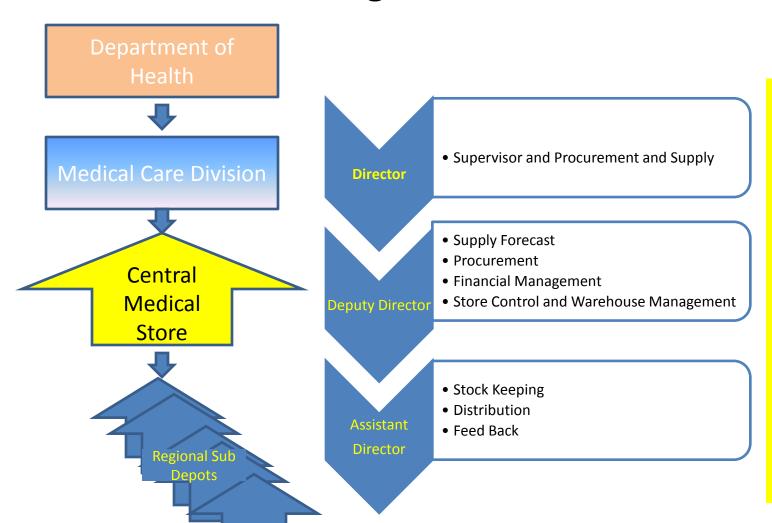


# Myanmar: Developing leaders and HR capacity for effective supply chain management - challenges and opportunities

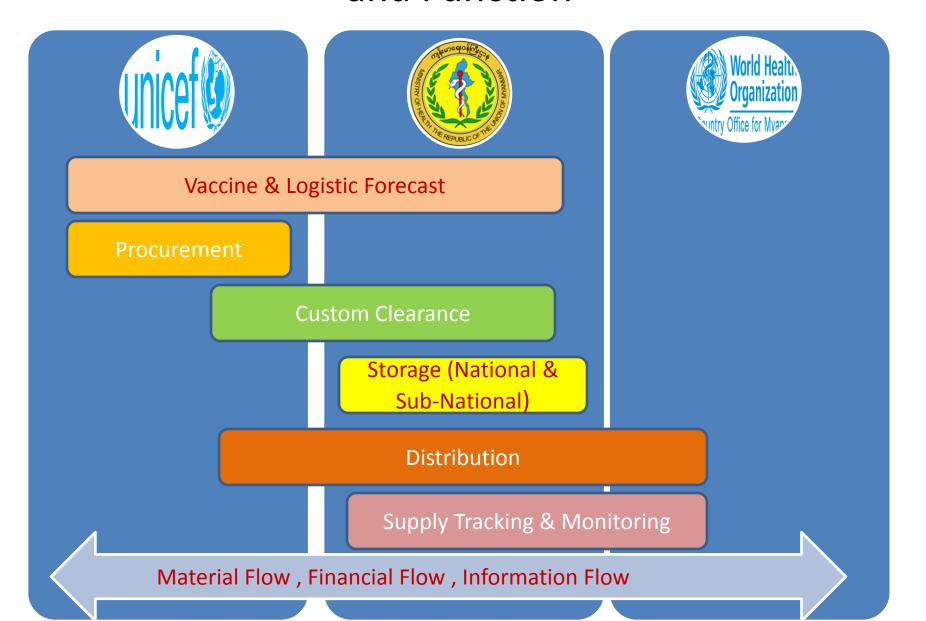
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# Level of Staff and Responsibility

## Myanmar- National Medical Supply Chain Management



# Myanmar EPI Supply Chain Management Role and Function



# Challenges

HR Capacity	
1	Limitation of HR capacity at Central Level and Sub-National Level
2	Lack of proper logistic management training
3	Supply focal at Sub-National and Township has been multiple tasked
Infrastructure	
1	Limited space , National , Sub- National ,
2	Limited delivery facility
3	Manual recording and reporting , Feedback
Supply Chain Management	
1	Different Procurement Agencies / Mechanism
2	Fragmented supply management by multiple Partners
3	Weak to follow Standardized Equipment / Drug?
4	End-user feed back not use for future procurement
Funding	
1	Less proportion to contribute from Government Budget
2	Funding is not allocated to EPI directly but to National Medical Supply Chain Management

### Opportunity

Ministry of Health Reform process:

Procurement and Supply Section Created

Carrier ladder from Supply chain focal

GAVI current grant

Support EPI supply system strengthening Including HR

HR Capacity Strengthened

Potential partnership

CHAI, JSI, UNFPA, USAID-SCMS

Technical Transfer

Allocation of more Government Fund

Strengthening supply chain management

Expansion of Supply Chain Workforce

