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The Technical Network for
Strengthening Immunization Services



TechNet is a member of two immunization partnerships:

- Gavi Immunization Supply Chain Task Force Steering Committee (iSC2)
- Partnership of Immunization Networks

ISC2 is best placed to advance the global direction in immunization supply chains, and TechNet-21 is committed to support the work of the ISC2.

The Partnership of Immunization Networks



- Created to strengthen collaboration between organizations that serve distinct yet interconnected online communities of immunization professionals
- Provides a convening mechanism for organizations to better meet the needs of their respective communities

PARTNERSHIP OF IMMUNIZATION NETWORKS

The Partnership of Immunization Networks (PIN) is a group of organizations with the shared goal of connecting and supporting immunization professionals worldwide

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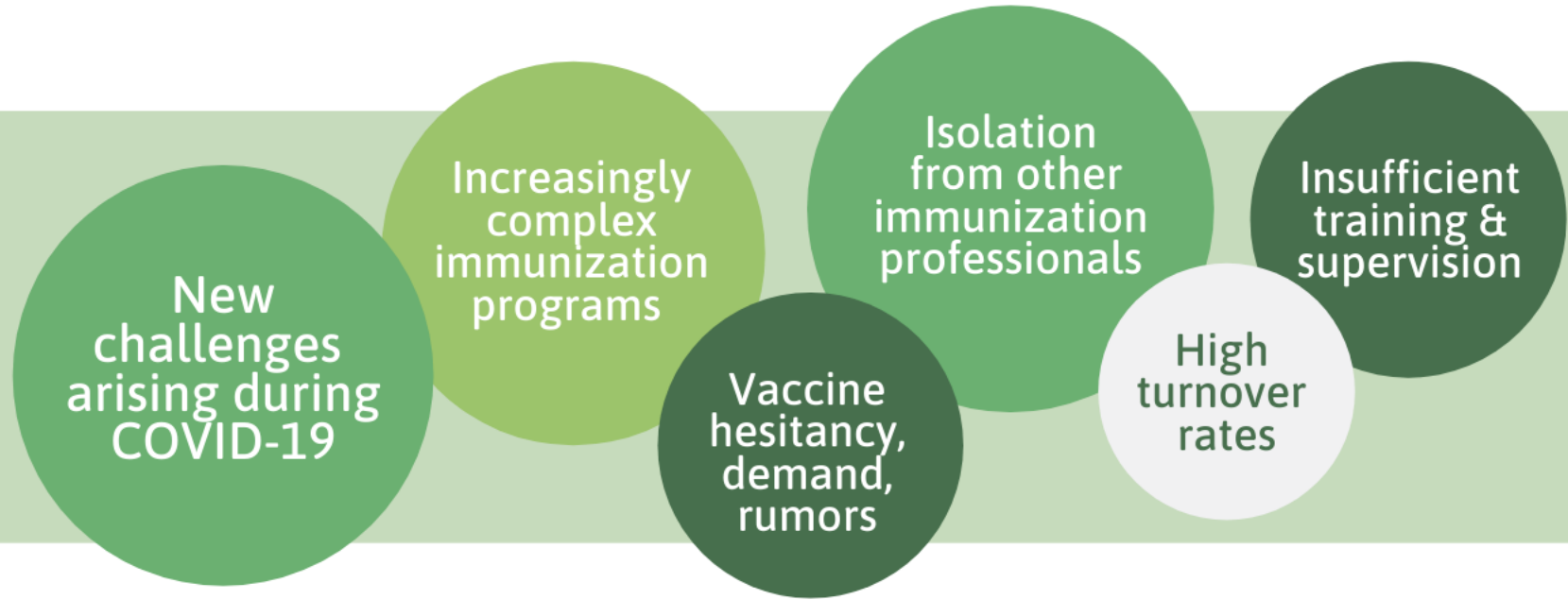


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CHALLENGES FACING IMMUNIZATION PROFESSIONALS



Through our robust platforms and communities, we offer diverse resources to help you face your challenges and accomplish your important work. Together, we can reach our collective goal of immunization for all.

✓ Events

✓ Educational resources

✓ Certification

✓ Peer connections

✓ Experts

✓ Job opportunities

✓ Technical guidance and policy resources



Introducing ourselves

- TechNet-21 (Alex Pascutto)
- BOOST (Sarah Kester)
- Immunization Academy (Nathan Pienkowski)
- IAPHL (Walter Proper)
- The Geneva Learning Foundation (Reda Sadki)



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Alex Pascutto (WHO)
Project Coordinator and Community Manager



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We are TechNet!

