

availability of funds. For University Teaching Hospital, Zambia, the award is for approximately \$600,000 in FFY 2026, subject to the availability of funds. The total FFY 2026 amount for the nine recipients is \$6,7000,000. Funding amounts for years 2–5 for each recipient will be set at continuation. The awards will enhance health security by strengthening global influenza and other priority pathogen surveillance networks to detect and respond to infectious disease threats.

DATES: The period for these awards will be September 30, 2026, through September 29, 2031.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: CAPT. E. Azziz-Baumgartner, USPHS, Global Influenza Branch Chief, Influenza Division, National Center for Immunization and Respiratory Diseases, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1600 Clifton Rd. Atlanta, GA, Global Influenza Branch, Phone: 404–639–2555.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The single source award will support the recipients to improve or maintain capacity to conduct seasonal influenza surveillance and detect and respond to pandemic and novel influenza. In addition, the activities funded under these awards will enhance capacity to detect and respond to novel influenza viruses, such as highly pathogenic avian influenza, as well as identify outbreaks of severe respiratory illness syndrome and other infectious disease threats through both epidemiologic and virologic detection. These activities will strengthen connections between national institutions, especially National Influenza Centers, to fully participate in data sharing and maintain capacity to share specimens, as well as clinical and epidemiologic data related to influenza circulation.

These entities are in a unique position to conduct this work, as they are either subsidiaries of the host government ministries of health or they are the designated entities responsible for leading influenza surveillance. They have the expertise to support health service delivery and oversee the national coordination of surveillance, preparedness, prevention, and response activities to all forms of health threats and public health emergencies.

Summary of the Awards

Recipients: Agreement to Fund Institut National Hygiene Publique, Cote d'Ivoire; Ministry of Health-Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Egypt; Ethiopian Public Health Institute; Noguchi Memorial Institute for Medical Research, Ghana; Institut National d

Hygiene, Morocco; Institut Pasteur de Dakar, Senegal; Institut Pasteur de Tunis, Tunisia; Uganda Virus Research Institute; University Teaching Hospital, Zambia.

Purpose of the awards: The purpose of these awards is to support surveillance and response for pandemic and novel influenza and other infectious disease threats in Cote d'Ivoire, Egypt, Ethiopia, Ghana, Morocco, Senegal, Tunisia, Uganda, Zambia.

Authority: This program is authorized under §§ 307 and 317(k) of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 242l and 247b(k)).

Period of performance: September 30, 2026, through September 29, 2031.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Notice of Award of a Single Source Cooperative Agreement To Fund Task Force for Global Health, Inc.

AGENCY: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), located within the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), announces one award to fund The Task Force for Global Health for approximately \$4,000,000, in Federal Fiscal Year 2026, subject to the availability of funds. Funding amounts for years 2–5 will be set at continuation.

DATES: The period for this award will be September 30, 2026, through September 29, 2026.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Task Force for Global Health (TFGH), a nonprofit organization, serves as a coordinating body to bring stakeholders together at the regional and global level to advance CDC's goals, supporting the Influenza Division's priorities for timely

detection and reporting of influenza viruses. The single source award will provide an innovative public-private partnership with the CDC, Ministries of Health, corporate partners, and others to create sustainable prevention and control programs for seasonal influenza and other respiratory viruses worldwide. The award will provide funding to TFGH to (1) strengthen early detection, prevention, and response efforts for influenza and other respiratory pathogens; (2) gather strategic information on epidemic and pandemic readiness; and (3) implement effective and cost-efficient strategies to prevent and control these threats through evidence-based interventions resulting in better protection for Americans from seasonal and pandemic influenza as well as other respiratory viruses.

TFGH is uniquely qualified to conduct this work, as it is recognized for its strong, established relationships with many of CDC's priority partners. Initially, TFGH brought together partners to support the use of influenza vaccines among target groups in Southeast Asia and the Americas and in succeeding years has expanded its work to include coordination of large-scale pandemic response activities in support of CDC's mission, including pandemic vaccine deployment and respiratory virus prevention and control programs. Because of this experience TFGH is the uniquely qualified partner supporting National Center for Immunization and Respiratory Diseases (NCIRD)-priority work on influenza vaccine programs and respiratory virus prevention outside the United States. Its mission aligns with the global objectives of CDC and the Influenza Division.

Summary of Award

Recipient: Task Force for Global Health.

Purpose of the award: The purpose of this award is to support surveillance and response for pandemic and novel influenza and other infectious disease threats around the world.

Authority: This program is authorized under §§ 307 and 317(k) of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 242l and 247b(k)).

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