

RESPOND's Legacy: The Sum Total and Lasting Impact

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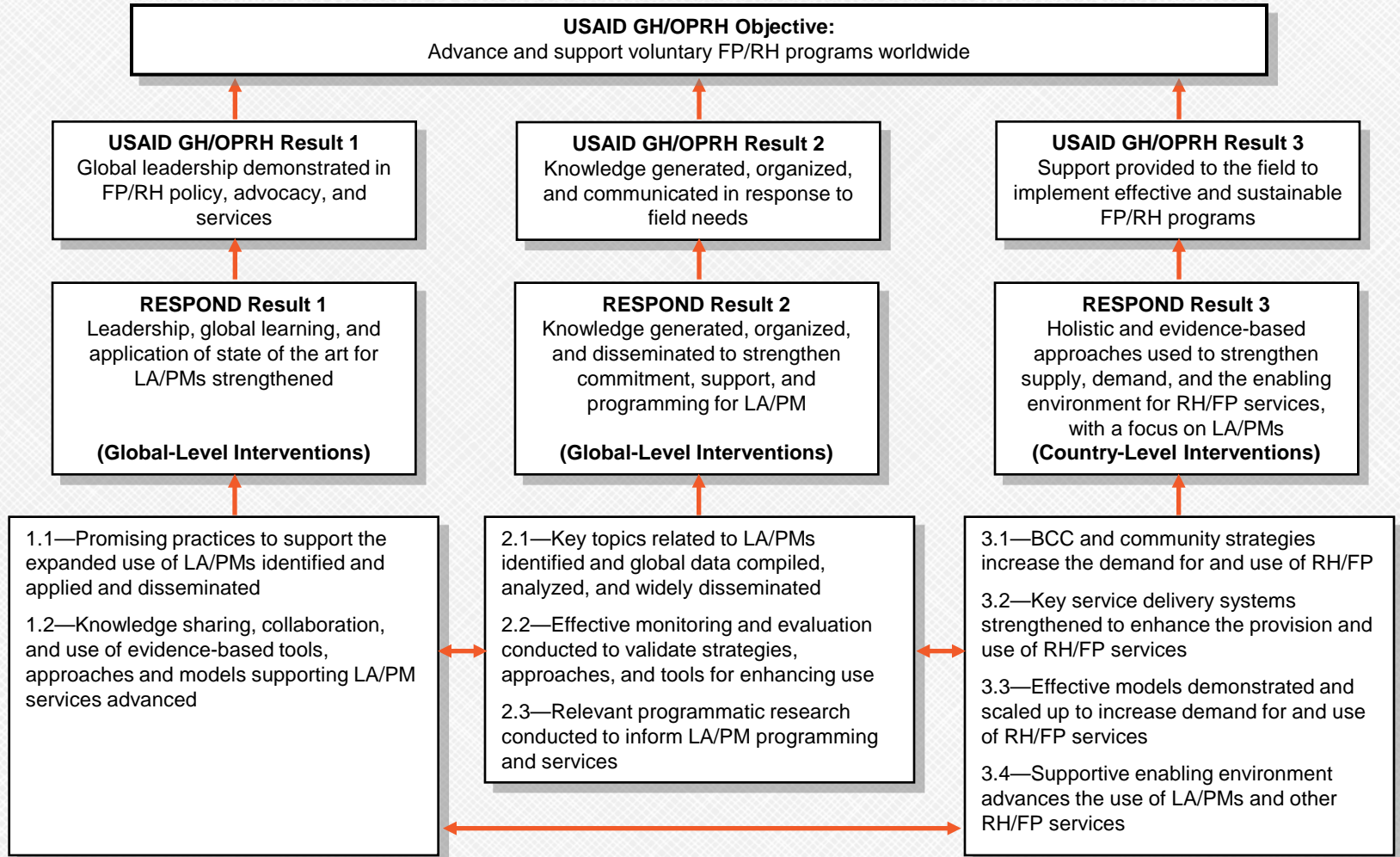
The RESPOND Project: End-of-Project Forum

