



## 7.13 Regional contribution to the Global Ministerial Forum on Research for Health

### Objectives

- Inform about the 2008 Ministerial Forum on Research for Health, Bamako
- Inform about the preparatory regional dialogues
- Receive and address comments and feedback



# Summary of recommendations

- Develop national health research systems
- Define health research policies
- Provide resources for health research & equity
- Promote the systematic use of research evidence
- Address national priorities
- Account for research that is taking place; development of aggregative registries and a portal
- Partnerships, networks and alliances. Capacity building
- Follow up and monitoring
- Lead by example



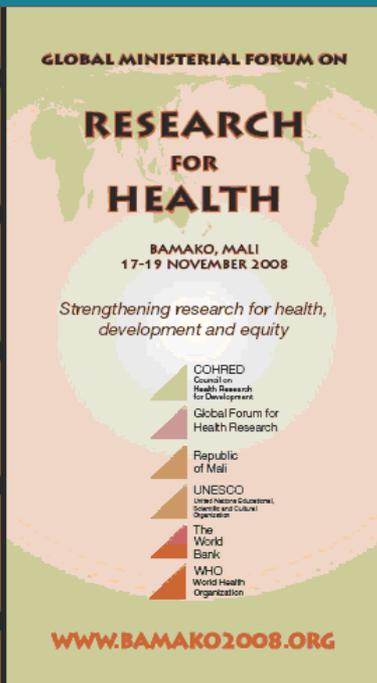
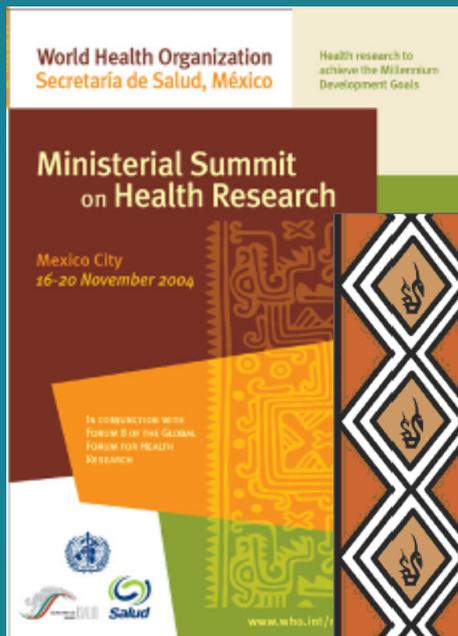
# PAHO/WHO Response to Mexico

PAHO/WHO's coordinated and comprehensive response

- WHO's roles & responsibilities in health research and health research strategy; preparatory work for PAHO's research policy
- Developed a platform for clinical trials registers that allows integrating, characterizing, and accounting for research that is taking place. Define standards for trial registration and promote registration compliance
- Promote the systematic use of research results to inform public health policies and that researchers address health policy needs
- Define standardized processes for the development of technical documents (Guidelines) that ensure these are informed by research evidence and that facilitates putting evidence in context
- Lead by example...



# 2008 and the follow up to Mexico



- Assess progress
- Address current challenges and consolidate achievements
- Place health research & innovation in a wider context of research development
- Focus on 3 key objectives
  - Strengthening leadership
  - Engage relevant constituencies
  - Increase accountability



## Our aim

*To deliver an agreed statement for the Ministerial Forum on Health Research 2008 that builds and protects progress made since the previous Ministerial Forum, and addresses the new challenges.*

### CHALLENGES

- ✓ Transfer the coordination for the preparatory dialogues to PAHO/AMRO in May 2008.
- Build on regional progress and agreements reached since the 2004 Ministerial Forum
- A consulted regional position statement prepared for the consideration of the 48<sup>th</sup> Directing Council

