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Measuring Contraceptive Security: CS Indicators





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Objectives of this Session

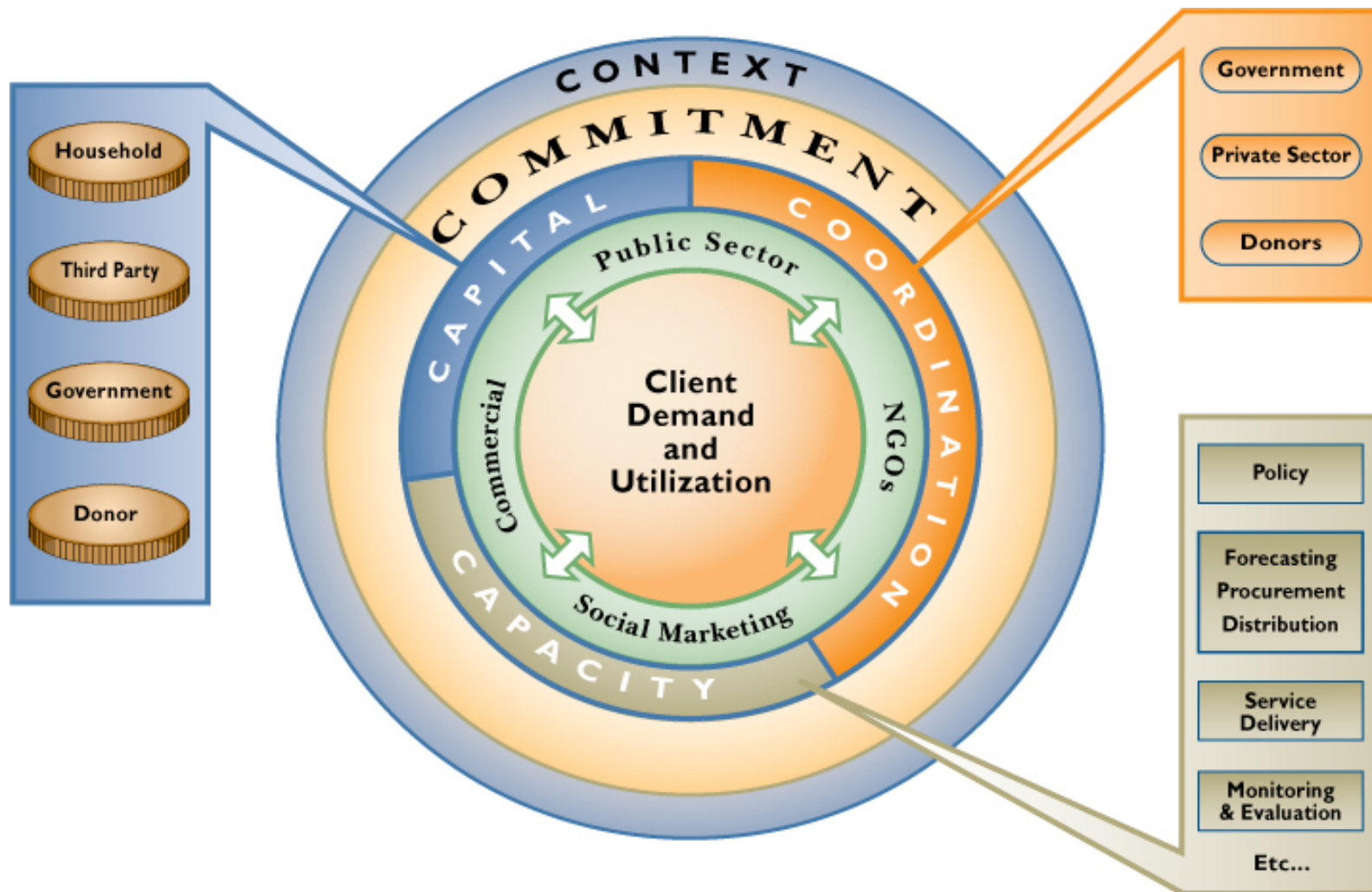
- Introduce a tool that you can adopt/adapt for measuring country contraceptive security (CS)
- Provide highlights of findings
- Introduce CS Indicators Dashboard
- Identify ways the CS Indicators can support our work.





