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## Supplement 1. Management effectiveness survey questions for health facility managers

The sampled health facility managers were asked to respond to the following 15 questions related to health facility management practices.

## **Management Practices**

- 1. On a typical day, how much time do you spend on each activity (in hours)?
  - a. Supervise patient flow (e.g. patient admission, transfer discharge, screening)
  - b. Supervise clinical staff (e.g. check absences, check for treatment by nurses and physicians)
  - c. Distribution of tasks
  - d. Reporting / completion of bulletins / administrative activities
  - e. Check equipment and availability of medications
  - f. Treating patients
  - g. Manage relationships with health professionals, community, health unit committee, donors, and government
  - h. Other
- 2. Do you keep records of staff attendance?
  - a. Yes
  - b. No
- 3. In the past 12 months, did you (the person in charge of the health facility) have an individual meeting with each employee to review/evaluate their performance?
  - a. Yes
  - b. No
- 4. Are performance reviews related to salaries and incentives that staff members receive?
  - a. Yes
  - b. No
- 5. In the past 12 months, how many times did this health facility request medications?

## **External Supervision**

- 1. During the past six months, how many supervision or technical assistance visits have you received from representatives of Provincial Health Directorate (DPS) or SDSMAS?
- 2. During the last visit, did the external supervisor use a control list?
  - a. Yes
  - b. No
- 3. During the last visit, did the external supervisor observe consultations?
  - a. Yes
  - b. No
- 4. During the last visit, did the external supervisor observe staff attendance logs?
  - a. Yes
  - b. No
- 5. During the last visit, did the external supervisor observe stock of medications?
  - a. Yes
  - b. No
- 6. During the last visit, did the external supervisor observe financial registries?

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- a. Yes
- b. No
- 7. During the last visit, did the external supervisor write feedback in the supervisory log of this health facility?
  - a. Yes
  - b. No

## **Community Health Committee**

- 1. In the past 12 months, how many times did the Community Health Committee meet?
- 2. Does this health facility have a formal mechanism to collect patient opinions (surveys, suggestion box, other)
  - a. Yes
  - b. No
- 3. In the past six months, were management changes made as a result of patient opinions?
  - a. Yes
  - b. No