



Resolution n°17-2024-e

Amendment to WHO Enabler Grant adding an Oxygen Sub-Grant

Recalling Unitaid Board Resolutions 7-2016-e, 9-2017-e, 17-2017-e, 19-2017-e and 13-2019-e, 24-2022-e and 13-2024-e, through which the Executive Board approved the commitment of a total amount of funding up to US\$ 66,723,231 to WHO for the Enabler Grant (comprising the HIV and co-infections/co-morbidities, Malaria and Tuberculosis Sub-Grants);

Noting that oxygen is a lifesaving essential medicine, as recognized in Unitaid's 2023 – 27 Strategy, across several of its Programmatic Priorities; and acknowledging the proposed inclusion of a new Oxygen Sub-Grant to WHO/WHE within the WHO Enabler Grant, in order to allow Unitaid to provide support to WHE to implement activities aimed at enabling Unitaid's oxygen work ("the Proposal"); and

Taking note of the recommendations of the Secretariat and the PRC with respect to the Proposal, the Board requests the Secretariat to add a new Oxygen Sub-Grant for WHO/WHE to the WHO Enabler, and subject to the availability of funds, authorizes the Executive Director to commit up to US\$ 2,999,976 to the new Oxygen Sub-Grant, for the implementation of enabling activities for the Board-approved Project "East Africa Program on Oxygen Access (EAPOA)", implemented by CHAI, together with Unitaid's ongoing work within the Global Oxygen Alliance (GO₂AL), for one year, commencing 1 April 2024.

The additional funding is conditional upon signature of an amendment to the Enabler Grant Memorandum of Understanding between Unitaid and WHO reflecting the inclusion of the new Oxygen Sub-Grant for WHO/WHE, together with the new budget ceiling.

Lead Organization: WHO

Project Duration: 1 June 2017 - 31 December 2025

Revised total budget ceiling: US\$ 69,723,207

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Marisol Touraine
Chair of the Unitaid Executive Board

Date: 26.06.2024