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Reproductive Health Commodity Security Framework



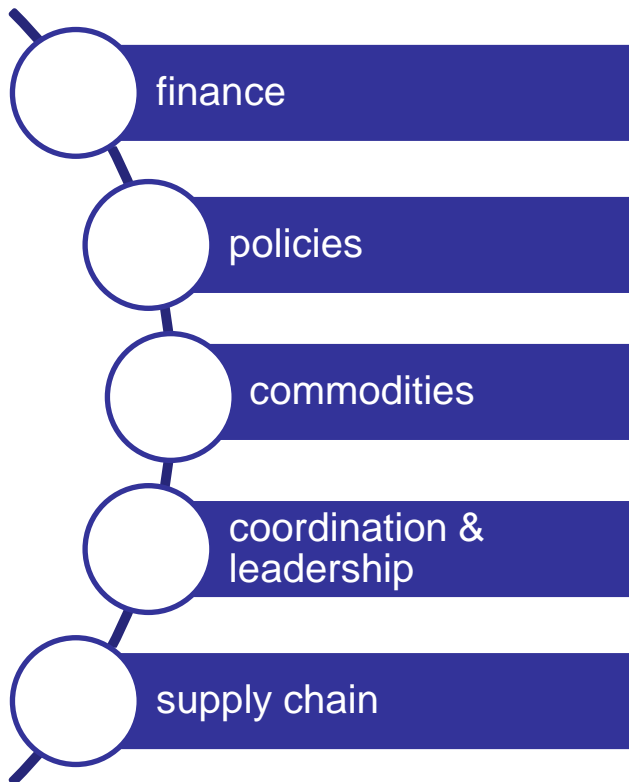


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What are CS Indicators?

5 key areas



- ✓ Useful for local advocates
- ✓ Relatively objective
- ✓ Readily available
- ✓ Routinely updated
- ✓ Comparable across countries



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How are CS Indicators used?

- Build local capacity and monitor progress toward CS.
- Help set priorities and highlight focal areas for interventions.
- Compare indicators, countries, and regions.
- Emphasize importance of CS for better FP program outcomes.





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Select Findings





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Is there sufficient funding for contraceptives?

- How much is needed?
- How much is being spent?

Is funding sustainable?

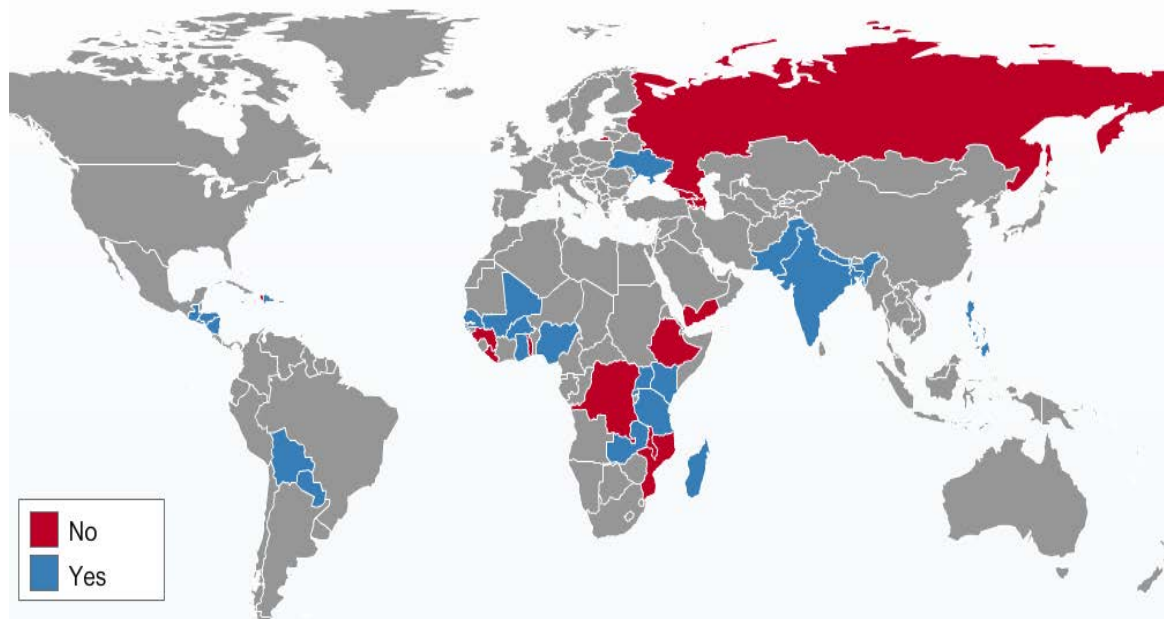
- Is the government funding contraceptive procurement?
- Is there a budget line for contraceptives?
- Is money allocated for contraceptives?



