





Safer Clinic (QuIC FIT) Scorecard, Bo

Progress towards Emergency Obstetric and Neonatal Care (EmONC) status, September 2015

The Safer Clinic (QuIC FIT) Scorecard uses data collected by brief telephone interviews with facilities to determine readiness to provide quality EmONC services. It complements the more resource intensive Facility Improvement Team (FIT) assessments, providing data about EmONC status at points in time between FIT visits. It gathers data about the same seven enablers for providing EmONC services as FIT, but focuses on the presence of enablers during the last 24 hours only.

Performance rating	Score	Facility has:
 Green	4	Met all criteria
 Yellow	3	Mostly met criteria
 Orange	2	Partially met criteria
 Red	1	Not met criteria

QuIC FIT also asks direct questions about the ability to perform nine signal functions i.e. the functions essential to basic or comprehensive EmONC. This is in contrast to FIT which assesses EmONC status based on enabler questions only.

Enabler answers are cross-checked against responses from enabler questions to determine whether a signal function can be performed.

The criteria to achieve each enabler and signal function are different for hospitals and CHCs because CHCs are not expected to perform complicated deliveries that need instrumental or operative procedures.

The QuIC FIT interview contains fewer questions than FIT and it is possible, therefore, that FIT and QuIC FIT generate slightly different traffic light scores. Nevertheless, both FIT and QuIC FIT present data in simple to interpret scorecards which support decision making and can motivate action for change.

Spot checks to validate QuIC FIT results are incorporated within supportive supervision visits.

EmONC status	Facility has:
CEmONC	Able to perform Comprehensive Emergency and Neonatal Care signal functions
BEmONC	Able to perform Basic Emergency and Neonatal Care signal functions
Blank	Unable to perform sufficient signal functions to achieve Emergency Obstetric Care status

Ability to perform signal function



Yes

Able to perform signal function






































No



































Not able to perform signal function

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Safer Clinic Scorecard: **BO** District

Enabler		Bo Maternity	Dambala CHC	Jembah CHC	Koribondo CHC	Ngalu CHC	Sumbuya CHC
	Water and Sanitation		No data			No data	
	Electricity		No data			No data	
	Referrals		No data			No data	
	Equipment		No data			No data	
	Laboratory		No data			No data	
	Staffing		No data			No data	
	Drugs		No data			No data	
Comments/Actions		Need back up electricity, ambulance to be assigned to facility, plug for autoclave	Call was unsuccessful	Need anti biotics (IV ampicillin), ambulance services when needed.	Need anti biotics and anti convulsant, ambulance to take less than 2hrs when needed	Call was unsuccessful	Need backup supply for electricity, gentamycin, and sutures

Safer Clinic Scorecard: **BO** District Signal Functions

Signal function	Bo Maternity	Dambala CHC	Jembeh CHC	Koribondo CHC	Ngalu CHC	Sumbuya CHC
SF1a: Administer Parenteral antibiotics- mother		No data			No data	
SF1b : Administer Parenteral antibiotics- newborn		No data			No data	
SF2: Administer Uterotonic drugs (such as Parenteral oxytocics)		No data			No data	
SF3: Parenteral anti-convulsants		No data			No data	
SF4: Manual removal of placenta		No data			No data	
SF5: Removal of retained products		No data			No data	
SF6: Assisted/ instrumental vaginal delivery		No data			No data	
SF7 : Neonatal resuscitation		No data			No data	
SF8: Blood transfusion		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
SF9: Perform surgery		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Key actions to take to address shortfall in performance	No comments	Call was unsuccessful	Lack SF 1a&b	No comments	Call was unsuccessful	Lack SF 1a&b and training to perform SF 7