FIDUCIARY RISK ASSURANCE AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT CAPACITY BUILDING

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# Gavi's strategic approach on financial management has three key objectives

## Timely, efficient and equitable management of Gavi Grants by governments with in line with the Gavi Board's risk appetite



## Build country ownership and capacity

- Channel funds through governments with optimal use of government systems to ensure country ownership
- Ensure governments have capacity to plan, execute, oversee and report on Gavi's grants



### Ensure fiduciary risk assurance and mitigation

- Keep risk of misuse of funds within appetite
- Ensure appropriate
  assurance and controls



## Promote timely & efficient funding of immunisation activities

- Ensure optimal use of Gavi cash grants to achieve Gavi goals
- Reach national and subnational levels timely and efficiently to accelerate implementation, including zero-dose agenda

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Three key shifts underpin the new Financial Management strategic approach...



### **Expanding on existing and forming new partnerships**

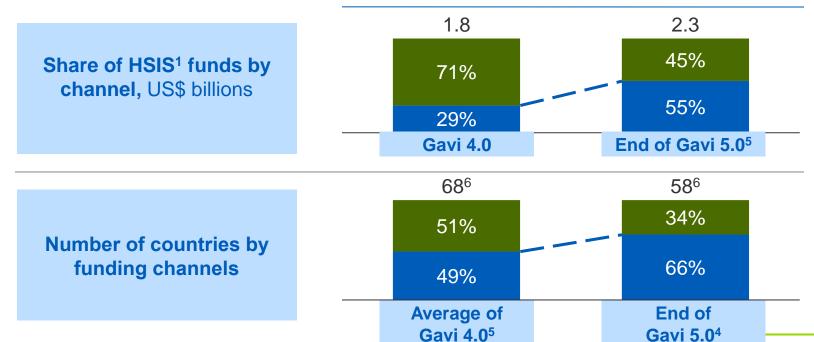


Organisational changes: merging Programme Finance o o and Programme Capacity Assessment Teams



Creating a dedicated funding envelope of US\$ 164 million for Gavi 5.0, with allocated resources for capacity building

#### Gavi has an ambition to increase its share of funds flowing through gov't systems to 55%, while balancing fiduciary risk HSIS<sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup> Includes HSS, VIGs and Ops, excludes CCEOP



<sup>2 &</sup>quot;Partner" countries are defined as those in which Partners manage Gavi grants on behalf of the government

<sup>3 &</sup>quot;Hybrid" countries defined as those using government and partner systems for channelling of Gavi grants, including a significant proportion where UNICEF SD is used for procurement and "Government" countries are considered those using government accounts for channelling of Gavi grants

<sup>4</sup> Ambition to reach by the end of Gavi 5.0, excluding India and Pakistan

<sup>5</sup> Average refers to the most frequent used modality during the strategic period

<sup>6</sup> Countries that have estimated disbursement of HSIS greater than USD 60k

#### Recommendation

The Gavi Alliance Programme and Policy Committee <u>recommends</u> to the Gavi Alliance Board that it:

- a) **Approve** the approach set forth in Annex B to Doc 07 to strengthen fiduciary risk assurance and financial management of Gavi grants in Gavi 5.0; and
- b) **Approve** the associated investment of US\$ 139 million for 2022-2025, in addition to the US\$ 25 million of bridge funding previously approved by the Board for 2021, for an overall amount of US\$ 164 million for the approach in Gavi 5.0 to be used for the duration of the strategic period (2021-2025).



## **THANK YOU**