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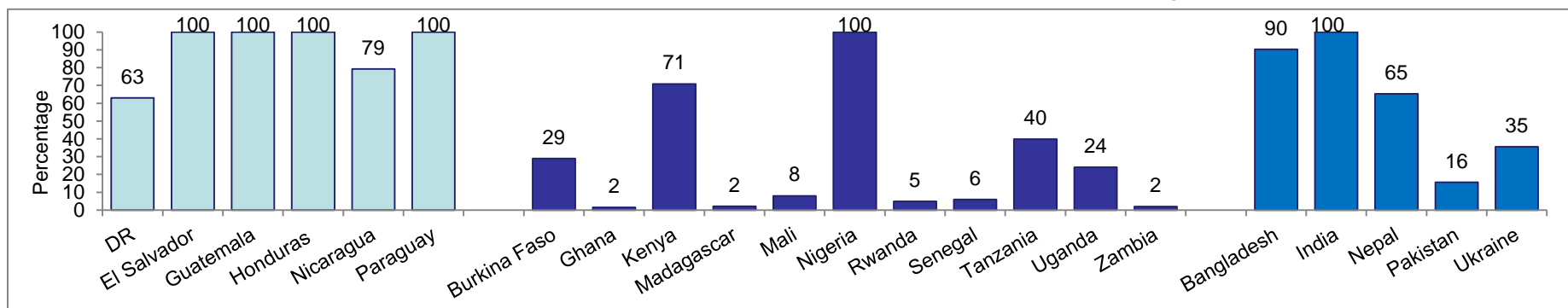
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Government Financing for Contraceptive Procurement



63% of countries spent government funds on contraceptive procurement

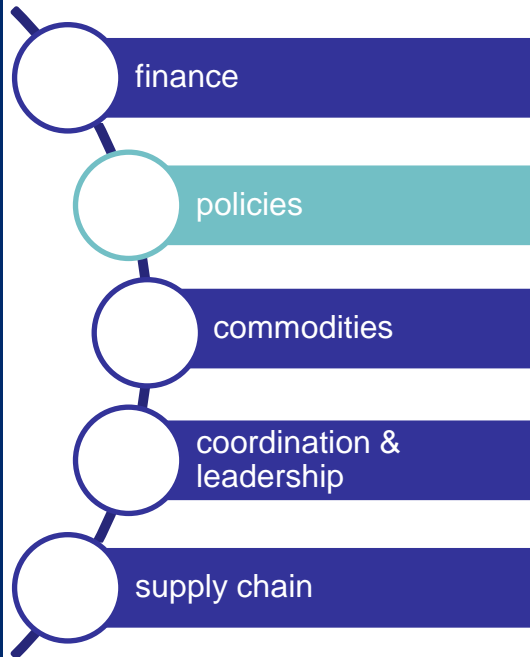
Government Share of Public Sector Contraceptive Financing (%)





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- On average, countries include at least 6 of 9 contraceptive methods on their NEML.
- 80% of countries include CS in a country strategy.
- 24% of countries charge for family planning services or commodities.
 - 78% have exemptions for those who cannot afford to pay.
- 63% have policies that restrict who can dispense contraceptives.



