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Area for Intervention: Development of better tools to diagnose HCV, in particular in case of HIV/HCV co-infection

Having considered the analysis presented by the Secretariat during EB22, the Executive Board supports the need for UNITAID to focus strategically on the "Development of better tools to diagnose HCV, in particular in cases of HIV/HCV coinfection", with a view to working with partners and countries to ensure the linkage of diagnosis with the benefits of ARV and Hepatitis C treatments for co-infected people.

The Executive Board requests the Secretariat to launch calls for proposals within this area of intervention and to present progress on implementation to the PSC.

The Board's endorsement of this area of intervention has no budgetary implications.

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