

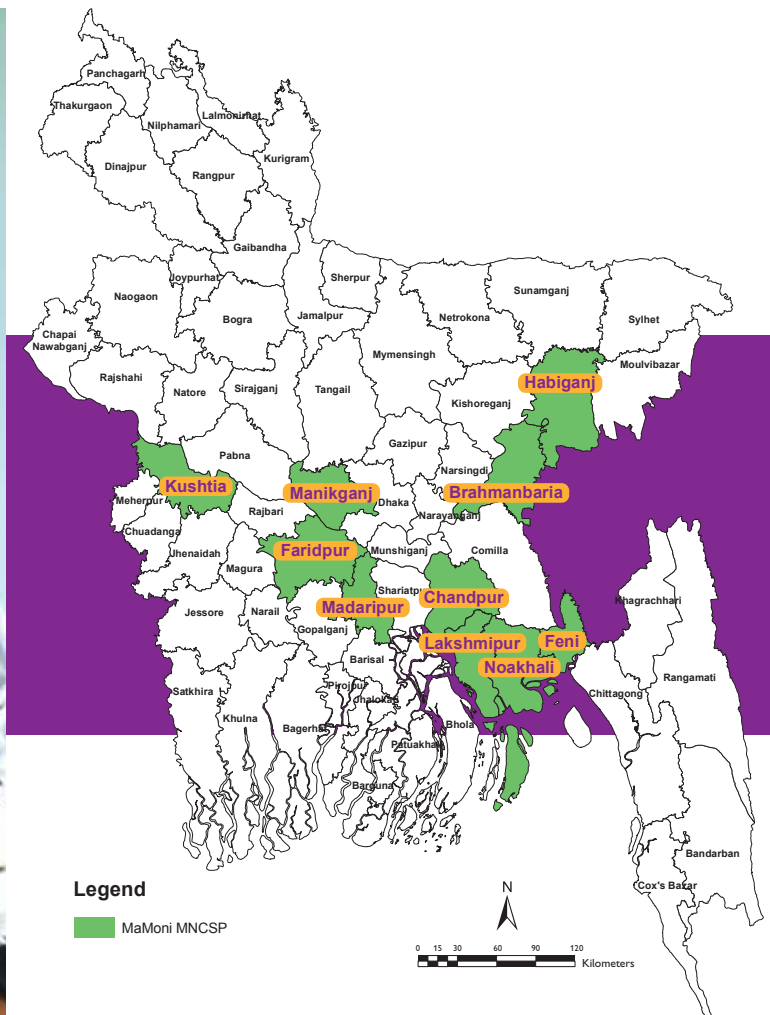
## PROJECT BRIEF

# USAID's MaMoni Maternal and Newborn Care Strengthening Project

### Background

Bangladesh has made remarkable progress in reducing maternal, newborn and child mortality. Yet challenges remain. USAID's MaMoni Maternal and Newborn Care Strengthening Project (MaMoni MNCSP) through Save the Children and consortium partners will work to advance learning, expand and scale up effective maternal and newborn care (MNC) interventions to substantially improve outcomes for mothers and newborns in Bangladesh. USAID's MaMoni MNCSP supports the Government of Bangladesh's Health, Population and Nutrition Sector Program to achieve its goals of

significantly reducing maternal mortality and neonatal mortality by 2022. The project will catalyze effective scale up of proven MNC interventions and approaches with quality in 10 priority districts, reach a population of approximately 22 million in the 10 districts. The project strives to improve equitable access to quality MNC services, especially for the poor and marginalized for whom the risk of dying is greatest. In addition, the project will expand the evidence base and test new MNC innovations in selected learning sites and facilitate health systems improvements and policy changes for sustained impact at national scale.



## Project Objective

MaMoni MNCSP will achieve its strategic objective of increasing equitable utilization of quality MNC services through four intermediate results:

1. Improved responsiveness of district health systems to deliver patient-centered MNC services
2. Improved quality of MNC services and governance of quality of care
3. Sustained improvement in access and demand for MNC services and household practices
4. Improved national capacity to deliver quality MNC services at scale

## MaMoni MNCSP Collaborations

USAID Implementing Partners

Professional Associations

UN Agencies

International NGOs

Other Development Partners

Private Sector

## Intervention priorities of MaMoni MNCSP



### Some of the new focus areas

- Care of small and sick newborns
- Learning networks for improving quality of MNC services
- Test new interventions and tools for maternal health
- Midwifery-led care
- Innovations using Information Communication Technology
- Approaches and tool for local accountability
- Local Government engagement for strengthening MNH services
- Customized strategies for hard-to-reach populations

**Project Duration:** April 2018 to April 2023

### Participants:

Mothers, newborns and their family members  
Government health service providers, supervisors and managers  
Community level structures, local government institutions and private sector

### MaMoni MNCSP Consortium Partners:

