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A novel NPHI platform for the coordination of public health institutes in Cote d'Ivoire

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PROCESS FOR SETTING THE PLATFORM UP

- ▶ **2008: INSP Côte d'Ivoire is a long time member of IANPHI.**
- ▶ **In October 2011, the Minister of Health (Prof Thérèse N'dri Yoman) met with IANPHI and US CDC in Atlanta to explore the possibility of providing support for a more coordinated national public health system in Côte d'Ivoire.**
- ▶ **On April 30 May 4, 2012, an IANPHI-CDC team (Mrs Allison Greenspan, Pr Mohamed Hassar, Dr Peter Bloland) conducted an exploratory visit in Abidjan to conduct an evaluation and discuss ways in which IANPHI might be helpful**

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- ❑ **The team observed that core public health functions in Côte d'Ivoire are distributed across different parts of Ministry of Health and other ministries**
- ❑ **Coordination of public health activities is not optimal**
- ❑ **A recommendation was to convene a high-level meeting with an external facilitator to develop a shared vision for better coordination of public health functions and outline of a consensus plan for moving forward**
- ❑ **The new Minister of Health (Dr Raymonde Goudou Coffie) and the new Director General of Health (Prof Boa Yapo) enthusiastically supported the proposed work with IANPHI and issued an invitation for a return visit**

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- ▶ **On October 28-30, 2013, an IANPHI team (Suer Binder, Rebeca Bartlein, Allison Greenspan) return to help participating in and facilitating a high-level workshop with the leadership of the core groups to develop a shared understanding and vision for a strongly coordinated public health system and how this might be achieved;**
- ▶ **During the October 2013 meeting, the directors of all seven government institutes and structures agreed to establish a pioneering platform for national coordination, integration and action.**



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- ▶ **Led by the Director General of Health and under the auspices of the Minister of Health, the directors drafted an official decree for the creation of the Comité National de Coordination des Instituts et Structures de Santé Publique en Côte d'Ivoire (CNCISP) and finalized a memorandum.**

CNCISP FUNCTIONING

- **The group defined two positions to initiate the platform**
 - ✓ **the Presidency, to be held by the Director General of Health ;**
 - ✓ **The technical Secretariat, to be provided by INSP.**

- **One-year (2014 – 2015) action plan and funding request to support priority activities in this plan**
 - **Activity 1: Established the technical secretariat**
 - ✓ **Furniture, computers to equip the office**
 - ✓ **Develop a basic CNCISP website (www.cncisp-ci.org)**



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- ▶ **Activity 2 : Conducted quarterly CNCISP meetings**
 - ❑ **October 16th, 2015 at Direction Générale de la Santé**
 - ❑ **February 03rd, 2015 at Institut National de l'Hygiène Publique**
 - ❑ **April 14th, 2015 at Institut Pasteur de Côte d'Ivoire**
 - ❑ **June 23rd, 2015 at Laboratoire National de la Santé Publique**



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► **Activity 3 : Conducted a workshop on research methodology**

On may 18-22, 2015 at INSP, 25 researchers from CNCISP institutions



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- ▶ **Activity 4 : Conducted an assessment project on health information systems**
- ▶ **Activity 5 : Conducted a training session on public health epidemiology**
- ▶ **Activity 6 : Prepared an annual public health report**
On july 21st, 2015 in DSCMP,
- ▶ **Activity 7 : Conducted a year 1 evaluation workshop for CNCISP**
On september 08-09, 2015 in DPPEIS.



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- ▶ **Activities coordination was successful, facilitated by the involvement of the DGS and the full participation of all the structures, especially during the meetings.**
- ▶ **The meetings allowed the heads of institutions to share scientific informations, through an improved understanding of their different missions, especially during the national ripost strategy set up against Ebola.**
- ▶ **Challenges and obstacles were identified and solutions proposed for improving our population health, namely the involvement of the members institutions on topics such as sanitary security, the necessity of having an epidemiology bulletin and an improvement of the Health Information System.**
- ▶ **Capacity Building of our different staff in Epidemiology, research methodology, and the participation of 2 members in a training on « Leadership Academy IANPHI » in Mozambique and Tanzania.**
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▶ **THANK YOU**

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