The Evaluation Advisory Committee (EAC) Report

Quality assessment of the evaluation

Name of evaluation: Evaluation of Gavi’s Co-financing, Eligibility and Transition Policies

Year of report: 2019

a) The Evaluation Advisory Committee (EAC) rated this report as:

- [ ] Fully met or exceeded Gavi quality standards
- [x] Met Gavi quality standards with only minor shortcomings
- [ ] Partially met Gavi quality standards with some shortcomings
- [ ] Did not meet Gavi quality standards with major shortcomings

b) General comments:

Strengths

The report is structured in a clear way. It provides sufficient information on the methodology and its challenges. The findings respond adequately to all ten evaluation questions in the RFP and provide more clarity where needed. The conclusions and related recommendations are specific and practical for concerned partners. The overall utility of this report is high. The report is well positioned to contribute to reflections on Gavi 5.0 and on how to achieve broader objectives such as immunisation coverage, equity and sustainability in the context of universal PHC and UHC, in collaboration with partners such as the SDG GAP.

Weaknesses

The report is rather lengthy. The quantitative evidence is not the strength of this report. Also, the evaluation was held over the summer, which limited the number of key informants, and did not allow robust relationships between indicators to be established. The limited time available for this evaluation impacted the quality of the data.