

# Stop TB Partnership

<b>SUMMARY SHEET</b>		
Agenda Nr. 1.06-4.0	Subject	Overcoming Challenges to Implementing the Global Plan
For Information	For Discussion	<b><u>For Decision</u></b>
<p><b>Introduction</b></p> <p>Following the successful launch of the Global Plan to Stop TB on 27 January 2006, the priority is now to operationalize the Plan and the constituent Working Group (WG) strategic plans.</p>		
<p><b>Summary</b></p> <p>The Chair of the Board asked the Chairs and the Secretaries of each WG to identify the three most important challenges that they are facing in operationalizing their strategic plans over the next 1-2 years and proposed means of addressing those challenges. The challenges for the WGs may concern organizational, structural, managerial, human capacity or financial issues.</p> <p>The report on the challenges will be presented during the Coordinating Board meeting.</p>		
<p><b>Decisions requested from the Stop TB Coordinating Board</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To agree next steps in addressing the challenges and bottlenecks faced by the Working Groups in delivering the Global Plan</li> </ul>		
<b>Next steps and time frame</b>		
<b>What:</b> Operational plans of the WGs to reflect discussions		
<b>Who:</b> The R&D, implementation and ACSM WGs		
<b>Timeframe:</b> Finalization of operational plans for presentation at the next CB meeting.		
<b>Focal Point:</b> D. Maher/WG Chairs & Rachel Bauquerez, Working Group officer		