

SRS Funding Landscape Analysis

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Aim

To support countries in **identifying, mapping, and evaluating** both **existing and prospective** funding sources, mechanisms, and stakeholders relevant to the implementation and scale-up of the SRS.

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Objectives

- Improves **understanding** of the funding environment
- Highlights strategic **entry points**
- Aligns proposals with donor **priorities**
- Supports more efficient processes for **accessing and managing** funds

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Funding Landscape Tool for Sample Registration System (SRS) Implementation: Guidance Note

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1. Purpose of the Tool

The Funding Landscape Tool is designed to support countries in identifying, mapping, and evaluating both existing and prospective funding sources, mechanisms, and stakeholders relevant to the implementation and scale-up of the Sample Registration System (SRS).

The tool improves understanding of the funding environment, highlights strategic entry points, aligns proposals with donor priorities, and supports more efficient processes for accessing and managing funds.

Key objectives include:

- Mapping relevant stakeholders and funding [sources](#);
- Understanding donor and government [priorities](#);
- Identifying strategic entry [points](#);
- Supporting alignment of funding proposals with donor [frameworks](#).

2. Components of the Tool and How to Use Them

This section presents how each of the spreadsheets can be used to support the development of a comprehensive funding landscape for SRS implementation.

A. Funding source mapping

Use this section to identify (or highlight from the comprehensive list of all stakeholders you developed) and categorize [donors, funders, and implementing partners](#) at the global, regional, and national levels. Include information on their thematic focus, geographic reach, previous engagement in SRS or CRVS, and potential for future collaboration.

How to use:

- Populate with country-specific donors and stakeholders.
- Identify history of engagement in CRVS/SRS
- Use the contact points listed to initiate discussions or explore opportunities.

Note: You can also adapt the Stakeholder Analysis (Interest-Power Grid) [Form 1.4](#) ([Stakeholder Analysis Interest-Power Grid](#)) to Position key funders and domestic financing champions to tailor advocacy strategies and identify gatekeepers and allies.

B. Funding mechanism summary

This section outlines key funding instruments, including their scope, eligibility requirements, typical funding levels and durations, and reporting obligations.

Funding source	Type	Geographic Focus	Thematic Priorities	Relevance to SRS	Current/Previous Engagement	Further information on history of engagement
Global Fund	Multilateral Donor	Global	Health systems, data	Medium	No direct funding for SRS	Info: MOH
Ministry of Health	National Government	National	Vital stats, surveillance	High	Key implementer	

Country Brief: Funding Landscape for SRS Implementation in [Country Name]

This brief summarizes the funding landscape for Sample Registration System (SRS) implementation in [Country Name]. It highlights key stakeholders, funding sources, strategic priorities, and sustainability opportunities.

1. Country context

Provide an overview of the national CRVS and mortality surveillance system, existing SRS infrastructure (if any), and recent assessments or reforms.

2. Key stakeholders

List government bodies, development partners, donors, and civil society organizations involved or interested in SRS or CRVS.

3. Current and potential funding sources

Summarize available and potential funding from domestic budgets, bilateral donors, multilateral agencies, and private foundations.

4. Strategic priorities and alignment

Describe how SRS aligns with national health strategies, donor priorities, and SDG targets.

5. Funding gaps and opportunities

Identify resource gaps and propose areas where support is most needed (e.g. technology, training, community engagement).

6. Recommendations and next steps

Provide actionable next steps for mobilizing funds, engaging stakeholders, and integrating SRS in national systems.

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Guide

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collection tool

Report template

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A. Funding source mapping

- Categorize government sources of funds, external donors, and implementing partners operating in the country
- Information on their thematic focus, geographic reach, previous engagement in SRS or CRVS,

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B. Funding mechanism

- Outlines key funding instruments
- Captures information about the scope, eligibility requirements, typical funding levels and durations, and reporting obligations

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C. Strategic alignment matrix

- Assess how components of their SRS implementation plan align with various donor priorities
- Provides tactical suggestions for integrating SRS needs into broader health, demographic, or data systems proposals.

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D. SWOT analysis

- Assess internal and external factors that influence their ability to attract, mobilize, and manage financial resources for SRS implementation

Strengths: Existing funding commitments, strong partnerships

Weaknesses: Limited funding opportunities, bureaucratic processes

Opportunities: Emerging health priorities, international collaborations

Threats: Changes in donor priorities, economic instability

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Potential next steps

1. Form a **national task team** to lead the funding landscape analysis.
2. Populate each sheet of the tool with national data.
3. Convene a workshop with stakeholders to validate findings.
4. Draft concept notes or proposals using aligned entry points.
5. **Monitor funding outcomes and update the tool regularly.**

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During the in-person workshop

1. We will use the information collected to create a comprehensive view of the funding landscape for SRS
2. Discuss funding scenarios specific to each country

SRS Conference Reminders and Highlights

Goal: Support the development of robust, integrated, and fit-for-context SRS designs based on situational assessment results as well as resource mobilization plans based on best practices and lessons learned from cross-country experiences.

Country Team Pre-work

- Draft situational assessment reports submitted by May 26th
- Completion of funder landscaping analysis
- Advance discussion of SRS protocol/design as much as possible

Highlights

- Hear from leaders and implementers of existing national SRS systems in: Africa CDC, India's SRS, Bangladesh's SVRS, Mozambique's SIS-COVE, Sierra Leone's Heal-SL, and Zambia's SRS
- 6 sessions devoted to unpacking: the SRS vision/goals, an investment case for SRS, reviewing situational assessment results, designing an SRS, developing core requirements for systems integration, developing an SRS design plan, and resource mobilization
- Optional site visit to see Ifakara Health Institutes work in Bagamayo

Announcements and Reminders

- All webinar slides, recordings, and planning tools can be found online at: jhu-viva.github.io/srs-resources/
- Our next webinar will be in June TBD, hosted by SwissTPH

Thank you!