



TASK SHARING

Strengthen task sharing efforts by delegating tasks and responsibilities to less-specialized health workers, to improve access to insertion and removals, while ensuring proper linkages to the health system for follow-ups and referrals.



MULTIPLE SERVICE DELIVERY CHANNELS

Find ways to 'meet people where they are' by expanding access to public and private channels including outreach and community engagement opportunities for implant insertion and removals.



DATA & MONITORING

Integrate implant data with desired disaggregation, such as by age and specific groups of women served, into national/existing M&E systems to manage supply and measure progress.



COORDINATION

Generate government buy-in from the outset of a project/initiative to support coordinated action at all levels and to fast-track change.



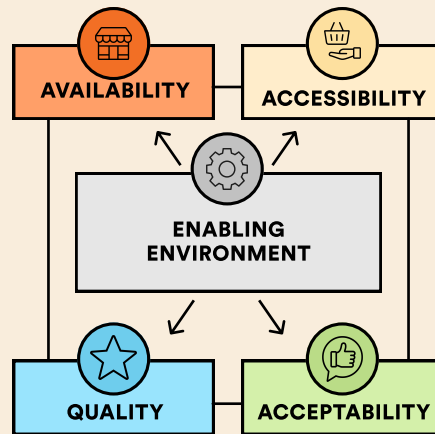
FINANCING & EQUITY

Advocate for LARCS, including implants, in national health insurance schemes to maximize coverage.

TOP 10

Tips & Tricks to Scaling Up Implants

The Availability, Accessibility, Acceptability and Quality (AAAQ) framework articulates the four essential and interrelated standards for sexual and reproductive health and rights services. Enabling Environment was added at the core of this framework to articulate cross-cutting standards from the user (i.e. rights based approaches) and systems (i.e. coordination) perspectives. Through the Expanding Family Planning Choices (EFPC) project, Jhpiego and Impact for Health (IHI) applied this framework to identify key lessons learned and best practices for introducing and scaling-up contraceptive implants. A complete analysis is available [here](#).



Jhpiego & Impact for Health International. 2022. Top 10 tips and tricks to scaling up implants.



RIGHTS-BASED APPROACHES

Integrate rights-based approaches when planning for implant introduction and scale-up, ensuring informed choice at every touchpoint and not over promoting one method.



DEMAND GENERATION

Co-design demand generation activities with the user and provider, and implement them through multiple platforms and addressing multiple methods.



QUALITY ASSURANCE

Design quality assurance systems to measure quality at key touch points, including both insertion and removals, with feedback loops for decision making.



CAPACITY BUILDING

Institutionalize comprehensive implant training programs, including management of side effects, removals, reporting, and supply chain management through a standard national curriculum for health workers.



IMPLANT REMOVALS

Plan for implant removals from the beginning and measure it. 'What gets measured gets done'.

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