

GAVI and fragile states: a country by country approach

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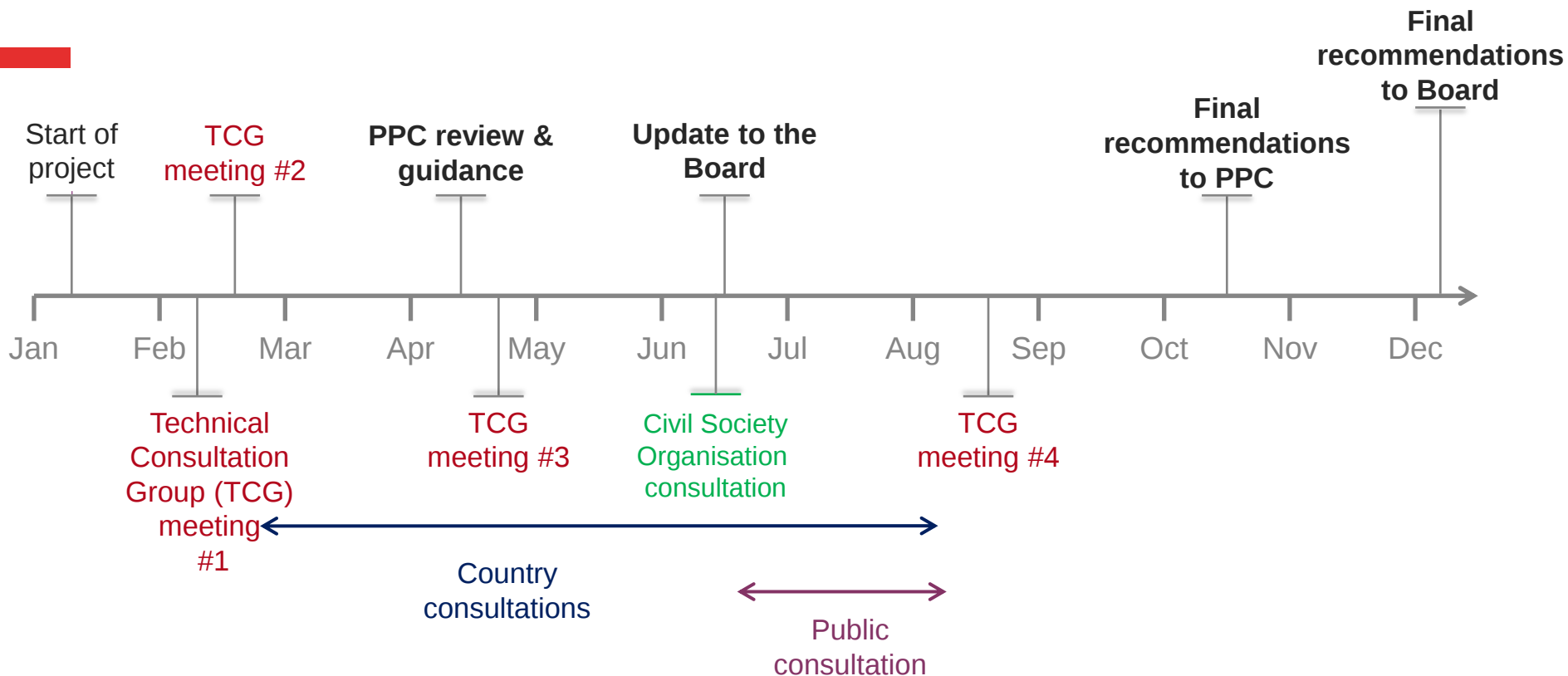
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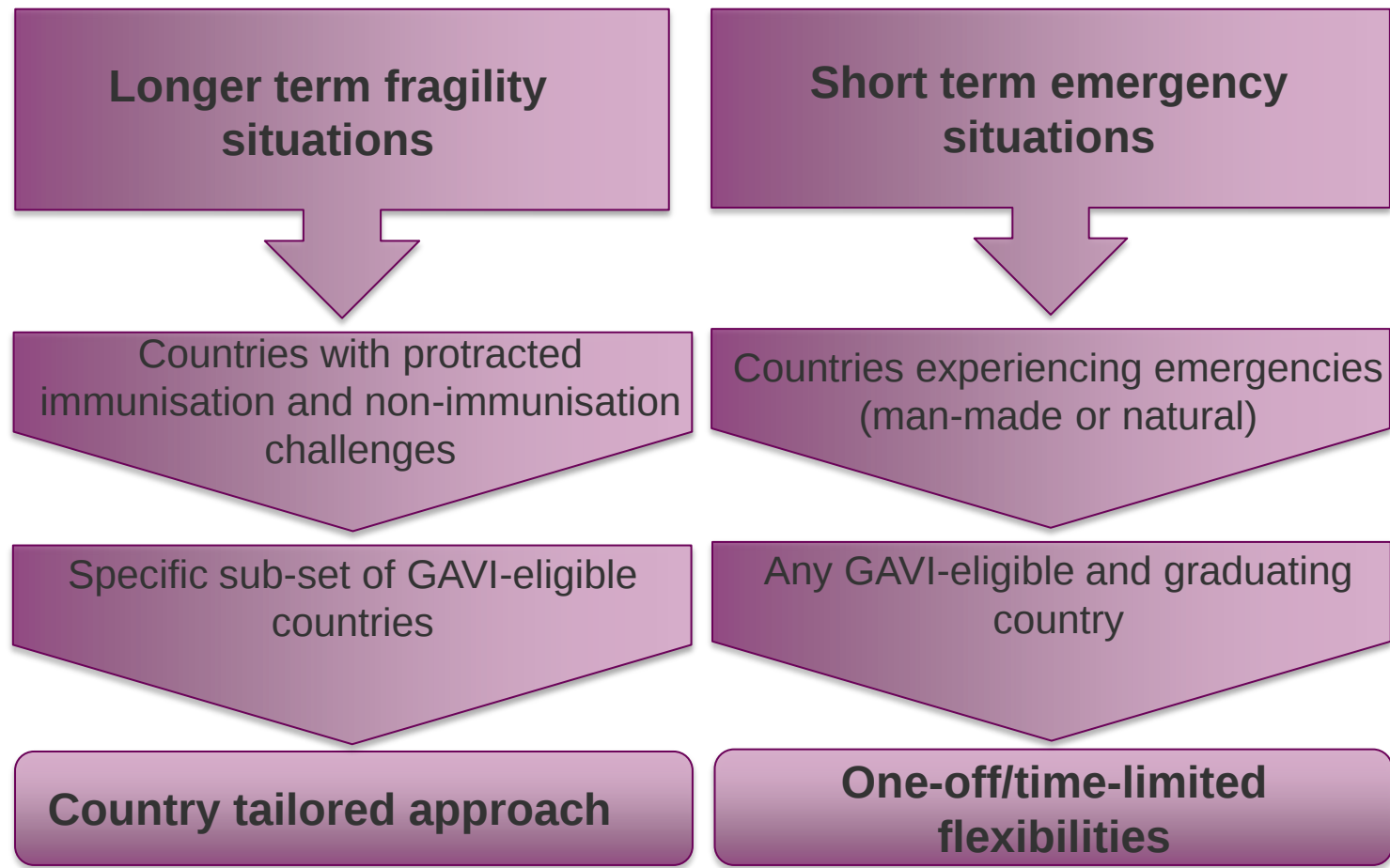
Background

