

DEPLOYING AN ELECTRONIC LMIS: MAKING THE RIGHT CHOICE

Medexis eLMIS Software and Services



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i+Agenda: Medexis & i+solutions

- 1. Background
- 2. Design
- 3. Features
- 4. Implementation
- 5. Dashboards
- 6. Burundi Case Study
- 7. Q&A



i+ Background: i+solutions

- + Upstream
 - Procurement agent for Global Fund and individual countries: HIV, malaria, TB, PPE, & essential medicines
- + Downstream
 - + In-country system strengthening (Burundi, DRC, Mali, and Nigeria)
 - + Training (i+ academy)
 - + Innovative data system and analysis
 - + Electronic Logistics Management Information System (eLMIS) - **Medexis**





i⁺History: Medexis

- + In 2017, the industry saw improvements
 - + Paper-based LMIS
 - + In-country health commodity supply chains in previous years
- + Structural challenges remained
 - + Data & information visibility and accuracy related issues
 - + Processes and tools related issues





i⁺ Data Visibility and Accuracy



- + Lack of real time visibility of supply chain information
- + Lack of reliable data / issues with data accuracy
- + Data missing or not reported in the paper process: part of the data missing or reported untimely
- + Lack of an 'end to end' view, especially the ability to view the situation at the last mile



i Medexis Design: an easy-to-use eLMIS

Medexis provides logistical visibility across all echelons of the supply chain



- + Cloud and android-based
- + End-to-end product tracking tool
- + Embedded Logistics Management Information System (LMIS)
- + Reporting capabilities and features
- + Available as Software as a Service (SaaS)
- + Multi-users interfaces for web browsers, smart phone and Tablet
- + Network-agnostic mobile and web software



Forecasting and demand planning

- + Predictive logic for forecasting inventory and procurement planning
- + Interactive dashboard
- + Oversight over the entire supply pipeline
- + Optimal performance of the supply chain

Lot management

- + FIFO, FEFO
- + Full management and traceability of batches and expiry dates
- + Picking by FEFO and if needed by FIFO



Intelligent Inventory Management

- + Program & donor stock tracking
- + Unserviceable stock (quarantine)
- + Level of care & inventory settings
- + Warehouse & bin-locations
- + Stock rationing & stock-out history reporting

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Real-Time Stock Visibility

- + Monitoring of stock status and order status in real time
- 'Near stock-outs' and 'nearexpiries'

Informed Push or Pull Fulfilment Process

- + Multi-tier and parallel systems (programs) ready
- + Seamless inventory fulfilment
- + Informed push and pull model
- Stock requisition and approval
- + Real-time tracking of order status

Cold Chain Management

- + Cold chain equipment capacity calculations
- + Cold chain product distribution against capacity
- + Cold chain equipment maintenance status

- + Cold chain equipment temperature monitoring
- + Closed vial wastage



Transportation Management

+ Coordinates transport by optimally combining consignments

Last Mile Visibility

- + Captures product consumption (by proxy and/or singly dose level)
- + Full visibility of inventory and consumption tracking

Integration with DHIS2

+ Data can be transferred for coverage monitoring

Budget and credit management

 health facility financial budget management





- + Community Health Workers enter data into the DHIS2 app, which is integrated with Medexis
- + System can be used on Android phones
- + System supports barcode scanning
- + Compatible with GS1





i⁺Medexis Dashboards



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i+ Medexis Dashboards



- + Processing time
- + Lead time
- + Stock on hand by program
- + Stock on hand by units and by value



- + Stock outs by location
- + Stock outs by item
- + Length of stock out

Active stock-outs





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i⁺ Shipment Monitoring

- + Optimal "milk round" calculation
- + Monitoring of individual shipments

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i⁺Medexis: Implementation

Support and Sustainability

- + Local stakeholders engaged from the beginning of implementation
- + Integration with DHIS2 means very little training at the lowest level
- + 3-4 days training for central and large health facility level

Fees

- + Annual license fee with payment per user/facility, or
- + One-time, national perpetual license





IN COUNTRY EXPERIENCE

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+ Between 2013-2015, after improvements to paper-based LMIS, MOH requested i+solutions to digitize the system

- + Medexis Phase 1: designed in 2018, and implemented in 2019 for reproductive health products
- + Medexis Phase 2: implemented in 2020 for nutrition products
- + Medexis Phase 3: planned for 2021 for vaccines

i+ Country Experience: Burundi

Medexis Phase 1 & 2 (2019)

+ Reproductive health and nutrition products, and vaccines

- + Training: 6 master trainers and 89 users
- + On-the-job training for District Executive Team and 240 healthcare providers



i⁺Country Experience: Burundi



- + Medexis currently running in:
 - + 133 health facilities out of 1,300
 - + 13 districts out of 47
- Used to track select vaccines, reproductive health and nutrition products
- + App being piloted for "ride share solution" on last mile transportation



Observations: Product Availability

- + Availability of products has increased while using Medexis
- + Availability rate was measured for 10 products
- + Baseline study conducted in October 2019

Product availability compared to baseline







Key Performance Indicators 2020-04-30 Stock-out (%) 🕜 3.1% Avg. Stock-Out duration (days) 🔞 27.8 Over-Stockage (%) 🕜 37.6 Stock fill rate (STDEV) 0.0 Avg. requisition approval time 🕜

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Observations

- Stockouts were reduced
- Out of stock rates were reported by health facilities
- Baseline study conducted in October 2019

i+ The Way Forward: Burundi

- Expansion to additional facilities for vaccines (childhood and COVID-19) and corresponding cold chain equipment, and nutrition products
- + Data exchange with national central medical store
- Integration with DHIS2 app currently used by Community Health Workers





Thank you!



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