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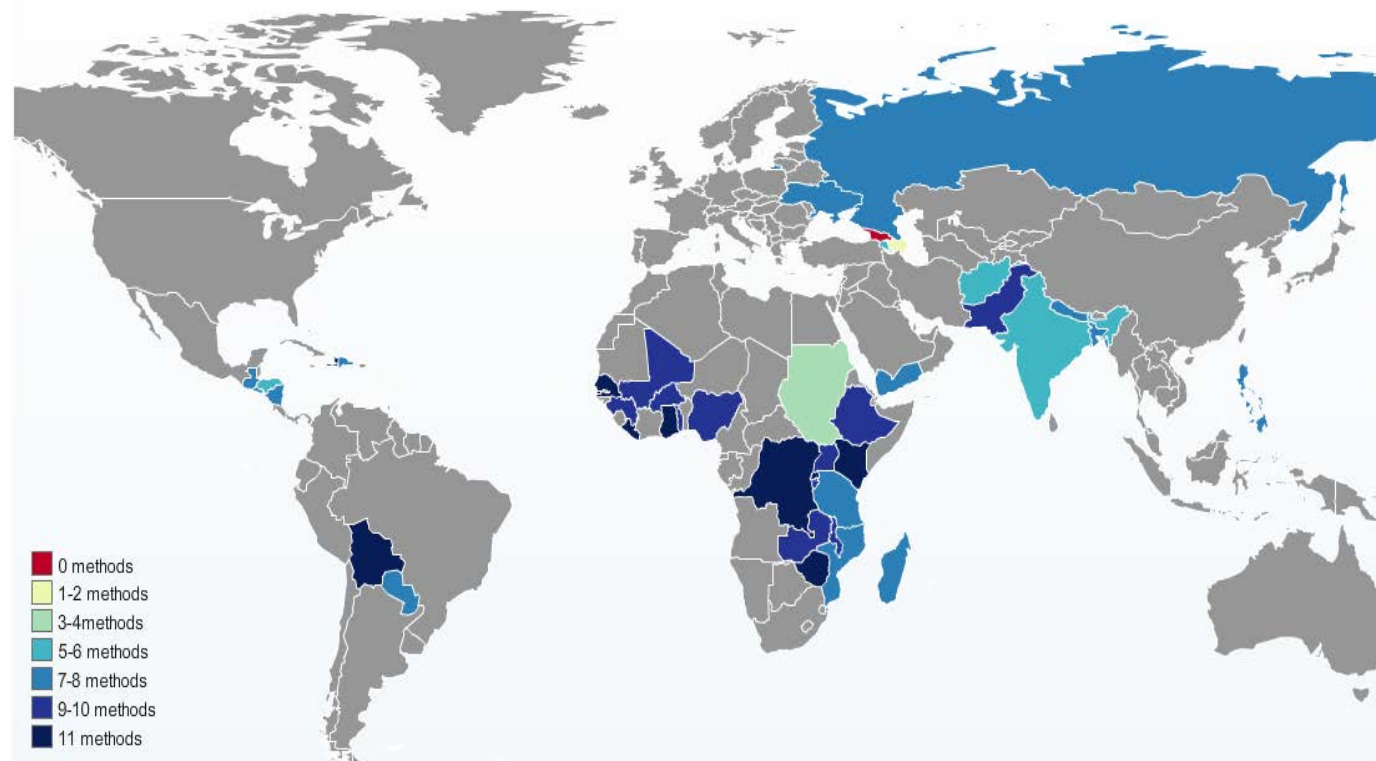
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Number of Methods Offered in Public Sector Facilities



On average, countries offer 8 of 11 contraceptive methods in the public sector, NGOs, & private facilities.



