



Targeted Support For COVID-19 Recovery in IOC and APEI Countries

Background

- The Accelerated Programme for Economic Integration (APEI) and Indian Ocean Commission (IOC) countries require **targeted and creative response to market disruptions caused by COVID-19**
- The **Regional Multidisciplinary Centre of Excellence (RMCE)** is dedicated to **building capacity of African nations towards effective economic integration** for an inclusive and continent-wide socio-economic development.
- The RMCE is collaborating with the World Bank in addressing the pandemic, starting in these countries: **Comoros, Madagascar, Malawi, Mauritius, Mozambique, Reunion, Seychelles, Zambia**



Objective & Approach

Promote regional cooperation and a regional approach to building solutions for both the private and public sector in their response to COVID-19.

Three channels to achieve this:

Peer learning and support

Production and procurement of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and other medical supplies

Production and procurement of COVID-19 testing equipment

Project Deliverables

Compilation of an evolving 'live' database of potential regional suppliers of PPE, medical equipment and testing capacity

May -
June

Based in preparatory work and bilateral discussions, identify relevant participants to organize future virtual 'matchmaking' events for each topic areas (peer learning, PPE, testing) connecting potential supply and demand from member countries, as well as creating a virtual platform for follow up discussion and matchmaking.

June

Demand assessment for peer learning, testing and PPE for all APEI and IOC member countries, clearly identifying the current magnitude and areas of need, existing supply options, costs, affordability and competitiveness, and remaining gaps.

Assessment of supply capacity in the region in terms of best practice Covid-19 response for potential peer learning, testing (by both public and private sector) and PPE production, and specific proposals for follow up measures to bridge supply

End
June

Supplies details – Template fields

Supplier Information

Login/Username

Company Name

Products Face Mask Oxygen and accessories Gloves Sanitizers Protective Gown Testing Equipment

Contact Name

Title

Email Address

Country

Address

Mobile number

Office Number

Company Size

Date



Enter Supplies Details

Enter Supplies Details

Country of Production:

Product:

Type:

New Types:

Size:

(S)ingle or (M)ultiple Use:

No of Usage times:

Package Type:

Quantity per package Type:

Package Dimensions:

Package Dimension Unit:

Package Weight:

Package Weight Unit Measure:

Other Specifications:

Available Quantity:

Minimum Order Quantity:

Quantity Units:

Production Capacity:

Production Capacity Frequency:

Costs:

Incoterms:

Standards:

Remarks:

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