Elimination Initiative

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Accelerating disease elimination through the Regional Revolving Funds

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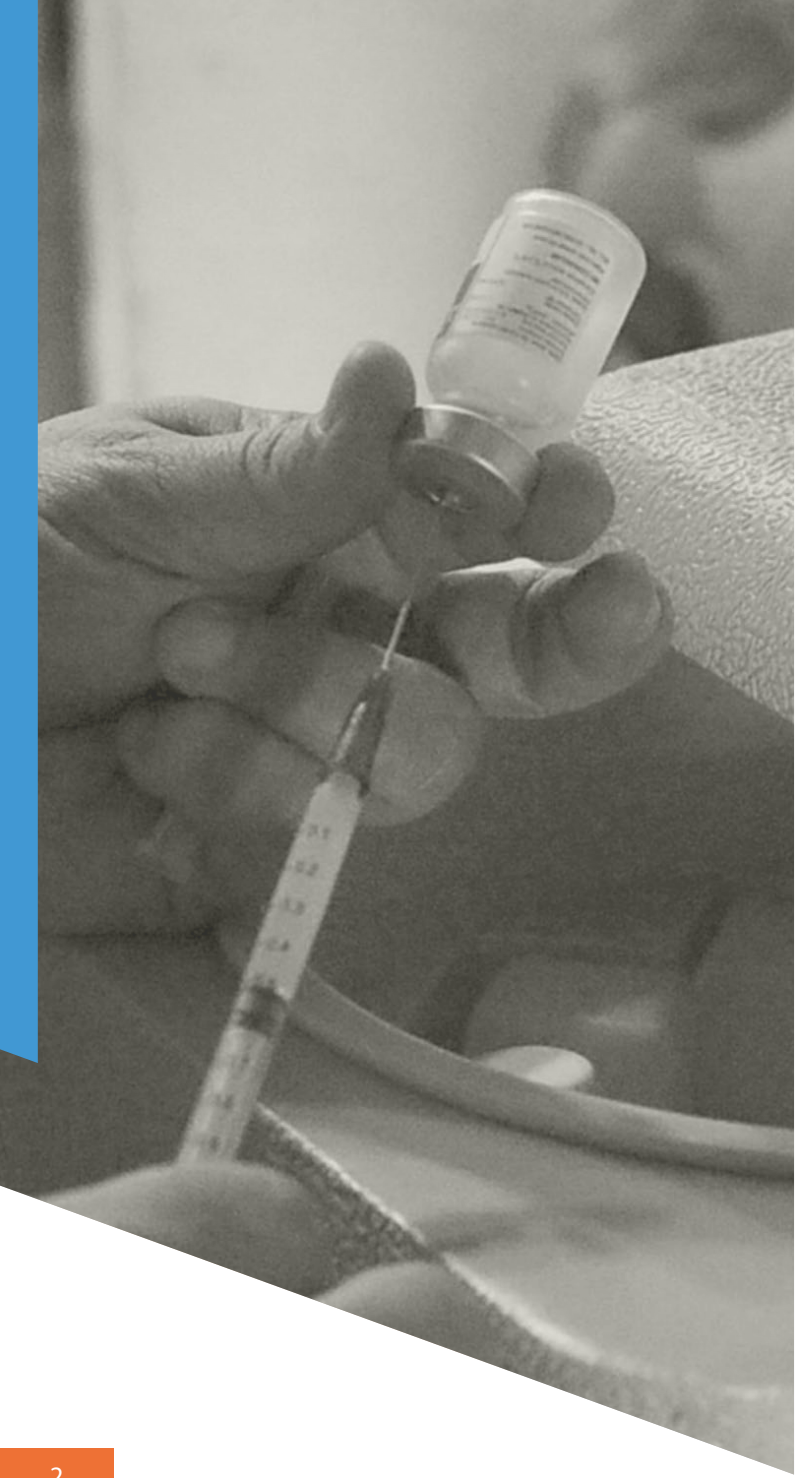

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The Regional Revolving Funds encompass a global and comprehensive approach to quality health technologies, seeking to increase their availability, access, creation and supply **to address more than half of the diseases included in the Elimination Initiative.**

The packages are composed of preventive interventions with Vacciness, through diagnosis, treatment and vector control supplies, guaranteeing integrated support throughout the entire health process.

What diseases and conditions can be eradicated?

