

SCN 2003 Report from GHANA HEALTH SERVICE

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Tell us something about your project/activities/research:	WE HAVE JUST INITIATED AN ANAEMIA PROGRAMME AND AT THE MOMENT THE FOCUS IS ON PREGNANT WOMEN. THIS IS BOTH FACILITY AND COMMUNITY BASED. THE PROGRAMME WILL ALSO BE INTEGRATED INTO ALL COMMUNITY BASED ACTIVITIES SUCH AS IMCI AND COMMUNITY BASED GROWTH PROMOTION PROGRAMMES BEING CARRIED OUT
Where are your projects/activities located?	FACILITIES THAT GIVE ANTE-NATAL SERVICES AS WELL AS IN ABOUT TWENTY DISTRICTS
What stage are you in?	PLANNING
Who are your clients or target group?	PREGNANT WOMEN, CHILDREN TO START WITH
Who are the partners?	GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS, UNIVERSITIES, WHO, UNICEF,ILSI, MOST, MEDIA
What have you learned in this project/activity that would be useful to others in your country or other places?	EVEN THOUGH WE ARE AT THE PLANNING STAGE, WE HAVE ALREADY LEARNED THAT FOR A SUCCESSFUL PROGRAMME IT IS IMPORTANT TO GET ALL THE STAKEHOLDERS INVOLVED IN THE DISCUSSIONS AND PLANNING FROM THE ONSET