Benefits of Track & Trace To Ethiopia: Hospitals' Perspective

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THE ONE WORD CHALLENGE

If you were to use one word to describe the supply chain system of our country...

What would it be?

Listed

1158 medical equipment,946 medical supplies947 laboratory reagents and chemicals

ETB **5.17** Bln-worth donated, last EFY

ETB 6.84 Bln-worth supplied, last EFY

CURRENT STATS

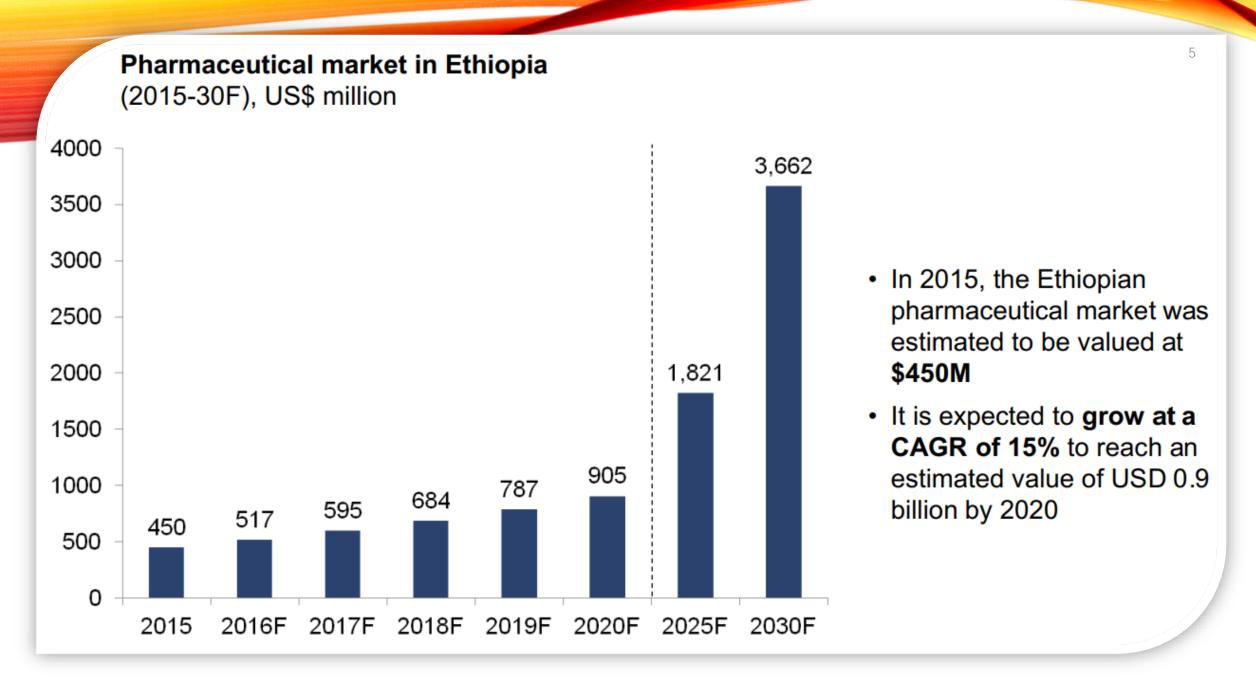
PFSA → Health Facilities

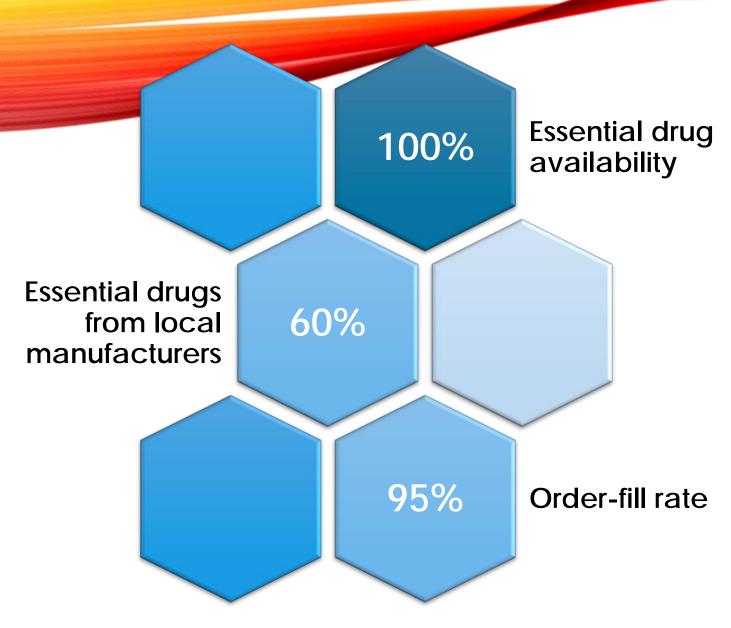
Table 16: Number of Functional and Under Construction Hospitals by Region (EFY 2009)