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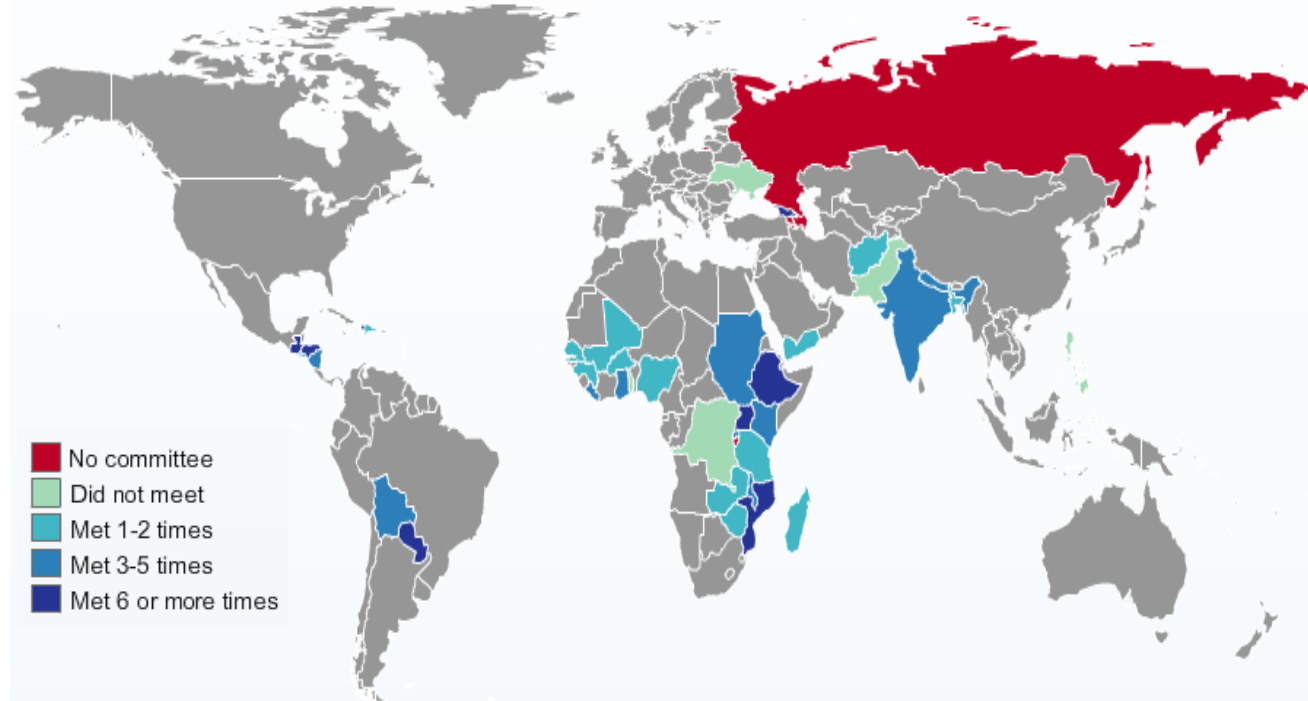
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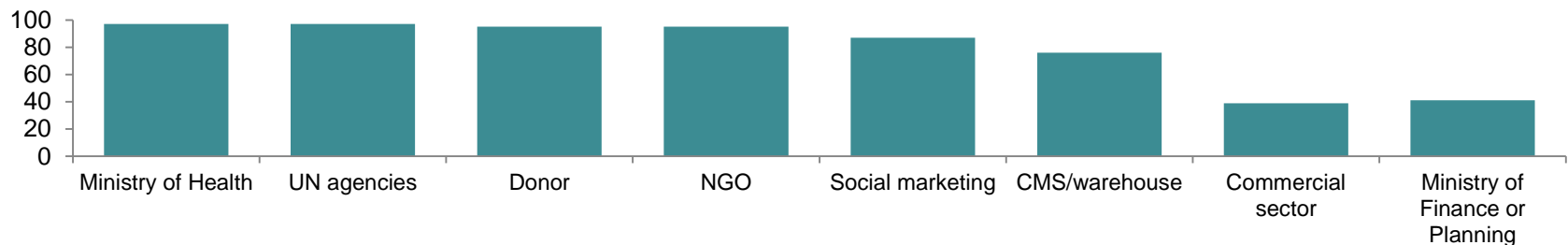
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Existence of CS Committee