- **Board December 2011:** requested the Secretariat “to develop a policy that clearly defines the GAVI Alliance’s approach to fragile and under-performing countries”.
- **PPC April 2012:**
 - Fragility and immunisation performance not statistically linked
 - Recommended the development of a framework
- **PPC October 2012:**
 - Recommended the country by country approach to the Board

Policy consultation and review process



Two situations require flexibilities in the GAVI model:



The Framework

- Serves as a tool for establishing which countries are to receive a tailored approach
- Contains immunisation and non-immunisation challenges
- Applies to countries that appear in four or more of the categories in the framework
- Identifies ten countries if applied in August 2012

Each country tailored approach will be:

- Flexibilities adjusted to the specific country context:
 - Amount and types of support
 - Processes
 - Type of collaboration
- Developed in collaboration and coordinated with other work streams:
 - Situation analysis
 - Role of partners and GAVI
 - Programme interventions and implementation plan
 - Risks

Time-limited emergency responses

- Dynamic nature of crises – no set inclusion criteria
- Extended at the request of the country and/or WHO/UNICEF
- Applicable also to graduating countries (except for additional cash support)
- Vaccine-related recommendations will be in line with forthcoming SAGE guidance on vaccines in emergencies

Recommendation to the GAVI Board

- The Programme and Policy Committee (PPC) recommends that the GAVI Alliance Board:
 - Approves GAVI's policy on fragility and immunisation in Annex 1 to Doc 12.



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