Established by WHO and UNICEF in 1989

We are a global network of immunization professionals committed to strengthening immunization services by:



Building relationships



Sharing knowledge



Coordinating activities

Our goal

To improve immunization services

by **bringing together** immunization professionals

at **every level**,

in **every country**, and

from **every sector**





Our community

3,000+ immunization professionals, from 100+ countries, **come together** on our website to:

- Connect & make new contacts
- Join specialist communities of practice
- Ask questions, provide answers, share knowledge
- Search for guidance & browse key publications curated by global experts
- Participate in upcoming events

Our forum – what are we talking about?



A lively & unique repository of immunization knowledge - going strong since 1998!

Vaccines and delivery technologies
197 discussions

Service delivery
497 discussions

Cold chain equipment
306 discussions

Immunization information systems
252 discussions

Supply chain and logistics
414 discussions

Programme management
163 discussions

Our communities of practice



We host an array of **groups** for specialist communities to come together in a dedicated space.


TechNet members are creating new groups all the time.


European Immunization Week

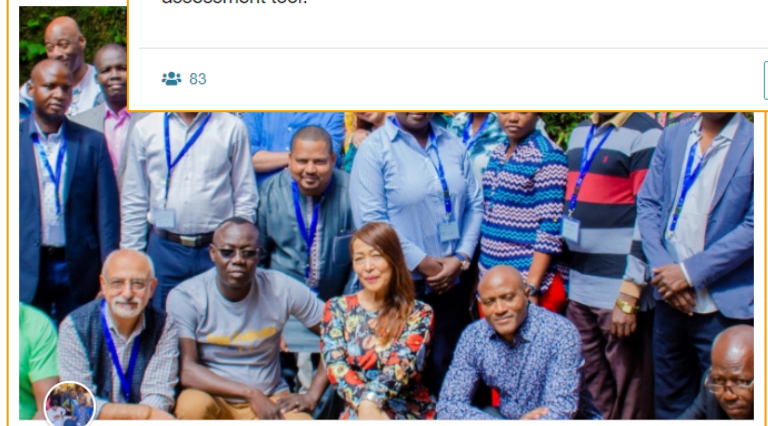
Projects Public

Every year, the promote immu
 24–30 April 20
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EVMA2
 Projects Public
 A group for users of the new Effective Vaccine Management (EVM) 2 assessment tool.

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Gestion du VPOM2 - groupe francophone
 Subjects Public
 "On dit qu'une personne sage apprend de ses erreurs. Une personne plus sage




Vaccine Procurement Practitioners Network
 Organizations Private
 VPPN Membership This is a private network. Membership is by invitation only. The limited membership is designed to encourage an open exchange amongst those procurement practitioners buying vaccines o...


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mOPV2 management
 Subjects Public
 "It's said that a wise person learns from his mistakes. A wiser one learns from others' mistakes. But the wisest person of all learns from others' successes" Zen proverb

Join





NAC
National Authorities for Containment (of poliovirus)
 Subjects Invite Only
 This closed group has been set up to facilitate information exchange between National Authorities for Containment (NACs) of poliovirus. Membership is by invitation only. For more information on p...



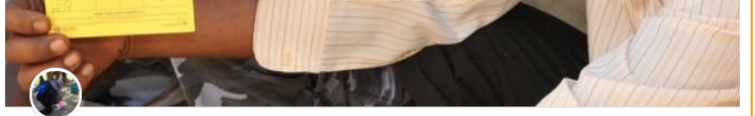

EAC Immunization Group
 Organizations Public
 The EAC is a regional intergovernmental organisation of 6 Partner States: the Republics of Burundi, Kenya, Rwanda, South Sudan, the United Republic of Tanzania, and the Republic of Uganda, with its he...

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Vaccination Coverage Quality Indicators (VCQI)
 Subjects Public
 This is a user's group for people who analyze vaccination coverage survey data using the World Health Organization's VCQI tool. (We pronounce "VCQI" like "Vicki") This is a place to learn how to use ...

