans to address identified gaps 	<p>Regional IPs</p> <p>Regional IPs & Josen</p> <p>Regional IPs</p> <p>Regional IPs and Josen</p> <p>Josen</p> <p>Josen</p> <p>Josen</p>	<p>Ongoing</p> <p>Ongoing</p> <p>Ongoing</p> <p>Quarterly</p> <p>16th July 2021</p> <p>9th July 2021</p> <p>Quarterly</p>

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Re-share link to DSD dashboard with all stakeholders ❖ Post link to the DSD Dashboard on the MoH/ACP web page 	<p>Josen</p> <p>Ivan</p>	<p>9th July 2021</p> <p>July 2021</p>
2	<p><u>DSD policy documents and related HMIS tools</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSD targeted support supervision found significant gaps in relation to availability of DSD policy documents and related HMIS tools <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ DSD implementation guide available in 35% of the visited HFs ○ DSD desktop reference Job aide – 40% ○ HMIS ACP 013: Community ART model eligibility and readiness form – 67% ○ HMIS ACP 010: CCLAD monitoring register – 75% ○ HMIS ACP 011: CCLAD register – 75% ○ HMIS ACP 012: CDDP register – 73% 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ MoH/ACP to liaise with CDC to redirect DSD funds in the CoAg to printing DSD HMIS tools 	<p>Cordelia and Josen</p>	<p>30th July 2021</p>
3	<p><u>Alternative Drug Distribution Points</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It was noted that the ADDPs were much needed especially in these times. • Delayed rollout Vs set targets 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Fast track rollout amidst the COVID 19 restrictions. MoH/ACP, ARC and IPs to support these key activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Pharmacy assessments ○ Signing of service agreements ○ Training of implementers ○ Sensitization of ROC about ADDPs ○ Assigning RoC to CRPDDP and CLDDP 	<p>Josen, ARC and IPs</p>	<p>July – Sept 2021</p>

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4	<p><u>Emerging issues</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Impact of Multi-Month Dispensing (MMD) on community DSD approaches especially CCLAD Need to take on learnings from the differentiated MCH workshop organized by CQUIN. Follow upon agreed upon action points. DSD implementation science study: Use of CQI to address DSD implementation gaps. Study delayed by COVID 19 pandemic. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Form and support a task force to further look at this and provide feedback to the TWG. Proposed members include Josen K, Arthur A, Daniel M, Ian N, Joseph K, Alice K, Emma Ayikobua, Winnie A, Ddamulira JB ... <i>Feel free to add your name</i> Form and support a task force to move forward all agreed upon action items as well as identifying other support areas for differentiated MCH. Proposed members include Josen K, Linda K, Doreen O, Eleanor M, Mina S, Robert Mutumba, Emmanuel Odeke, Juliet Cheptoris, Richard Jjuko, Jane Nabakoza, Nasif Matovu, Robinah Babirye <i>Feel free to add your name</i> MakSPH team to share final report of the study with DSD TWG at the next meeting. 	<p>Josen</p> <p>Linda Kisakye Nabitaka</p> <p>Ddamulira JB</p>	<p>July 2021</p> <p>July 2021</p> <p>September 2021</p>
5	<p><u>Communication for DSD</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stakeholder engagements showed limited sensitization of clients about DSD. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Follow up on progress made to develop a full DSD tool kit/info pack 	<p>Josen and Edward Kagguma (SBCA)</p>	<p>July 2021</p>

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