

Supply Chain Integration – The Good, The Bad, The Ugly

A case of Uganda

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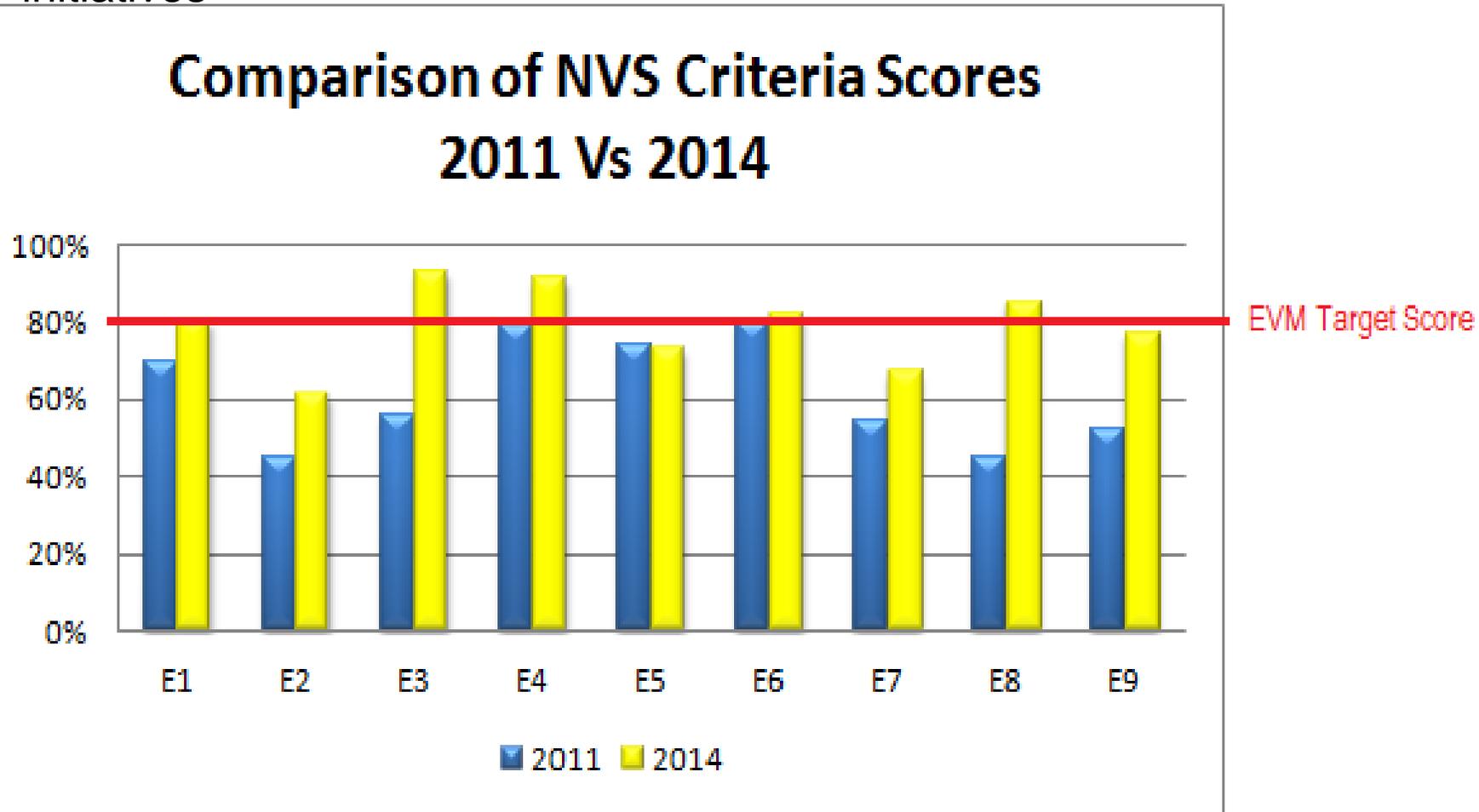
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The Good in Intergration

- a. Improved monthly distribution to districts (vaccines and LPG)
- b. Easier consultations and quick transfer of technical information
- c. Improved immunisation coverage (DPT3 <80% in 2011 and >95% in 2014)
- d. Improved storage and stock data management at central level
- e. Faster and reliable reporting from central and district level.
(improved communication)
- f. Improved 2014 EVMA scores at NVS level
- g. NMS providing maintenance support at DVS level
- h. Collaborative training of DCCAs in vaccine logistics management

Measuring progress through the EVM assessment

- NVS showed significant improvement in all the 9 criteria including five meeting the 80% standards set for countries to achieve under the EVM initiatives



The Bad and Ugly....

- Last mile distribution
- Untimely financing for distribution (MOH Vs NMS systems)
- Health Workers confusing roles of EPI and NMS (Information flow)