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Vaccination coverage surveys
 Subjects Public
 This is a group for people having to engage on vaccination coverage surveys wishing to promote improved quality. Useful material can be found at <https://www.technet-21.org/en/top...>



Our knowledge

- The **TechNet Resource Library** is the largest crowdsourced immunization resource database available online
- Curated by experts, our **Topics** area contains comprehensive technical information on specific issues in immunization
- Our **Immunization cold chain equipment (CCE)** area contains everything you need to know about specific WHO PQS-prequalified products, including installation and maintenance guides, training resources, brochures, videos, photos, as well as product feedback from TechNet members...

Hot Topics...

- The BID Initiative
- CCE management
- Vaccination coverage surveys
- Covid-19 - Technical resources
- Controlled temperature chain (CTC)
- Delivery technology
- Dose Per Container
- Effective Vaccine Management (EVM)
- Freeze-preventive passive containers
- Home-based records
- HPV introduction
- Immunization Data: Evidence for Action (IDEA)
- PATH's IDEAL Project
- iSC strengthening
- Market information for access to vaccines (MI4A)
- Missed Opportunities for Vaccination (MOV)
- National logistics working groups(NLWGs)
- Project Optimize
- Temperature monitoring
- Healthcare Waste Management
- WHO EPI - core reference material
- Triangulation for improved decision-making in immunization programmes





Upcoming activities in Q4 2020

- **New website!**
- **Upcoming webinars:**
 - The future of vaccine traceability
 - Effective Vaccine Management (EVM) 2: Iraq case study
 - Moving beyond WHO's Indicative Vaccine Wastage Rates: How to improve the accuracy of vaccine wastage rate forecasting

Contact, and where to find these slides and contact

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These slides and all others presented at the conference, as well as contact details for presenters, are available on our website.

www.technet-21.org/conference/2020

Join TechNet-21 today!



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BOOST:

A Global Community for Immunization Professionals

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ACCOMPLISHING OUR MISSION



Boost is a virtual community that connects immunization professionals to peers, support and resources to learn and grow and equips professionals to lead in challenging situations.



Connect

Boost is an on and offline community where immunization professionals can connect with peers and stakeholders and expand their professional network.



Learn

Boost provides access to experts and resources to help immunization professionals build leadership and management capacity and advance their careers.



Lead

Boost is designed to help immunization professionals lead immunization programs in challenging contexts.

BOOST DELIVERS GLOBAL REACH WITH LOCAL IMPACT

Boost acts as a bridge, sharing information between immunization professionals at all levels of the system and global actors.



BOOST'S ONLINE PLATFORM



Learning Groups

Public or private spaces on the Boost platform designed to bring like-minded immunization professionals together; can be built for specific courses, alumni programs or engagements and/or based on thematic topics (i.e. supply chain, capacity building).



Webinars & Access to Experts

Facilitated webinars on both technical and adaptive topics using Zoom; recorded sessions, supporting resources and discussions hosted in corresponding learning group on the Boost platform. Members also are able to access Boost community experts including immunization professionals and implementing partners in a safe space.



Curated Resources

Carefully curated resources from partners and Boost community members including tools, job aids and videos on known and emerging topics; can be curated based on specific needs of learning groups or specific audiences within the Boost community.

FOUNDATIONAL CAPACITY BUILDING



Recognizing the quantity of high-quality technical training, Boost's core content offerings focus on foundational capacity building including adaptive leadership, advocacy and problem solving. As a result of COVID-19, Boost has also been working with partners to respond to a need for up-to-date technical content.

Adaptive Leadership

Adaptive leadership is the **practice of mobilizing people to tackle tough challenges and thrive** and is comprised of a set of tools and techniques for moving organizations, communities and teams beyond the status quo.

Community Organizing

Community organizing **focuses on developing and building cooperative power of the community itself to both address the challenges and advocate directly** without intermediary organizations or professionals.

UPCOMING BOOST EVENTS & ACTIVITIES



Details coming soon!

- **Join Boost Learning Group: Supporting Supervisors During COVID-19** ~ Oct. 26: Webinar on HR and Leadership for Effective Vaccine Management
- **Register for Upcoming Bright Spots Webinar** ~ Nov. 4: Traditional Naming Practices Offer Advantages for Immunization Tracking
- **Boost Scholar Level 1 Certification on Adaptive Leadership for Immunization Professionals in partnership with the Geneva Learning Foundation** ~ Starts Nov. 15 (Registration now closed; stay tuned for future courses!)

Join the Boost Community to learn more: <https://boostcommunity.org>



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