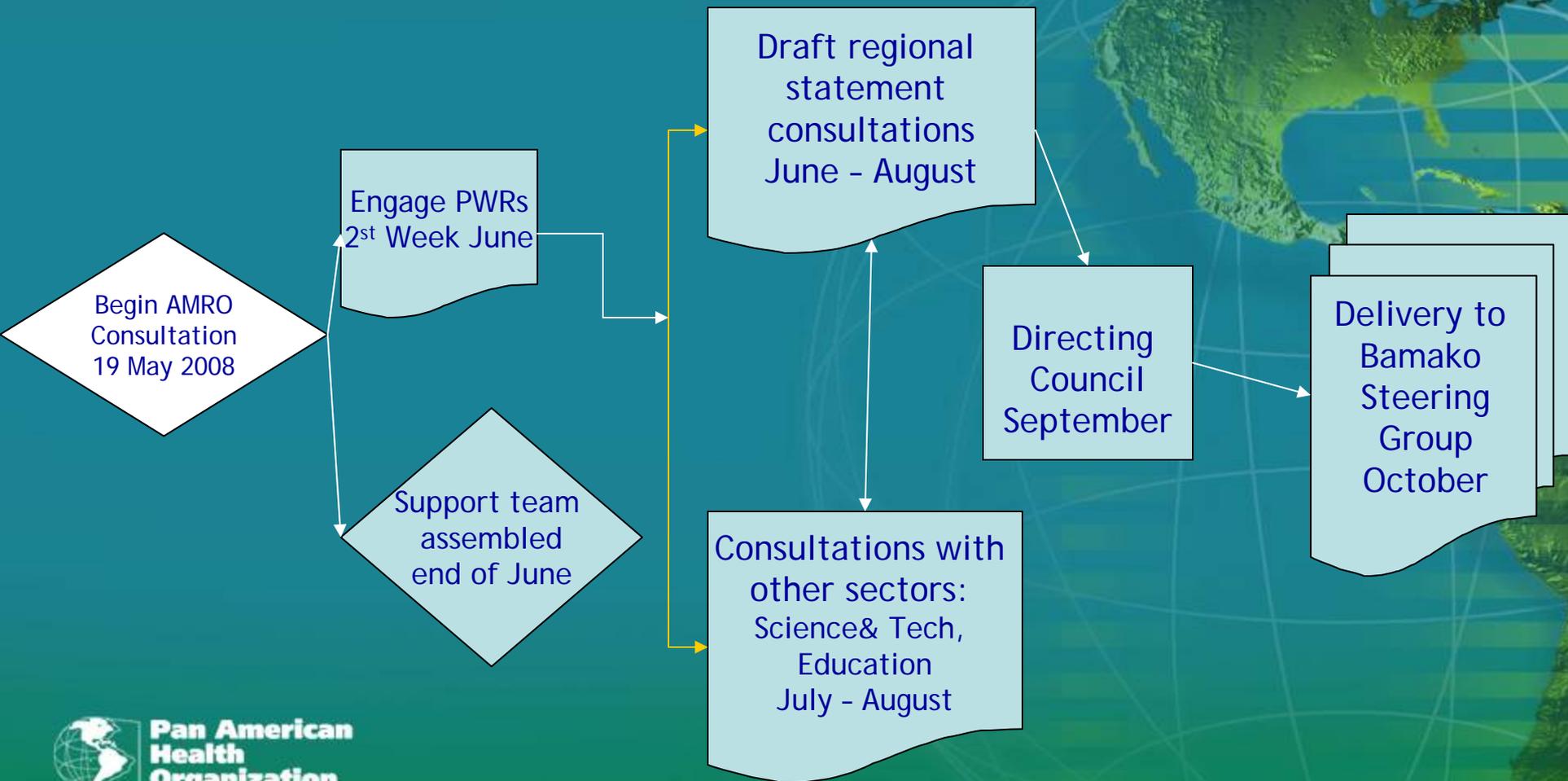


# Goal

- To have appropriate representation of a Regional perspective at the Ministerial Forum.
- To enable the technical dialogue and consultation with representatives from the health sector, and other sectors such as science and technology and education
- To protect the achievements and progress made, and give continuation to the various agreements and consultations in which the Region is already involved.



# Process summary Chart





# Thanks!

**GLOBAL MINISTERIAL FORUM ON RESEARCH FOR HEALTH**  
 BAMAKO, MALI  
 17-19 NOVEMBER 2008  
*Strengthening research for health, development and equity*

**FÓRUM MINISTERIAL GLOBAL DE PESQUISA PARA A SAÚDE**  
 BAMAKO, MALI  
 17 A 19 DE NOVEMBRO DE 2008  
*Fortalecimiento de pesquisa para a saúde, desenvolvimento e equidade*

**FORUM MINISTÉRIEL MONDIAL SUR LA RECHERCHE POUR LA SANTÉ**  
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 17-19 NOVEMBRE 2008  
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**FORO MINISTERIAL MUNDIAL SOBRE INVESTIGACIÓN PARA LA SALUD**  
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