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SUPPORTING COVID-19 MITIGATION

Indonesia is making significant progress in vaccinating its people and recovering from the pandemic surge in mid-2021 when it was the global epicenter. As of April 20, 2022, Indonesia fully vaccinated 78 percent of its eligible population and recorded about 45,000 active cases and 37 deaths.

Since the onset of the pandemic, the U.S. government has provided more than \$77 million to support Indonesia's COVID-19 response; of that amount, the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) has contributed around 65 million to support risk communications and prevention, contact tracing, data management, and critical case handling and facilitates widespread and equitable access to COVID-19 vaccinations to ensure that the most vulnerable are protected.

COVID-19 EMERGENCY RESPONSE PROGRAM

As of April 3, 2022, the United States has donated over 35 million COVID-19 vaccines to Indonesia, and through USAID provided COVID-19 assistance through two distinct yet coordinated waves of support. Under the first funding wave through September 2021, USAID provided over \$30 million to support Indonesia during the initial COVID-19 crisis to strengthen the health system to better respond to the pandemic and ensure continuity of health services. Sixteen partners, including international

organizations, U.S. and Indonesian civil society organizations, universities, and other groups implemented that funding.

Under the second funding wave since July 2021, USAID provided \$34.5 million in new funding to **five implementing partners**: 1) FHI360 (EpiC project); 2) MPKU Muhammadiyah for COVID-19 (USAID MENTARI TB project); 3) International Federation of the Red Cross and Red Crescent; 4) UNICEF; and 5) Johns Hopkins Center for Communication Programs (USAID Breakthrough Action Indonesia). The partners train and mobilize health care workers, set up equitable COVID-19 vaccination services, and help the government and people of Indonesia combat illness and death from COVID-19 by stopping the spread of disease and strengthening health systems.

Currently, USAID is supporting local pandemic response efforts in more than 200 districts across 24 provinces, including 50 private hospitals and clinics. USAID partners operated 25 mobile vaccination vans and USAID supported the upgrading of ten Indonesian Red Cross Society ambulances for transporting COVID-19 referrals. Additionally, our partners amplified national health messages through mass and social media and supported access to and use of data for decision making.

RESULTS

USAID supported:

- Roughly 7,000 vaccinators across 23 provinces who provided nearly three million Indonesians with COVID-19 vaccinations;
- Vaccination services across 474 hospitals, public health centers, and other health outreach sites, over 2,200 door-to-door and mobile clinic services, and 483 mass vaccination sites;
- Installation of over 2,700 handwashing facilities across 13 provinces and served more than five million people with WASH supplies, handwashing promotion, and public handwashing convenience;
- Reach of over 52 million television viewers, 10 million radio broadcast listeners, 60 million new users of the USAID-supported national covid19.go.id website, and 54,000 users of interactive voice response services with COVID-19-related risk communications messaging;
- Reach of more than 51 million Indonesian social media users with digital COVID-19 vaccination-related campaigns through March 2022;
- Strengthening of 1,815 hospitals, clinics, and laboratories with COVID-19 infection prevention and control, surveillance capacity, severe and critical case management, and COVID-19 laboratory skills; and
- 165,000 frontline healthcare workers and strengthened 1,815 hospitals, clinics, and laboratories with COVID-19 risk communications skills, infection prevention and control, surveillance capacity, severe and critical case management, or COVID-19-related laboratory skills.

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