



Operational Vehicle Placement Tool (District Level)

About this tool: This tool is to be used to help decide the optimal placement of vehicles at district level and should be used as part of overall vehicle operational management. It was originally designed for placement of motorcycle ambulances as part of a Clinton Health Access Initiative (CHAI) maternal health programme but it can be adapted depending on need.

Date:		
Province:		
District:		
Name of Person Completing Plan:		
Job Title of Person Completing Plan:		
	Vehicle 1	Vehicle 2
Enter name of place where you plan to position each vehicle:	Location:	Location:
Is this a CHAI supported facility?	Yes/No	Yes/No
If the vehicle is placed in this location, will it be referring patients to a CHAI supported facility?	Yes/No	Yes/No
If no, which other facility will they be referring patients to?		
What is the maternal + neonatal mortality rate in this location?		
What is the institutional delivery rate in this location?		



What is the skilled delivery rate in this location?		
How is the terrain in this location during the dry season (rivers, escarpments, road condition etc.)?		
How is the terrain in this location during the rainy season?		
What is the communications network like in this location?	Mobile Phone: Radio:	Mobile Phone: Radio:
What kind of distances do you expect the vehicle to travel if based at this location?		
How many skilled health workers at this location? Which other staff are at this location?		



Who do you envisage will operate the vehicles?		
What types of cases will you use the vehicle for?		
How many referrals do you expect the vehicle to undertake each week?		
Will you collect people from communities or just conduct inter-facility referrals?		
Are there any security concerns? What community structures will you use to ensure that calls are legitimate (NHCs, SMAGs etc.)?		
Any other comments?		