The Elimination Initiative involves a wide range of communicable diseases, including:

a. Diseases preventable by vaccination. It is necessary to protect the achievement of elimination of measles, rubella, congenital rubella syndrome, poliomyelitis and neonatal tetanus, and accelerate the elimination of bacterial meningitis.

b. Neglected infectious diseases and zoonoses: Chagas disease, leprosy, trachoma, schistosomiasis, intestinal parasites, lymphatic filariasis, human rabies transmitted by dogs and hydatidosis affect marginalized populations that do not have sufficient access to integrated health services . There are effective tools to eliminate them.

c. Vector-borne diseases: Malaria affects thousands of people and can be eliminated with proven effective interventions. Yellow fever epidemics can also be eliminated.

d. Sexually transmitted infections and viral hepatitis: HIV, syphilis and other STIs as well as viral hepatitis can move towards elimination if actions to achieve this are accelerated.

e. Diseases transmitted from mother to child: HIV, hepatitis B, syphilis, hepatitis B and Chagas disease can be eliminated and no longer affect pregnant women and newborns.

f. Other priority diseases and conditions: cervical cancer caused by human papillomavirus, cholera, tuberculosis and environmental factors such as open defecation and the use of polluting fuels in homes can be eliminated.

Learn more: PAHO Elimination Initiative

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AREA	PREVENTION	DIAGNOSTICS	TREATMENT	EQUIPMENT
BACTERIAL MENINGITIS	✓ Vaccines		− Antibacterials	
CERVICAL CANCER	✓ Vaccines	✓ Diagnostic Kits	✓ Antineoplastics ✓ Palliative Care	✓ Thermocoagulation equipment ✓ Colposcopes ✓ Electrosurgical generator
CHOLERA	✓ Vaccines	− Monitoring Kits	− Antibacterials	
CHAGAS DISEASE	✓ Vector Control - Insecticide / Larvicides	✓ Rapid test ✓ Diagnostic Kits	✓ Antichagasics	
CONGENITAL CHAGAS DISEASE	✓ Vector Control - Insecticide / Larvicides	✓ Rapid test ✓ Diagnostic Kits	✓ Antichagasics	

✓ Available with RRF Agreements

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CONGENITAL RUBELLA	✓ Vaccines			
CONGENITAL SYPHILIS		✓ Rapid test	✓ Antibacterials	
HEPATITIS B	✓ Vaccines	✓ Rapid test ✓ Diagnostic Kits	✓ Antivirals ✓ Immunoglobulins	
HEPATITIS B MOTHER-TO-CHILD TRANSMISSION	✓ Vaccines	✓ Rapid test ✓ Diagnostic Kits	✓ Immunoglobulins	
HEPATITIS C		✓ Rapid test ✓ Diagnostic Kits	✓ Antivirals	
HIV		✓ Diagnostic Kits ✓ Rapid test	✓ Antiretrovirals	✓ Diagnostic equipment ✓ Laboratory equipment
HIV ADVANCED DISEASE		✓ Rapid test ✓ Diagnostic Kits ✓ Monitoring Kits	✓ Antibacterials ✓ Antifungals ✓ Antituberculosis Med. ✓ Antivirals	✓ Diagnostic equipment ✓ Laboratory equipment
HIV MOTHER-TO-CHILD TRANSMISSION		✓ Diagnostic Kits ✓ Rapid test	✓ Antiretrovirals	✓ Diagnostic equipment ✓ Laboratory equipment

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HUMAN RABIES	✓ Vaccines ✓ Canine vaccines		✓ Immunoglobulins	
LEPROSY			− Antibacterials	
MALARIA	✓ Insecticide / Larvicides ✓ Mosquito nets	✓ Rapid test	✓ Antimalarials	✓ G6PD Analyzers
MEASLES	✓ Vaccines	− Monitoring Kits	✓ Vitamins	
NEONATAL TETANUS	✓ Vaccines			
POLIO	✓ Vaccines			
RUBELLA	✓ Vaccines	− Monitoring Kits		
SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASES		✓ Rapid test ✓ Diagnostic Kits	✓ Antibacterials − Antivirales	

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TRACHOMA			– Antibacterials	
TUBERCULOSIS	✓ Vaccines	✓ Rapid test ✓ Diagnostic Kits ✓ Tuberculine	✓ Antibacterials ✓ Antituberculosis Med.	✓ Diagnostic equipment ✓ Laboratory equipment ✓ X-ray equipment ✓ AI equipment for diagnosis
YELLOW FEVER	✓ Vaccines			