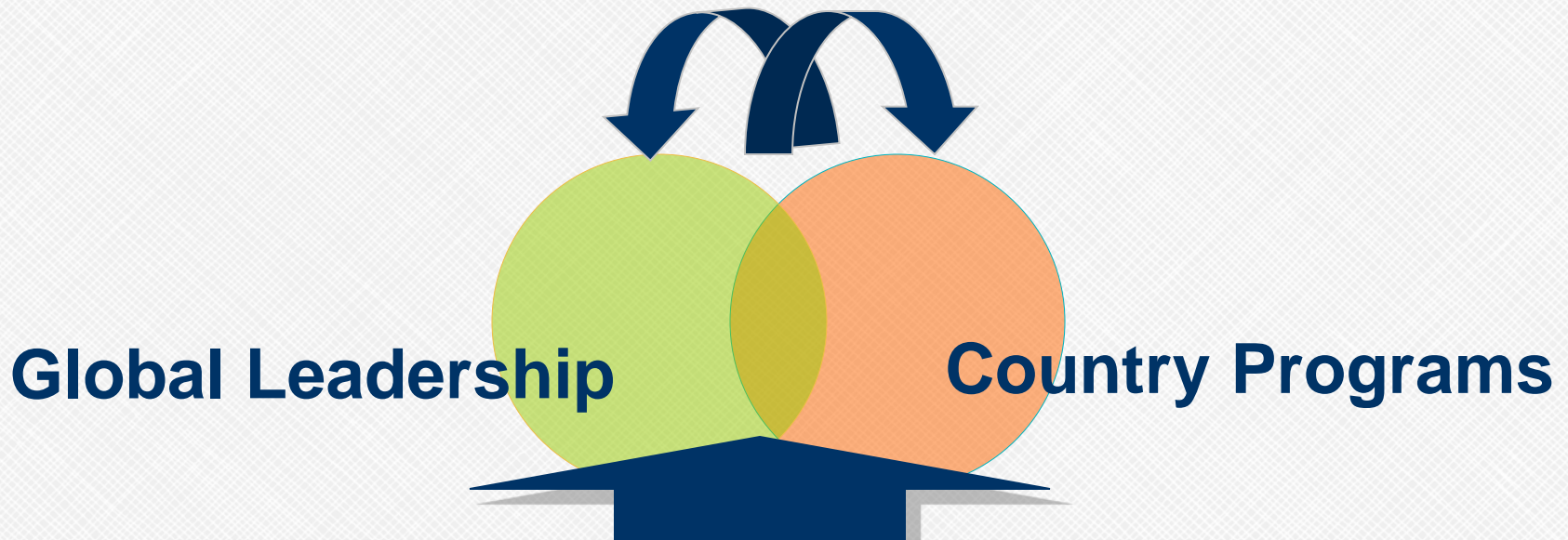
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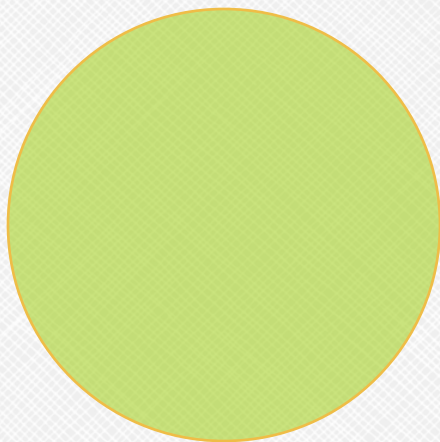


Technical Content/Priorities:

- 1. Advancing knowledge about LA/PMs and unmet need**
- 2. Services/providers/systems (program approaches)**
- 3. Method-specific leadership**

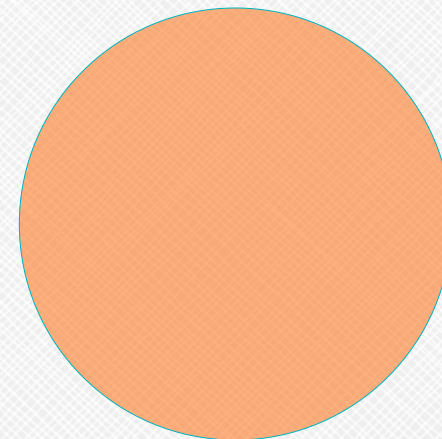
Cross-cutting elements:

