

# LAPTOP

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## Learning and Professional Training Opportunities

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# What is LAPTOP?

- **Learning and Professional Training Opportunities**
- **Go-to supply chain course finder**
- **Supports professionalization of SC management**



# Evolution of LAPTOP

## Two Innovation Fund grants

### 1. ProDOPS

- **Course search**
- **Spreadsheet of course opportunities relevant to public sector reproductive health commodity managers**
- **Survey of logisticians**

### 2. ProDOPS II → LAPTOP

- **Turned spreadsheet of course opportunities into an online database**
  - Easily accessible
  - Search capability, reports
  - Links for course providers to update information about courses

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## Welcome to LAPTOP

Welcome to LAPTOP, your go-to course finder that offers you a world of training opportunities in supply chain management.

This joint initiative by the Reproductive Health Supplies Coalition and People that Deliver is designed to help you improve your skills, advance your career, and find the right course – at the right time, the right place and the right price.

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### Advertisement



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### Newly Added Courses

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- [Managing Inventory in Supply Chain](#)
- [Stores and Inventory Management](#)
- [Executive Masters in International Logistics](#)
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### Survey

Please take a minute to fill out a quick **survey** about LAPTOP.

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# Ideas for Future

- **Keep course information up-to-date**
- **Enhancements so users can:**
  - Rate courses and share course feedback
  - Be e-mailed when new courses of interest are added
  - Search for courses by keywords
- **Enhancements so course providers can:**
  - log in to update course offerings directly on LAPTOP



# Resources

- **LAPTOP:** [www.rhsupplies.org/resources-tools/laptop](http://www.rhsupplies.org/resources-tools/laptop)
- **One-hour “How To” webinar:** <http://tiny.cc/9b0sjw>
- **Five minute demonstration:** <http://vimeo.com/47031874>



# Questions/Comments?



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