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GLOBAL HEALTH SUPPLY CHAIN TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FRANCOPHONE TASK ORDER - **GLOBAL HEALTH SECURITY AGENDA**

OBJECTIVE: Global Health Security Agenda and Emergency Preparedness Strategies Supported by Countries' Supply Chains. The work undertaken by GHSC-TA Francophone Task Order project focused on the medical/nonmedical countermeasures action package of the GHSA in Cameroon. The goal of this action package is to ensure that at a country level, there is a national framework for sending and receiving nonmedical countermeasures during health emergencies. The framework was developed in the pilot country, Cameroon, and then implemented in other countries.

Chemonics International and McKinsey & Company collaborated to develop an essential competencies and country-customized Emergency Supply Chain (ESC) Framework through the following main activities:

- ❖ Devised the report: [Best Practices in Supply Chain Preparedness for Public Health Emergencies](#), derived from extensive literature reviews and evidence-based research in effective supply chain management and disease containment practices, serving as the foundation for the overall ESC Framework.
- ❖ Developed a multi-disciplinary toolset of SOPs, protocols, reference to guidelines, and data trackers for country stakeholders involved in ESC preparedness known as the [ESC Playbook](#).
- ❖ Developed a system for testing and customizing the overall ESC Framework– the Best Practices and ESC Playbook – according to the country's supply chain and public health context through a [Simulation Exercise](#) consisting of ESC stakeholder roleplays through real disease and epidemic scenarios in the context of supply chain management, and multi-sectoral collaboration among government ministries, private organizations, [one health](#) partners, and international partners.
- ❖ Disseminated the ESC Framework materials for country adoption, assisting with institutionalization and sustainability plans for the maintenance and longevity of the ESC Playbook and Simulation Exercise. The baseline ESC Framework materials were published on the GHSA website: [GHSA Resources and Tools](#).

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