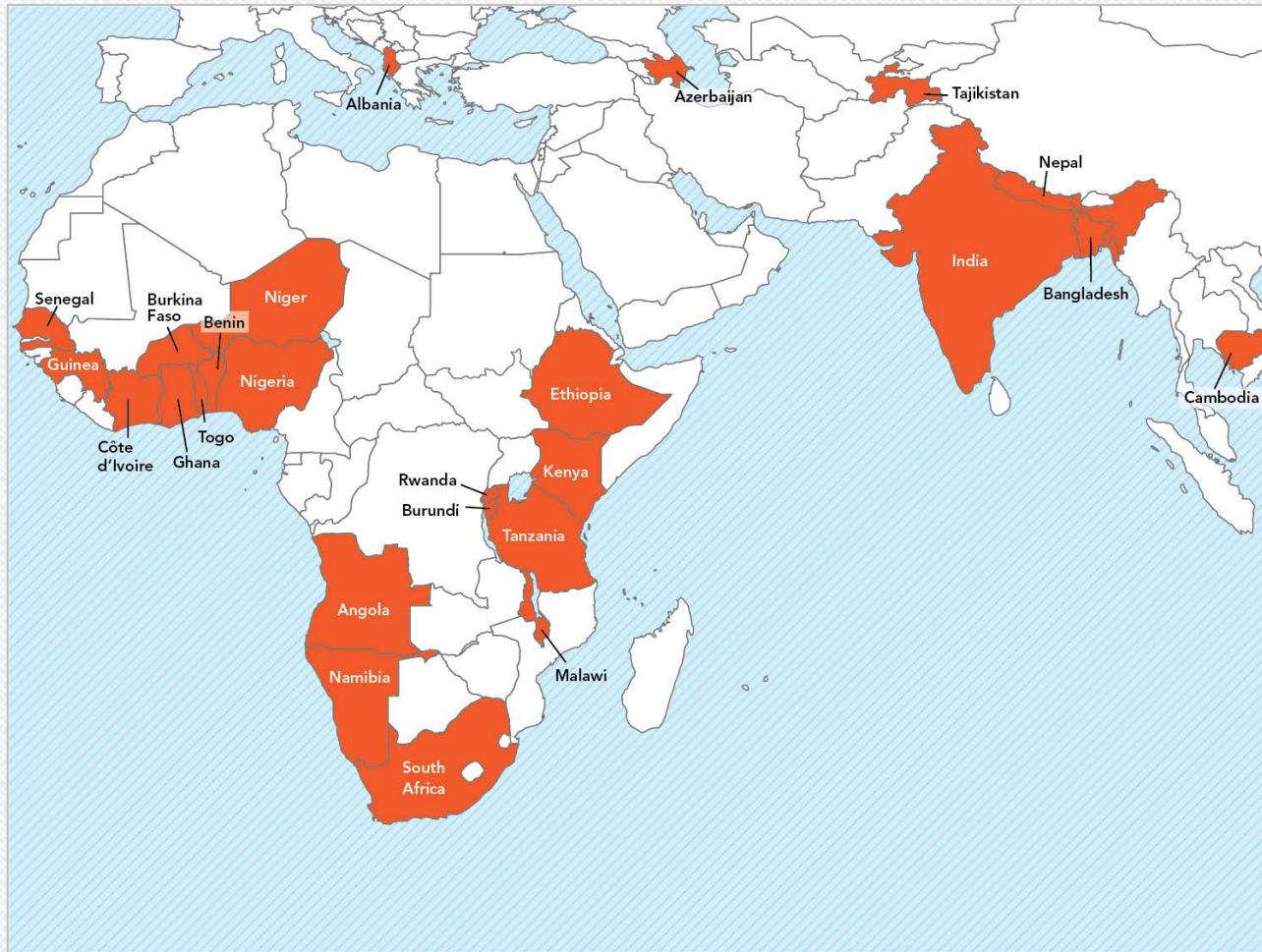
Meeting reproductive intentions; protecting rights and choice; increasing access and quality; and building capacity



