

**CTC**

Inter-agency Meeting Agenda  
February 28 – March 2, 2005

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## Day 1 (Registration at 7:30)

February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2005

Time	Activity	Chairs
7:30 – 8:45	<b>Check in at the American Red Cross and Registration</b>	
8:45 – 9:20	<p><b>Facilitator:</b> Dick Wall</p> <p><b>Welcome</b> <i>Patricia McLaughlin, Program Advisor, International Services, American Red Cross</i></p> <p><b>Dick Wall</b> Meeting purpose, process, and practical issues</p> <p><b>Opening remarks</b> <i>Caroline Abla, USAID/Office of Foreign Disaster Assistance</i> <i>Rudy Von Bernuth, Vice President, Save the Children USA</i> <i>Paul O' Brien, Overseas Director, Concern Worldwide</i></p>	
9:20- 10:15	<p><b>Overview of CTC</b> <i>Steve Collins, Valid International</i></p>	
10:15 - 10:30	<b>Break</b>	
10:30- 12:30	<p><b>SESSION 1: Implementing CTC in Different Contexts</b></p> <p>Introduction (Chairs)</p> <p><b>1: CTC in Sudan</b></p> <p>South Sudan, Aweil, <i>Kate Golden, Concern Worldwide</i> South Sudan, <i>Cyprian Ouma, Tearfund</i>, Sudan, Darfur, <i>Hassan Taifour, Save the Children UK</i></p> <p><b>2: CTC in Malawi and Ethiopia</b></p> <p>Malawi, <i>Stanley Mwase, Concern Worldwide</i> Ethiopia, <i>Alem Greiling, Save the Children USA</i> Ethiopia, <i>Seifu Debebe, International Medical Corps</i> Ethiopia, <i>Emily Mates, Concern Worldwide</i></p> <p>Discussion and questions Summing up (Chairs)</p>	<p>Paul Rees-Thomas (Concern) and Hedwig Deconinck (Save the Children USA)</p>

<b>12:30 – 1:30</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	
<b>1:30 – 3:15</b>	<p><b>SESSION 2: Issues and Challenges in Implementation: The Relief to Development Continuum</b></p> <p><b>2a: PD/Hearth and CTC linkages</b></p> <p>Introduction (Chairs)</p> <p>1: Basic constructs of PD/Hearth with comparison to CTC <i>Judiann McNulty, Consultant</i></p> <p>2: Illustrative examples linking PD/Hearth and CTC in practice <i>Caroline Tanner, FANTA Consultant</i> <i>Stanley Mwase, Concern Malawi</i></p> <p>3: Outlining critical issues in PD/Hearth and CTC linkages <i>Judiann McNulty, Consultant</i></p> <p>Discussion and questions Summary up (Chairs)</p>	<p>Kathryn Bolles (Save the Children USA) and Michelle Kouletio (Concern)</p>
<b>3:15-3:30</b>	<b>Break</b>	
<b>3:30 – 5:00</b>	<p><b>SESSION 2: Continued</b></p> <p><b>2b: Suggestions for Solving Indicator Dilemmas</b></p> <p>Introduction (Chair)</p> <p>1: MUAC Verses WFH: The perspective of interface <i>Tanya Khara, Valid International</i></p> <p>2: Should we use WFH or MUAC as admission criteria for CTC? <i>Andre Briend, WHO</i></p> <p>3: MUAC verses WFH: survival and response <i>Mark Myatt, Institute of Ophthalmology/University College London</i></p> <p>Discussion and questions Summing up (Chair)</p>	<p>Caroline Tanner (FANTA Consultant)</p>
<b>5:00-5:05</b>	<b>Dick Wall</b>	
<b>6:30-8:30</b>	<b>Evening reception at Hotel Lombardy</b>	

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## Day 2 (Meeting begins at 8:45)

March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2005

Time	Activity	Chairs
8:45-9:00	<b>Dick Wall</b>	
9:00 – 9:15	<b>Summary of Day 1</b> <i>Arabella Duffield, ENN</i>	
9:15 – 10:30	<p><b>SESSION 3: Issues and Challenges in Implementation: Local Capacity and Community Mobilization</b></p> <p>Introduction (Chairs)</p> <p>1: Overview of community mobilization, theory and practice: Lessons learned <i>Saul Guerrero, Valid International</i></p> <p>2: Issues and challenges in community mobilizations: Concern’s experience in S. Sudan, Malawi, Ethiopia and North Sudan <i>Kate Golden, Concern Worldwide</i></p> <p>3: Issues and challenges with volunteers <i>Anne Walsh, Valid International</i></p> <p>Discussion and questions Summing up (Chairs)</p>	<p>Valerie Gatchell (Concern) and Karin Lapping (Save the Children USA)</p>
10:30 -10:45	<b>Break</b>	
10:45-12:45	<p><b>SESSION 4: Issues and Challenges in Transition, Integration and Scaling up</b></p> <p>Introduction (Chairs)</p> <p>1: Integrating CTC into national health system <i>Theresa Banda, Ministry of Health Malawi</i></p> <p>2: Integration and sustainability in Sudan <i>Hassan Taifour, Save the Children UK</i></p> <p>3: Integration and sustainability in Ethiopia <i>Dr. Ephrem Teferi, Ministry of Health Ethiopia</i></p>	<p>Kate Sadler (Valid) and Paul Rees-Thomas (Concern)</p>

