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Political Leaders !
Shortages of Contraceptives
COST LIVES

Research has proven, Over
3,200 UGANDAN MOTHERS DIE
Each Year due to the shortage

**Increase Funding for
REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SUPPLIES**

 
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Current Advocacy Priorities

- Following up the presidential pledge of \$5 million.
- District Advocacy to integrate Family Planning in the annual plans and budgets (Gulu, Mbale, Mubende and Kanungu)
- Following up the endorsement of National Population Council Act by the president.
- Following up implementation of task sharing policies (Clinical officers performing tubal ligation and Community Based Distribution of Injectables).

One recently achieved quick win

Gulu district committed to champion Family Planning through:

- Mobilising partners and allocating a budget for FP
- The district, municipal and sub-county council members harmonising their differences and committing to speak the same language to promote/mobilising communities to use FP services.
- Monitoring FP programmes in the communities.

What is going well

- District leaders appreciate and support family planning and willing to mobilise communities to increase up take.
- Presidential commitment of \$5m honored and fulfilled.
- FP champions working with districts to ensure that FP budgets are well expended at district level and communities mobilized for services.

What is not going well

- CBD policy not yet rolled out by the Ministry.

Thank you