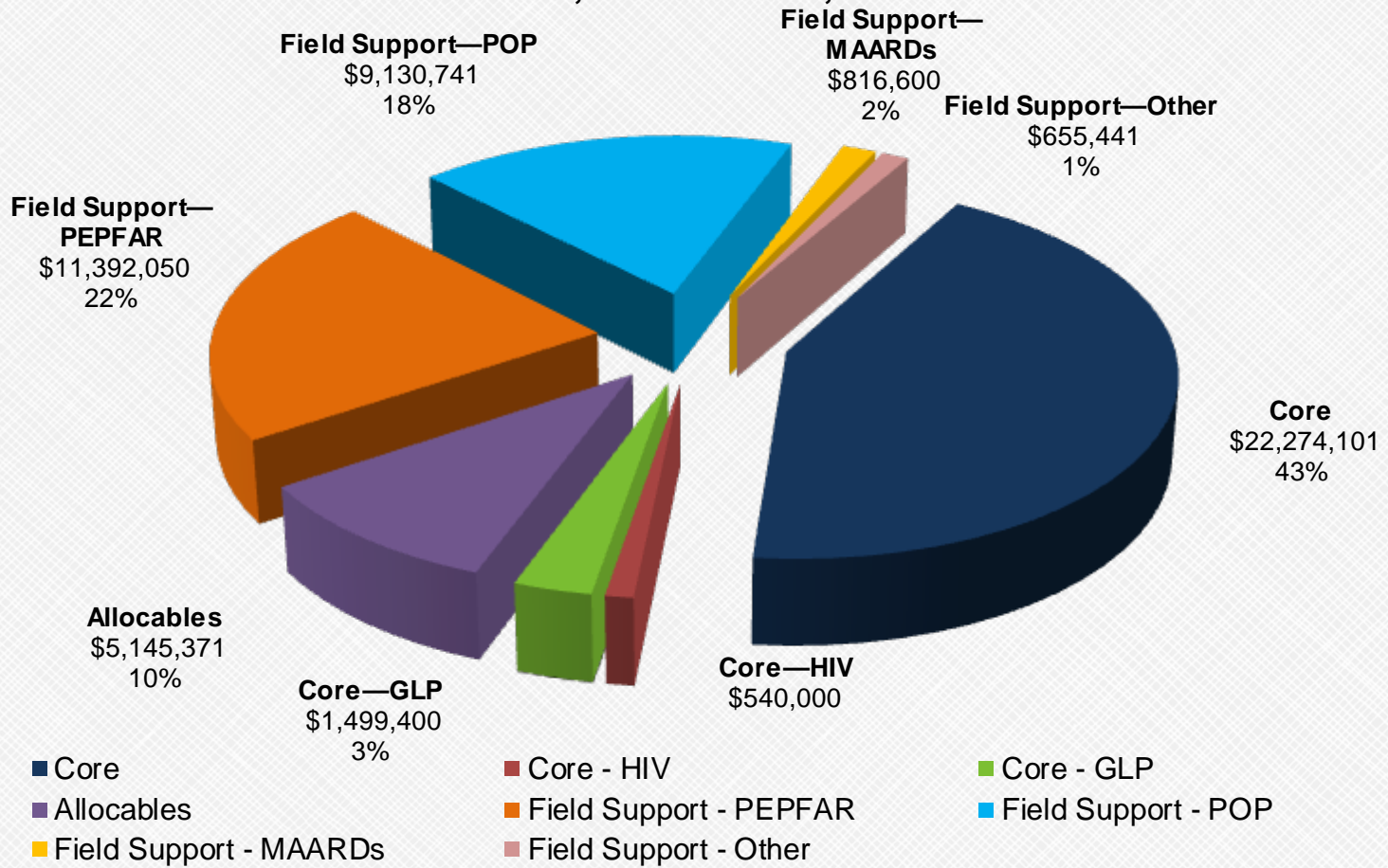
- Analyze global FP data and trends on LA/PMs
- Develop, document, and disseminate new knowledge and resources for LA/PM programming
- Convene technical consultations to facilitate knowledge exchange and garner commitment on LA/PMs and services related to PAC and GBV
- Collaborate with USAID Missions; other USAID projects; international professional organizations; and other donors and foundations to ensure that LA/PMs, PAC, and GBV are considered in strategies, policies, normative guidance, and FP programs