HOSPITALS IN ETHIOPIA

Regions	Available	Functional	Under Construction and completed but not Functional
Tigray	39	31	8
Afar	6	6	1
Amhara	68	68	27
Oromia	78	68	20
Somali	12	10	2
Benishangul Gumuz	2	2	4
SNNPR	78	63	29
Gambela	4	3	1
Harari	2	2	0
Addis Ababa	11	11	3
Dire Dawa	2	2	1
National	302	266	96

^{*} HSTP I- Annual Performance Report - EFY 2009 (2016/17) Version 1. FMoH- Ethiopia.





FEW NATIONAL TARGETS RELEVANT TO HOSPITALS

- Pharmaceuticals Supply Transformation Plan- 2015/16-2019/20. PFSA Ethiopia.
- National Strategy and Plan of Action for Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Development in Ethiopia (2015 -2025)

WE NEED A ROBUST TRACK & TRACE SYSTEM IN PLACE

CURRENT BARE MINIMUM STANDARDS

At a minimum*- in terms of Supply Management- our Hospitals need to:

- "...implement APTS** "
 - Product coding
 - Recording
 - Documenting
 - Data Analysis
 - Reporting
- "Avail and use an Inventory Management Tool"

*Ethiopian Hospital Services Transformation Guidelines, 2017.

**Auditable Pharmaceutical Transactions & Services

Safe & effective treatment

HOSPITAL APPLICATION



Administering

Caregiver ID

Documenting & Reporting



Dispensing

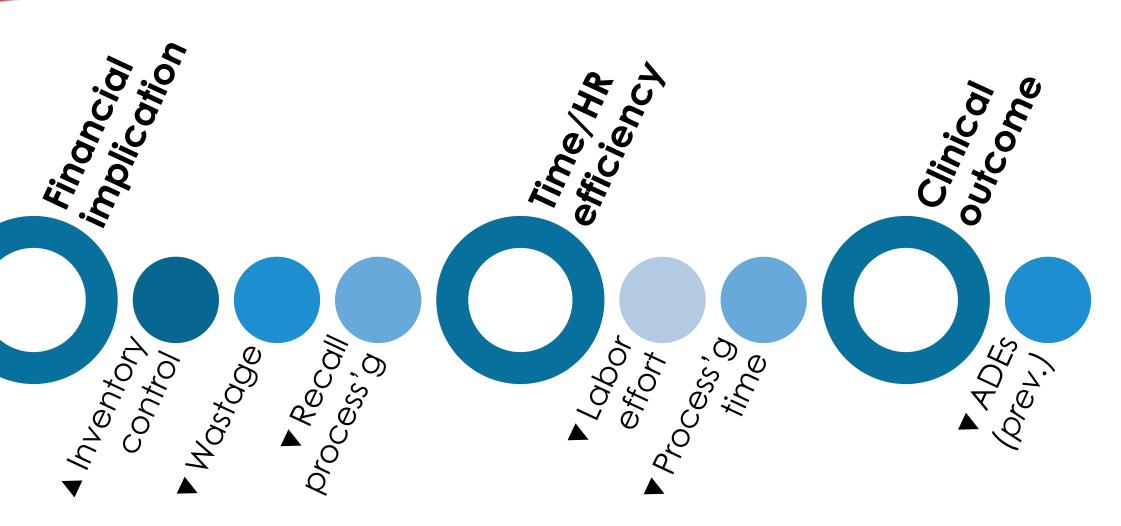
Product ID



Documenting & Reporting

Receiving-Requesting-Issuing Product Authentication & tracking

TRACK & TRACE BENEFITS IN HOSPITALS



WHAT IT MEANS TO OUR HOSPITALS...