Composition of CS Committee





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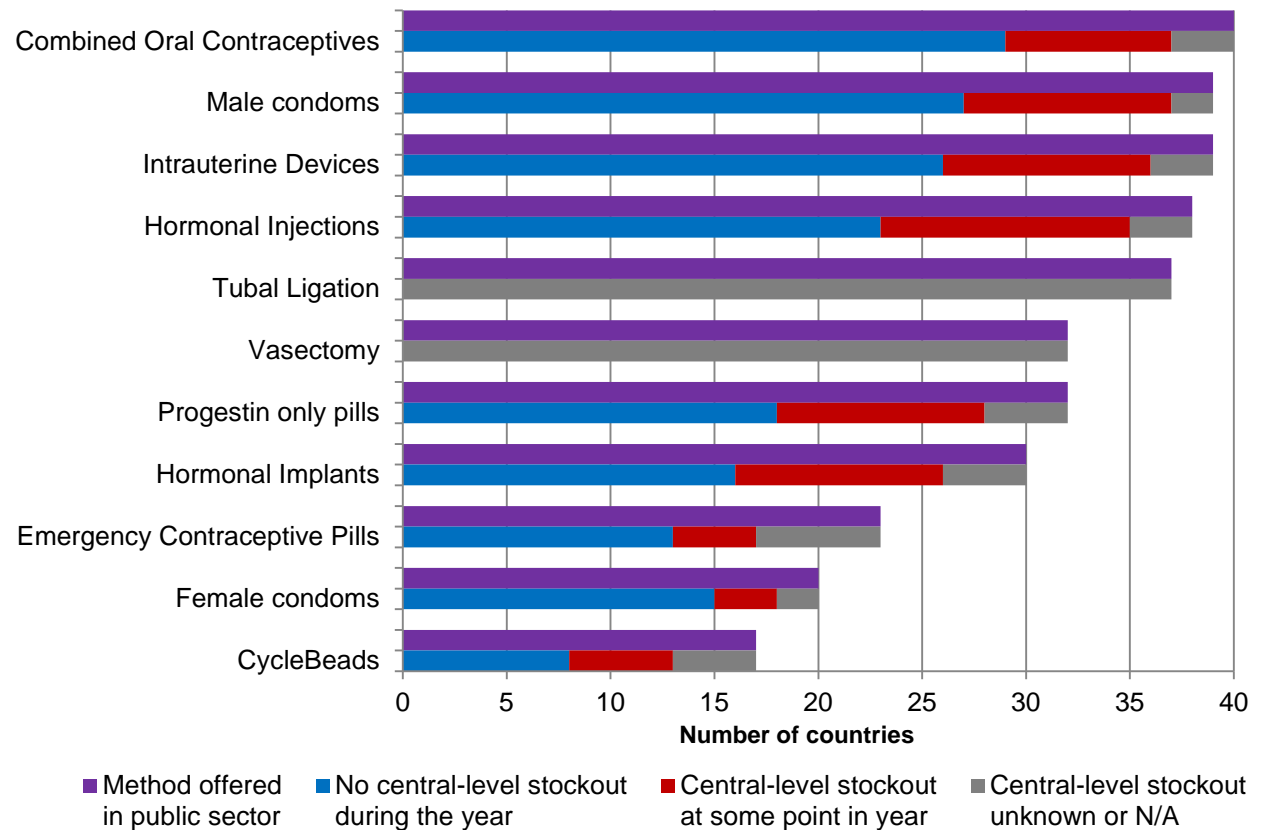
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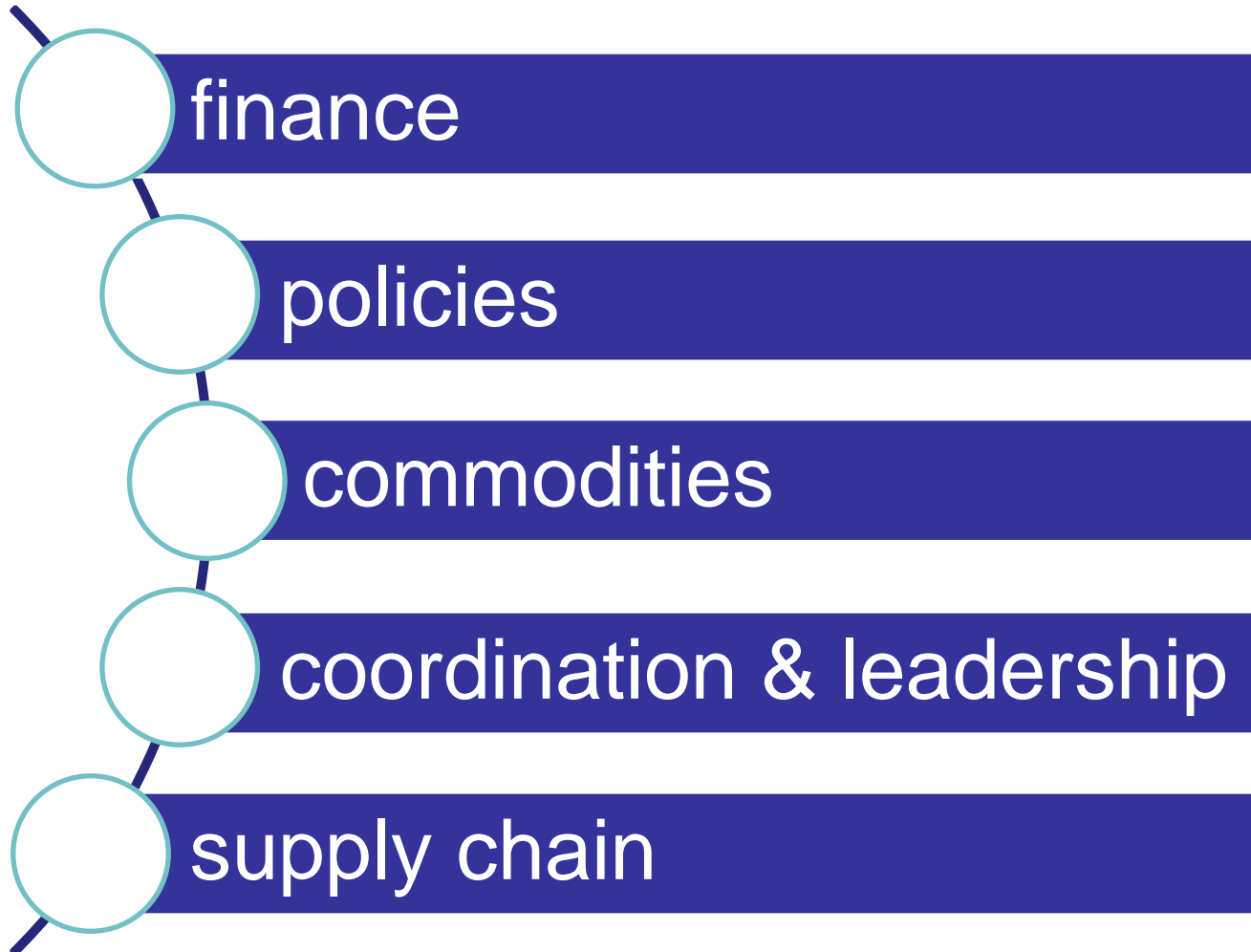
Product Availability at the Central-Level Warehouse