- Providing technical assistance to:
 - Design programs holistically (SEED™ Model)
 - Strengthen data-driven and evidenced-based advocacy and program planning
 - Build capacity of key partners to provide quality LA/PM, PAC, and SRH services
 - Encourage South-to-South learning
 - Promote workplace programs
 - Support systematic scale-up





Total: \$51,453,703
October 1, 2008–June 30, 2014



- Tested tools, models, and approaches that facilitate the use of:
 - Data for decision making
 - Organizational capacity building
 - Contraceptive security
 - Safe, quality LA/PM, PAC, and SRH service delivery
- Generated, disseminated, and used curricula, training resources and events, expert consultations, and knowledge products:
 - Ensuring informed choice and rights
 - Clinical FP method service provision
 - Analyzing and meeting unmet need for FP and LA/PMs
 - Transforming harmful gender norms through constructive male involvement in HIV and AIDS and GBV prevention
- Facilitated knowledge sharing on key LA/PM-related issues through LA/PM Community of Practice

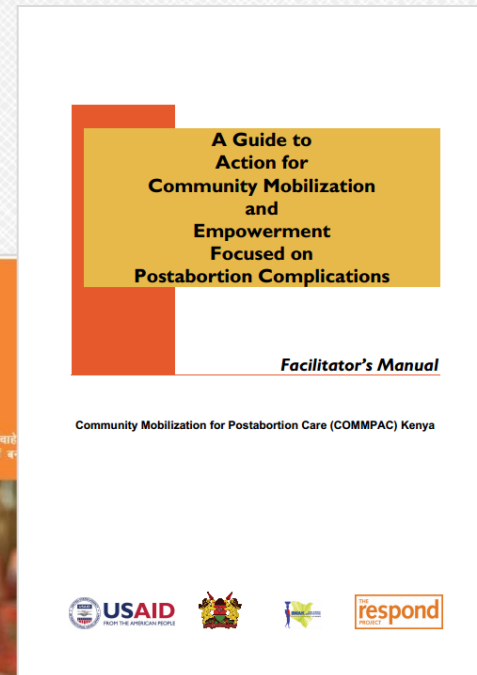
The screenshot shows the Stat-Shot web application interface. At the top, it features the logos for STAT SHOT, USAID, and THE respond PROJECT. Below the logos, there are navigation tabs for 'Country' and 'Region'. A main navigation bar contains four sections: 'Country' with a dropdown menu set to 'None', 'Indicator' with a dropdown menu set to 'Number of Users', 'Options' with checkboxes for 'Show table' and 'View all data', and 'Help' with a link for 'Variable Definitions and Explanations'. The main content area includes the STAT SHOT logo, the text 'Focused Family Planning Data at Your Fingertips', and 'Version 2.04'. A welcome message states: 'Welcome to Stat-Shot, a tool providing data from secondary analyses of Demographic and Health Survey (DHS) data from 47 countries. The data explore characteristics of family planning users and nonusers by disaggregating common family planning indicators by the type of method women are using. For more detailed information on how family planning users are categorized, click the "Definition of Users" link below.' Below this, there are links for 'Definitions of Users', 'Instructions', and 'Instructions' (repeated). The footer contains the copyright notice: '©2014 EngenderHealth and Futures Institute (The RESPOND Project)'.

The screenshot shows the REALITY CHECK web application interface. At the top, it features the logo for REALITY CHECK and the text 'Version : 1.0.1.39'. Below the logo, it says 'A Planning and Advocacy Tool for Strengthening Family Planning Programs'. The interface includes the USAID logo and the EngenderHealth logo with the tagline 'for a better life'. A list of instructions is provided: 'Reality Check has three sections: In the Data section, choose the country of interest, and specify your preferred source of contraceptive prevalence rate (CPR) and population data. You can use the included default data, or enter your own. In the Goals section, choose future family planning scenarios to project and graph together. Future scenarios include: maintaining the current CPR, increasing CPR by a certain annual rate, meeting unmet need, meeting a certain total CPR, and more. Reality Check can also help you plan for changes in the contraceptive method mix. In the Display section, select the outputs to project. Default values for most data inputs are included in the tool, but you can change the values if you have other data.' Below the instructions, there is a section for 'Data and graphs can be exported to Excel spreadsheets or to PNG files via the File menu.' and a question 'Are you ready to get started?' with two buttons: 'GET STARTED!' and 'Open the User's Guide.'. At the bottom, there is a checkbox for 'Do not show this screen next time.' and a 'Language Options:' dropdown menu set to 'English'.