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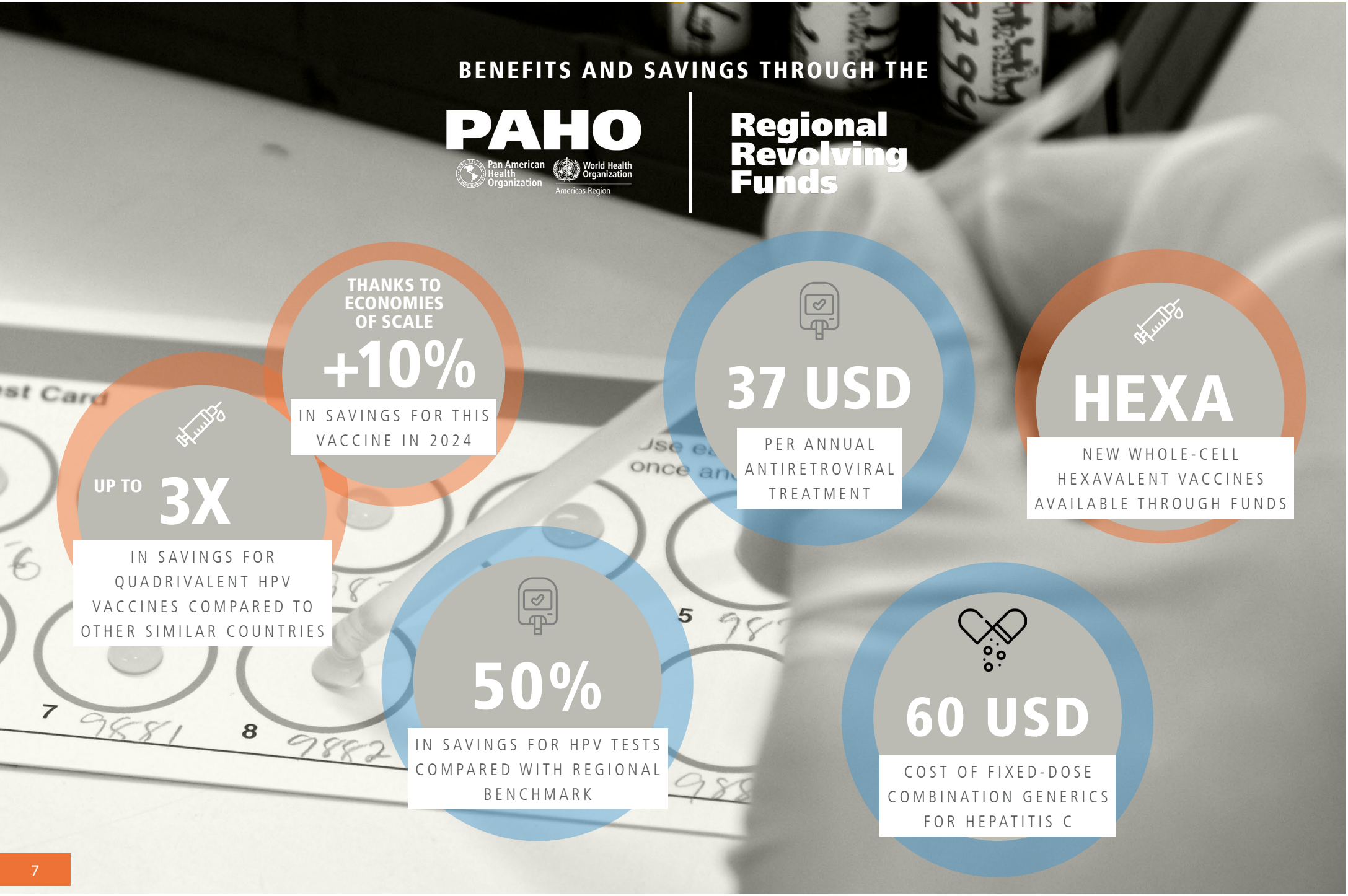
BENEFITS AND SAVINGS THROUGH THE
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THANKS TO ECONOMIES OF SCALE
+10%
IN SAVINGS FOR THIS VACCINE IN 2024
37 USD
PER ANNUAL ANTIRETROVIRAL TREATMENT
HEXA
NEW WHOLE-CELL HEXAVALENT VACCINES AVAILABLE THROUGH FUNDS
UP TO 3X
IN SAVINGS FOR QUADRIVALENT HPV VACCINES COMPARED TO OTHER SIMILAR COUNTRIES
50%
IN SAVINGS FOR HPV TESTS COMPARED WITH REGIONAL BENCHMARK
60 USD
COST OF FIXED-DOSE COMBINATION GENERICS FOR HEPATITIS C

The Regional Revolving Funds are technical cooperation mechanisms that promote better access to and availability of vaccines, health supplies and medicines. Through the regional consolidation of demand from PAHO Member States, procurement mechanisms and strategic alliances are established to achieve better prices and agreements for all countries.

They also support countries in the standardization of protocols, quantification through systems such as QuantMET, rational use of products, strengthening supply management, among others.

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