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Uganda Commodity Security Indicator Data Dashboard

Select Survey
Year

2012

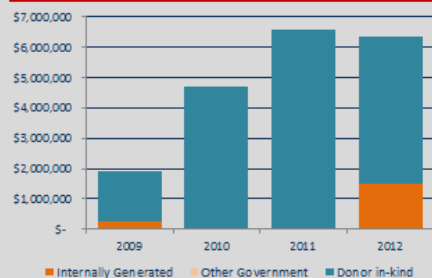
Financing and Procurement

Government funds Amount (USD)

| | | |
|------------------|---|-------------|
| Budget line item | ✓ | |
| Allocated | ✓ | \$1,000,000 |
| Spent | ✓ | \$1,500,000 |

✓ Yes ! Don't know ✗ No

Contraceptive Financing by Source (\$)



Policies (Commitment)

Use this link to read more about the policies that affect CS: [2012](#)

Fees Family planning commodities are subject to duties, import taxes or other fees.
There are no charges to the client in the public sector for family planning services or commodities.

Policies There are policies that hinder the ability of the private sector to provide contraceptive methods.

Laws There are no laws, regulations or policies which make it difficult for young people or unmarried people to access effective family planning services.

CS Strategy Reproductive Health Commodity Security Strategic Plan
Implemented? Yes

Leadership and Coordination

CS Committee:
Family Planning Revitalization Working
Group/Reproductive Health Commodity Security
(RHCS)

Committee met:

6 or more times

Organizations Represented:

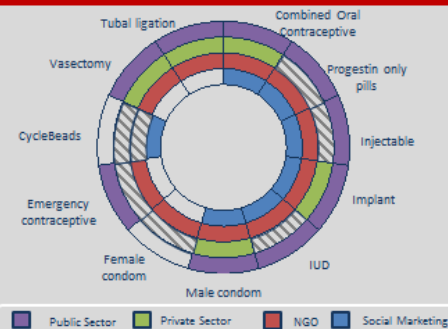
- Social Marketing
- NGO
- Commercial Sector
- ★ Donors
- ★ UN Agencies
- Ministry of Health
- Central Medical Store
- Ministry of Financial Planning

● Represented ● Not represented ★ CS Champion

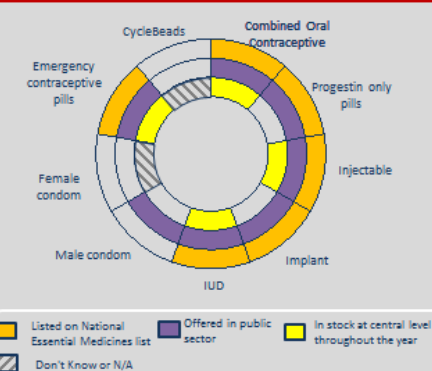
Responses are contingent upon knowledge of respondent.
Please consult the survey for detail.