	<p>4: Challenges in linking CTC to existing protocols <i>Andre Briend, WHO</i></p> <p>Discussion and questions Summing up (Chairs)</p>	
<b>12:45 – 2:00</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	
<b>2:00 – 3:30</b>	<p><b>SESSION 5: Issues and Challenges in Replication and Scaling Up: Ready to Use Therapeutic Foods</b></p> <p>Introduction (Chair)</p> <p>1: Overview and update: RUTF local production, new formulations, scaling-up production, commercial viability and sustainability <i>Steve Collins, Valid International</i></p> <p>2: Local production of RUTF in Malawi: Experience with small and medium scale production <i>Mark Manary, Washington University, St. Louis and College of Medicine, University of Malawi</i></p> <p><u>Panel discussion:</u> Discussants: <i>Judy Canahuati USAID/Food for Peace; Bruce Cogill FANTA; Theresa Banda MoH Malawi; Isabel Sauguet Nutriset</i></p>	<p>Andre Briend (World Health Organization)</p>
<b>3:30 – 4:00</b>	<b>Break</b>	
<b>4:00 – 5:00</b>	<p><b>SESSION 5: Continued</b></p> <p>Discussion and questions Summing up (Chair)</p>	
<b>5:00-5:05</b>	<b>Dick Wall</b>	

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### Day 3 (Meeting begins at 8:45)

March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2005

Time	Activity	Chairs
8:45 – 9:00	<b>Dick Wall</b>	
9:00-9:15	<b>Summary of Day 2</b> <i>Arabella Duffield, ENN</i>	
9:15-10:30	<b>SESSION 6: CTC and HIV/AIDS</b>  Introduction (Chair)  1: HIV infection in malnourished children cared for in a CTC program in Malawi <i>Mark Manary, Washington University, St. Louis and College of Medicine, University of Malawi</i>  2: Lessons from CTC/HIV AIDS study in Malawi and opportunities for expansion <i>Kate Sadler, Valid International</i>  3: Operational research in CTC and HIV/AIDS <i>Ellen Piwoz, SARA Project, AED</i>  Discussion Summary of session (Chair)	Bruce Cogill (FANTA)
10:30 - 10:45	<b>Break</b>	
10:45 – 12:30	<b>SESSION 7: Ensuring Quality and Coordination</b>  Introduction (Chairs)  1: Framework for initiatives to establish, improve and promote good practice in CTC <i>Steve Collins and Frances Stevenson, Valid International</i>  2: The CTC draft manual <i>Frances Stevenson, Valid International</i>  3: Standards, training and mentoring in CTC <i>Steve Collins, Valid International</i>	Anne Walsh (Valid) and Caroline Tanner (FANTA)

	<p>4: Establishing a CTC group for implementing agencies  <i>Paul Rees-Thomas, Concern and Tobias Stillman, Save the Children USA</i></p> <p>Discussion and questions</p>	
<b>12:30 – 1:30</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	
<b>1:30 – 2:30</b>	<p><b>SESSION 7: Continued</b></p> <p>5: Supporting quality control through technical assistance  <i>Caroline Abba, USAID/OFDA</i></p> <p>6: Supporting the development of WHO guidelines for the community based treatment of severe malnutrition  <i>Andre Briand, WHO and Bruce Cogill, FANTA</i></p> <p>Discussion and questions  Summing up (Chairs)</p>	
<b>2:30-2:45</b>	<b>BREAK</b>	
<b>2:45-4:15</b>	<b>SESSION 8: Determination of next steps</b>	<p>Jeremy Shoham  (ENN) and Steve  Collins (Valid)</p>
<b>4:15-4:30</b>	<p><b>Closing</b>  <i>Bruce Cogill, FANTA; Tobias Stillman, Save the Children USA  and Paul Rees-Thomas, Concern Worldwide</i></p>	
	<b>THANK YOU</b>	