

# STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP WITH INDIA

BOARD MEETING  
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# The current strategic partnership has been successful for both India and Gavi

Sharp improvements in immunisation services and health outcomes ...

**Under-5 mortality from vaccine preventable diseases (VPDs)**

*Millions of deaths*



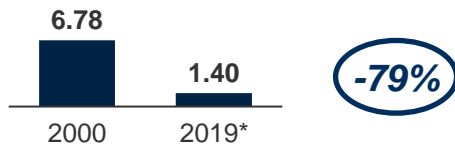
**Under-immunised children**

*Millions*



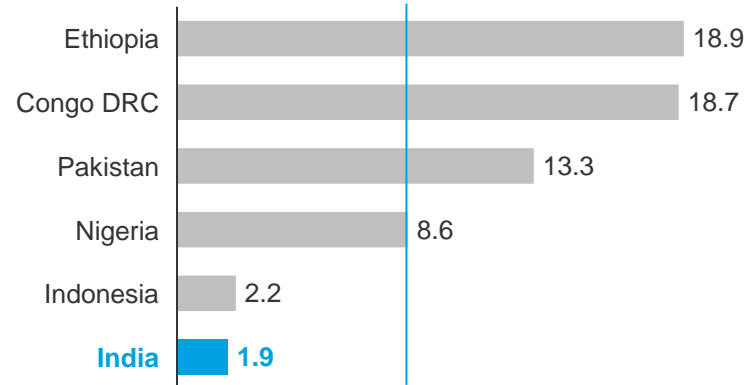
**Zero-dose children**

*Millions*



... enabled and accelerated through **Gavi's catalytic support**

*Total Gavi support per child and per country, from inception to 2019, US\$ per childbirth*



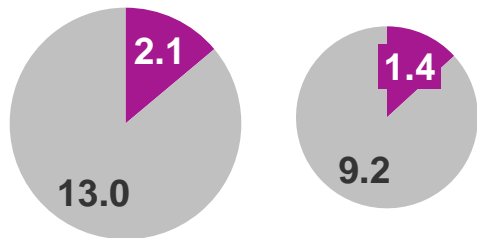
\* 2017 data for under-5 mortality

# Despite progress, significant needs remain and are exacerbated by COVID-19

India still accounts for >13% of missed children among Gavi68 countries

Million children, 2019

India  
Rest of Gavi68



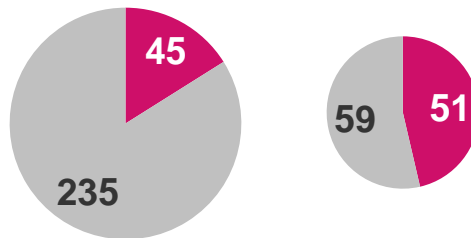
Under-immunised

Zero-dose

High burden of VPDs due to unfinished agenda on vaccine introductions

Thousands of deaths, 2017

India  
Rest of World

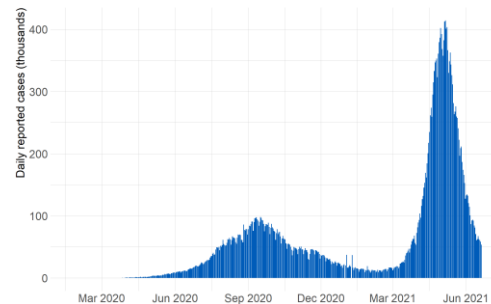


HPV

Typhoid

Catastrophic second wave of COVID-19 infections is hitting India

Daily reported COVID-19 cases in India



Source: JHU COVID-19 database, 21 June 2021

Daily reported Covid-19 cases

# Seven overarching principles will guide the design and implementation of the next phase of the partnership

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**Equity**

**Time-bound  
support**

**Sustainability**

**Learning**

**Innovation**

**Alignment with  
partners**

**Accountability  
& Transparency**

# Proposal for **equity-focused investments** of US\$ 250 million for 2022-2026 of which US\$ 200 million in Gavi 5.0

	<b>Strategic focus and objectives</b>	<b>Gavi support*</b>
<b>Zero-dose &amp; missed communities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Reduce # of zero-dose children <b>in line with Immunisation Agenda 2030 (IA2030) goals (-30% by 2026)</b> through targeted <b>sub-national strategies</b></li></ul>	<p><b>US\$ 100 million</b> <i>Health systems strengthening (HSS)</i> <b>US\$ 10 million</b> <i>Targeted Country Assistance (TCA)</i></p>
<b>Equity-focused vaccine introductions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>Human papillomavirus (HPV):</b> avert 50-78,000 future deaths</li><li><b>Typhoid conjugate vaccine (TCV):</b> avert ~64,000 future deaths</li></ul>	<p><b>~US\$ 140 million</b> <i>New and underused vaccine support (NVS)</i></p>

Select investments in national and subnational **institutions**

**+** Continued engagement on **vaccine and cold chain equipment market shaping**

Alignment with separate **COVID-19 vaccine support** through COVAX

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\* Flexibility will be retained for reallocation within each funding envelope

# Recommendation

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The Gavi Alliance Board is requested to **provide guidance** on the principles, duration, ambition and level of investment for the next period of Gavi's strategic partnership with India.



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