Time efficient

- ▲ Data entry/access
- ▼ Staff burden

Traceability

- Product authentication
 - Product tracking

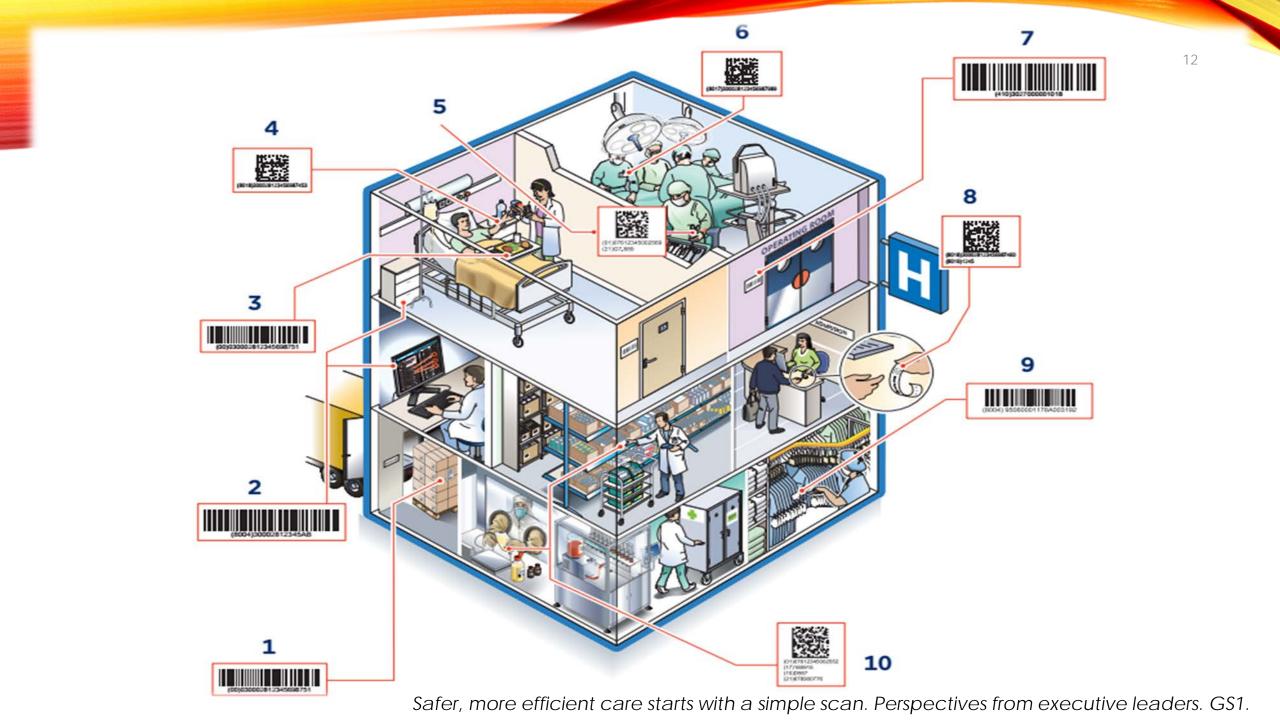
▼ Errors

- Medication administration
- Input /Encoding



► Central database-

Real-time & Updatable



WHAT WE CAN DO NOW

- Be perceptive
 - Clear understanding/ Clarified expectations
- Be proactive & adaptive
 - Embrace positive change
- Agree on an aligned strategy
 - Standard objectives
 - Set minimum requirements
- Be (and stay) committed
 - Implementation
 - Monitoring & Evaluation

#CNNAfricanProverbs

IF YOU DON'T KNOW WHERE YOU'RE GOING, ANY ROAD WILL TAKE YOU THERE

ASIA BEUTAUKO

THANK YOU!