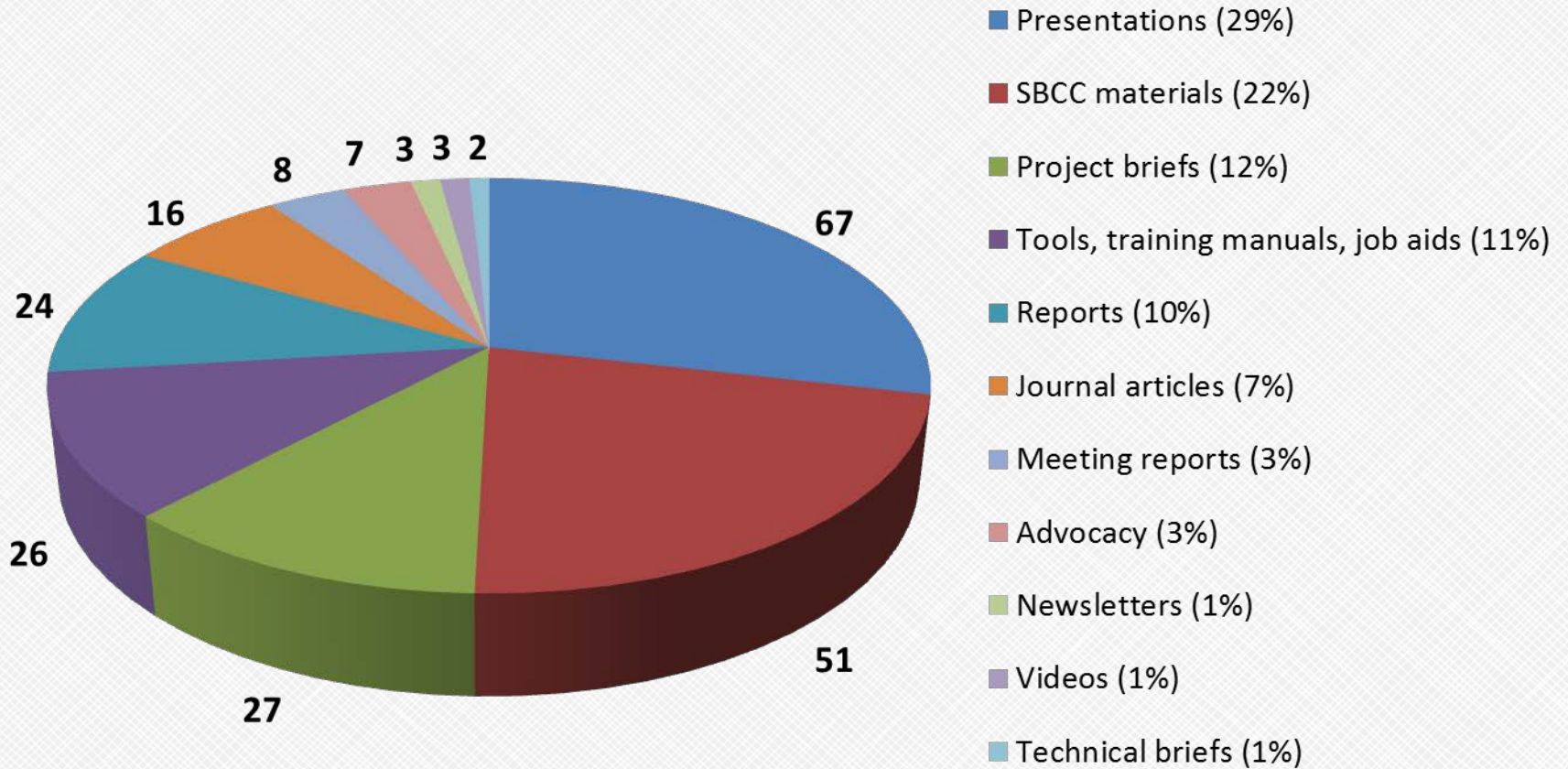
- “LA/PMs: A Smart FP/RH Program Investment”
USAID’s Bureau of Global Health eLearning Center
- COPE® for Contraceptive Security
- Training Resource Package for Family Planning
- Integration of Family Planning and Intimate Partner Violence Services: A Prototype for Adaptation, Trainer’s Guide
- Organizational Capacity Assessment Tool (OCAT)
- Checkpoints for Choice: An Orientation and Resource Package



