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CS-SUNN HOLDS PINNS STRATEGIC WORKSHOP FOR DETAILED IMPLEMENTATION PLAN

Malnutrition in Nigeria is caused by several factors like the lack of food, improper feeding and caring practices, non-function economic and political structures, low education among women, etc. Reducing and eradicating this scourge therefore requires a multi-sectoral approach. The UNICEF’s Conceptual framework (UNICEF 2013) brings to the fore the interaction between multi-actors, disciplines, sectors and systems to curtail the menace.

The Partnership for improving Nigeria Nutrition Systems (PINNS), a project implemented by the Civil Society Scaling Up Nutrition in Nigeria (CS-SUNN) is designed to strengthen the Nigeria Nutrition Systems to be more Result-driven, Effective, Sustainable, Efficient and Transparent (RESET) in delivering on their mandate. It is also designed to hold government accountable on commitments made to allocate, release and use transparently funds for implementation of high impact Nutrition interventions in Nigeria through evidence based advocacy. The PINNS project is implemented in Lagos, Kaduna and Kano, Niger and Nasarawa States.

As part of efforts to deliver the project, a 4-days PINNS Project Strategy Workshop organized by CS-SUNN is currently on-going in Abuja to improve understanding of the PINNS project, develop detailed implementation plan for the project and develop the PINNS Strategic Communication Plan.

Participants are drawn from Secretariat Staff, Steering Committee Members and State Chapters.

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