Commodities

Methods offered by sector 2012



Public Sector Commodities 2012





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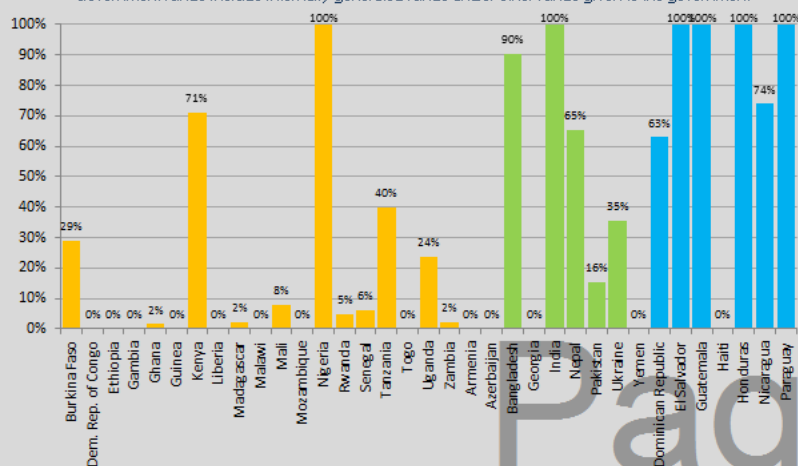
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Contraceptive Security Indicators 2012 Global Data Dashboard

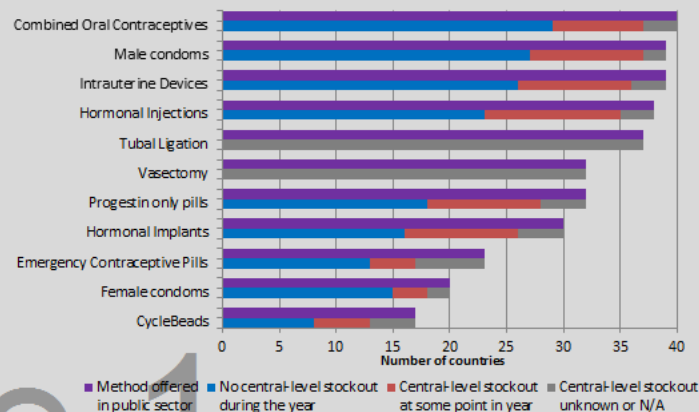
63% of countries spent government funds on contraceptive procurement. On average, countries offer 8 methods in the public sector.

Government share of total spending for contraceptive procurement (where known)

Government funds include internally generated funds and/or other funds given to the government

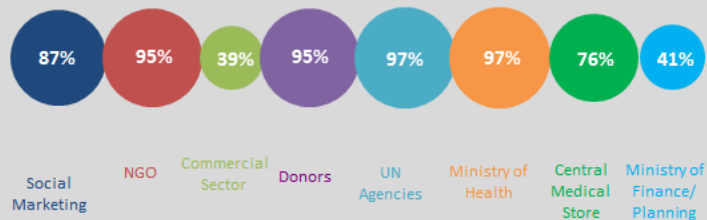


Public sector methods offered and central warehouse stock information

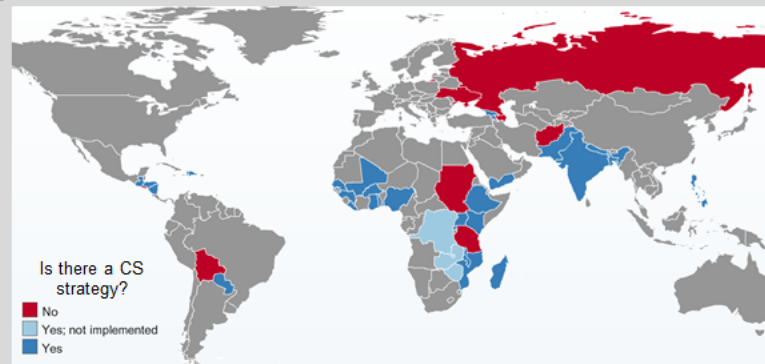


90% of countries surveyed have a committee that works on contraceptive security.

Percent of these countries with a representative from each sector on the contraceptive security committee



80% of countries have a contraceptive security strategy.





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Related Resources (available at deliver.jsi.com)

- ✓ [Contraceptive Security Indicators 2012 data](#)
- ✓ [Contraceptive Security Indicators maps](#)
- ✓ [Contraceptive Security Indicators brief](#)
- ✓ [Contraceptive Security Indicators 2011 paper](#)



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