



# PROGRAMA NACIONAL DE FORTIFICAÇÃO DE ALIMENTOS

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# Production and Distribution

- Where we are:
  - CONFAM (Fort Alliance) existing & functioning
  - Food fortification program gazetted
  - 16 companies fortifying Wheat Flour & Veg Oil
  - Companies have equipment, premix, training
  - In process of extending to sugar and maize flour
    - Industrial assessment (Large and small-scale companies for maize flour)
  - Premix mechanism
  - Social marketing
    - Labelling—Logo, draft strategy and campaign



# Production and Distribution

- Where we are going:
  - Continued training for pilot companies
  - Expanding to more companies
    - 16 Maize Meal
    - 4 Sugar
    - 2 Wheat Flour
    - 2 Vegetable Oil
  - Continued doing Advocacy for consumption of fortified products to the consumers public in general



# Production and Distribution

- What we need:
  - Training on use of QC/QA equipment
  - TOT – training of trainers – from suppliers of machines/equipment
  - Use Gvt labs/technical consultants
  - Sustainability of trainers
  - List of approved premix suppliers
  - Public awareness
  - Marketing: Manufacturers need to understand Legal requirements for labeling and packaging, shelf life etc



# National Food Control System

- Where we are:
  - Baseline study
  - Food control personnel
  - Training companies, lab, customs, inspectors
  - National authorities for inspection (INAE)
    - Manuals for internal and external quality control
  - Material for information, education, communication
  - Three regional laboratories with iCheck
  - Multisectoral inspection teams formed



# National Food Control System

- Where we are going:
  - Laboratories to be accredited
  - Continue to train and capacitate companies/labs
  - Full implementation of GHP/GMP, HACCP at industrial level
- What we need:
  - More resources for training and capacity building for official lab
  - More equipment for laboratories
  - Resources for accreditation of labs
  - National database for FF information



# National Standards & Regulations

- Where we are:
  - Standards
    - Wheat Flour
    - Vegetable Oil
    - Maize Meal
    - Salt
  - Legislation: Draft of food fortification to be presented to Ministers' Council and signed





# National Standards & Regulations

- Where we are going:
  - Standards to be implemented by companies
  - Awareness by companies to be increased
  - Training on Quality standards (HACCP, ISO22000, etc.)
  - Approval of legislation
  - Awareness on legislation



# National Standards & Regulations

- What we need:
  - Technical Assistance for Training-of-Trainers
  - Support for companies
    - Installation and maintenance of equipment
    - Premix handling and records



# Timeline

- Mandatory fortification: 2015
- Compliance: 2016
- Grace period: 1 year
- Goals for coverage and reach:
  - 2015: 50%
  - 2016: 75%
  - 2017: 99%
- Small-scale maize millers will be a challenge





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