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AIM e-Learning Project

PATH's Children's Vaccine Program (CVP) and SUMMIT/Learning Technologies at Stanford University School of Medicine, in collaboration with partners of the Global Alliance for Vaccines and Immunization, are pleased to announce the launch of the first set of Advanced Immunization Management (AIM) e-Learning modules. This new and expanding tool is a significant step forward in the global community's ability to address priority issues for senior managers who are trying to improve immunization programmes in developing countries. AIM e-Learning modules provide the most up-to-date information, targeted specifically for senior managers, using interactive learning techniques available through the Internet and CD-ROM.

Priority e-learning modules available include:



Considerations for introduction of new and underutilized vaccines

Currently covers hepatitis B vaccine. Additional modules for Japanese encephalitis, yellow fever, *Haemophilus influenzae* type b, and rotavirus vaccines will be launched over the next year.



Immunization financing

Provides financial skills to help managers strengthen their immunization programmes. Currently includes an introduction to the basics of immunization financing and information on the vaccine market, costing, financing, and strategies to improve sustainability.

AIM e-Learning is designed to give users maximum flexibility to learn at their own pace, according to time availability, and in their own style. E-learning is most effective when used to provide additional depth to issues introduced in face-to-face meetings or workshops. Facilitator guides for such sessions are available on the AIM e-Learning site. These guides include an introduction to the e-learning modules and outline how to use the modules effectively to improve immunization programmes.

AIM e-Learning modules are currently available in English and will be translated into French, Russian, and other languages to increase their utility and reach.

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AIM e-Learning features

- Up-to-the-minute content designed to meet needs of senior managers.
- Interactive exercises to test your understanding.
- Graphics and animation.
- Downloadable resources.
- Internet version suitable for low-bandwidth connections and small screen resolutions.
- CD-ROM version for those without reliable Internet connections.
- Multi-language support.
- Intuitive interface for easy navigation.







