





Safer Clinic (QuIC FIT) Scorecard, Western Area

Progress towards Emergency Obstetric and Neonatal Care (EmONC) status, May 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.

Please note that 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 (QuIC FIT) Scorecard: WESTERN AREA District Enablers

Enabler	PCMH Governm ent Hospital	Lumley Gov't Hospital	George Brook CHC	Goderich CHC	Murray Town CHC	Regent CHC	Songo CHC	Tombo CHC	Waterloo CHC	York CHC	Ross Road CHC
 Water and Sanitation											
 Electricity											
 Referrals											
 Equipment											
 Laboratory											
 Staffing											
 Drugs											
Comments/Actions	Nil	Blood not in the bank	No power supply from NPA Elbow gloves are improvised Drug supplies not yet replenished	Late Ambulance response No equipment for Hb test No Gentamycin	Late Ambulance response No power supply MVExtractor & MVA not in supply IV/IM Ampicillin and Gentamycin not in supply	Nil	No equipment for Hb test	Elbow gloves are improvised No Calcium Gluconate No oxytocin	Nil	No staff for Assisted Vaginal Delivery & Manual Vacuum Aspiration No staff & equipment for Hb test No electricity no generator	No equipment for Hb test No power supply from the national grid.

Safer Clinic (QuIC FIT) Scorecard: **WESTERN AREA** District Signal Functions

Signal function	PCMH										Lumley Gov't Hospital	
	Government Hospital	George Brook CHC	Goderich CHC	Murray Town CHC	Regent CHC	Songo CHC	Tombo CHC	Waterloo CHC	York CHC	Ross Road CHC		
SF1: Administer Parenteral antibiotics- mother												
SF2: Administer Parenteral antibiotics- newborn												
SF3: Administer Uterotonic drugs (such as Parenteral oxytocics)												
SF4: Parenteral anti-convulsants												
SF5: Manual removal of placenta												
SF6: Removal of retained products												
SF7: Assisted/ instrumental vaginal delivery												
SF8: Neonatal resuscitation												
SF9: Blood transfusion		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
SF10: Perform surgery		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Key actions to take to address shortfall in performance	Nil	Need IV/IM Gentamycin & Oxytocin	Need MVA Kit, and Parenteral antibiotics	Need MVA Kit, Need MV Extractor, Need IV/IM Ampicillin	Need Elbow Gloves	Need MV Extractor	Need MVA Kit, Need MV Extractor, Need Oxytocin	Nil	Need MVA Kit & MV Extractor	Nil	Need blood in the bank	