- Community mobilization
- Employer-based programs

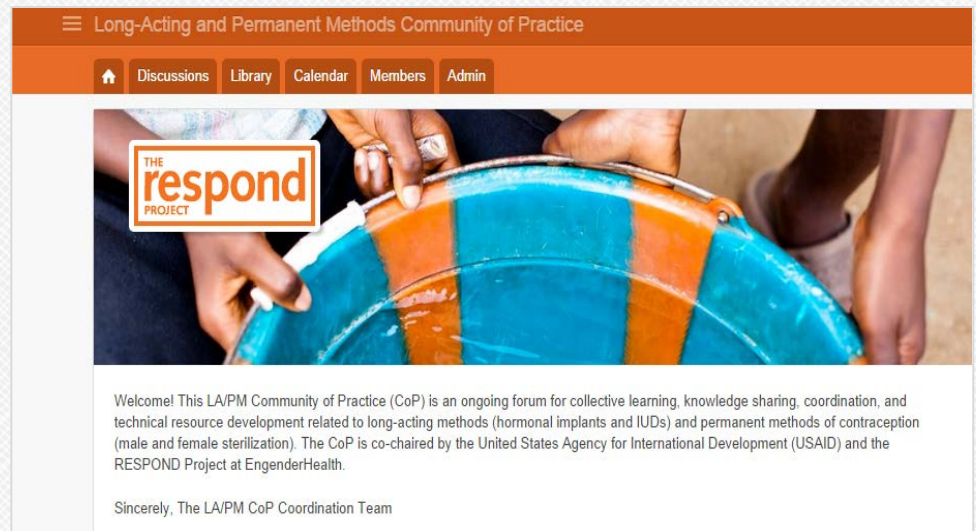


Knowledge Products: 234 Total



- RESPOND provided a total of 72 expert consultations.
 - 22 peer reviews of articles submitted to a range of important journals
 - 29 presentations to USAID Bureaus, the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the World Health Organization, and at many international FP/RH and global public health conferences
 - Informal reviews of USAID and sister Cooperating Agency technical and programmatic materials and documents
 - Service on various Technical Advisory Groups (TAGs)—e.g., USAID’s High Impact Practices, WHO’s Implementing Best Practices (IBP) Initiative, the International Contraceptive Access Foundation (ICA)

- Disseminated evidence-based learning through the LA/PM community web page on the Implementing Best Practices Initiative's Knowledge Gateway
- Engaged community members to produce and disseminate technical resources to enhance programming for FP and LA/PMs, including the Knowledge for Health Implants Toolkit and Permanent Methods Toolkit
- Convened nine technical consultations that stimulated learning, fostered an exchange of experience among FP professionals, and informed strategic thinking and programming for LA/PMs in the international FP community of implementing and donor agencies



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Enabling people to meet their reproductive intentions.

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The RESPOND Project—Responding to the Need for Family Planning—was a five-year (2008–2013; extended for one year through September 23, 2014) Leader with Associates Cooperative Agreement funded by the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) through the Bureau for Global Health/Office of Population and Reproductive Health's Service Delivery Improvement Division. The project's primary objective was to advance the use of reproductive health (RH) and family planning (FP) services, with a focus on informed choice and voluntary use of long-acting and permanent methods of contraception (LA/PMS).



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