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Healthy Africa Scenarios Exercise – 2008

Workshop I

Agenda

Purpose: To create a community of mutual support and understanding that maximize capabilities within the context of humanitarian and health sector emergencies. Diversity is a rich source of knowledge and experience. Therefore, all stakeholder contributions are recognized as being of primary importance.

Goal: To explore and clarify issues that promote, as well as impede, the success of missions and to propose recommendations for mutual and beneficial support.

Objectives:

- a) Review and critique a variety of scenarios as they exist in different regions and countries.
- b) Identify likely complex health issues in Western Africa that would most likely create the requirement for external assistance.
- c) Identify roles, responsibilities and resources as they currently exist, and their associated strengths and weaknesses.
- d) Explore and elaborate policies and procedures that advance or impede systems of intervention, and discuss their roots and assumptions?
- e) Propose a model of response.
- f) To prepare a set of recommendations for the next conference.