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USAID/NIGERIA NIGER DELTA ACTIVITIES

State	Sector	Activity	Activity Description
Abia	Agriculture	Cassava Enterprise Development Program (CEDP)	CEDP introduces improved disease resistant varieties of cassava; increase productivity through the generation, promotion, and adoption of new cassava production technologies; and facilitates access to inputs, credit, information, and domestic markets.
	Agriculture	Maximizing Agriculture Revenue and Key Enterprises in Targeted Sites (MARKETS)	MARKETS works along the commodity development chain to transform traditional Nigerian agriculture from low input/low output, subsistence farming to commercially competitive agriculture, focusing initially on rice, sorghum and cereals, cowpeas/legumes, aquaculture, and dairy.
	Malaria	Commercial distribution and sales of Insecticide Treated Nets (ITNs) and Long Lasting Insecticidal Nets (LLINs)	This activity encourages the manufacture and sale of ITNs and LLINs in shops, markets, and kiosks at full cost including margins.
	Malaria	Training of patent medicine vendors (PMVs)	This activity builds the capacity of PMVs to identify early signs of malaria, provide efficacious treatment, and refer patients to appropriate facilities in cases of complication.
	Malaria	Distribution of pre-packaged anti malarial treatment	The Pre-Packaged Malaria activity provides medical access to Nigeria's most vulnerable populations through the social marketing of prepackaged treatment of malaria in Nigeria and the revision of the national malaria treatment policy.
Akwa Ibom	Agriculture	CEDP	CEDP introduces improved disease resistant varieties of cassava; increase productivity through the generation, promotion, and adoption of new cassava production technologies; and facilitates access to inputs, credit, information, and domestic markets.
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	HIV/AIDS	Comprehensive Integrated Approach to HIV/AIDS Prevention and Care in Nigeria (CIHPAC)	CIHPAC supports the adoption of healthy reproductive behavior among most at risk populations by working at the community level and integrating national level social marketing with community level interventions. The project is changing behavior through the use of peer facilitation, dramas, and target-specific materials.
	HIV/AIDS	Safe Blood Integrated Program	Safe Blood recruits and develops voluntary blood donors, conducts training in transfusion medicine, and builds capacity for the National Blood Transfusion Service.
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	Economic Policy Reform	Restructured Economic Framework for Openness, Reform and Macroeconomic Stability (REFORMS)	The REFORMS activity improves budget and fiscal management, planning, analysis, execution, and evaluation within all agencies involved in the national budget process; builds the capacity of the major economic policymaking, planning, and coordinating government agencies; and strengthens the effectiveness of public-private dialogue for policy reform in Nigeria.
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	Governance	Local government and civil society partnerships to improve service delivery	The program will empower civil society, faith-based, and private sector entities to engage with local and state governments to improve governance capacity and service delivery. The project will identify government counterparts that have demonstrated commitment to reform and where there are strong opportunities to partner with non-governmental and private sector counterparts to foster greater transparency in the use of resources for the public good, strengthen internal and external governance capacity, and improve delivery of basic services. Support will be provided to local and state level civil society organizations as well as target state and local governments.
	Health	Integrated Reproductive Health In Nigeria (IRHIN)	IRHIN is a social marketing project that will contribute to increasing the contraceptive prevalence rate for modern methods in Nigeria from 8.9% to 14% over the next five years. The key expected results from this project are to increase demand for contraceptive commodities nationwide and increase access to quality FP commodities by working with community-based proprietary medicine vendors and private sector clinics.

	HIV/AIDS	Global HIV/AIDS Initiative Nigeria (GHAIN)	GHAIN provides a wide range of services for strengthening and scaling up HIV/AIDS interventions including prevention, confidential HIV testing and counseling, prevention of mother-to-child transmission of HIV, clinical care, antiretroviral therapy, prevention and treatment of tuberculosis, treatment of sexually transmitted infections, palliative and home-based care, support to orphans and vulnerable children, and prevention of transmission from people living with HIV/AIDS to uninfected partners.
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Delta	Democracy and Governance	Conflict Abatement through Local Mitigation (CALM)	CALM reduces conflict in targeted states by increasing the capacity of government institutions, civil society, political parties, and other stakeholders to prevent, manage, and mitigate the impacts of conflict. The program will develop cross-cultural and inter-religious awareness and sensitivity.
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			community level interventions. The project is changing behavior through the use of peer facilitation, dramas, and target-specific materials.
Edo	Democracy and Governance	Trafficking in Persons	The Anti-trafficking program works with Nigerian counterparts to address prevention of trafficking in persons; apprehension and prosecution of traffickers; and rehabilitation of trafficked victims through basic and vocational education, training, psychosocial support and microfinance assistance.
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	Agriculture	MARKETS	In Edo State MARKETS has provided technical support to the Lift Above Poverty Organization (LAPO) to strengthen its capacity to expand access to credit for micro-small, and medium enterprises.
	HIV/AIDS	GHAIN	GHAIN provides a wide range of services for strengthening and scaling up HIV/AIDS interventions including prevention, confidential HIV testing and counseling, prevention of mother-to-child transmission of HIV, clinical care, antiretroviral therapy, prevention and treatment of tuberculosis, treatment of sexually transmitted infections, palliative and home-based care, support to orphans and vulnerable children, and prevention of transmission from people living with HIV/AIDS to uninfected partners.
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Ondo	Agriculture	Sustainable Tree Crops Program	This project strengthens the capacity of Tonikoko Farmers Union to develop sustainable, integrated cocoa production systems and address child labor concerns. Activities help to develop trade and market information systems, provide technical packages, and redresses labor issues.
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USAID/NIGERIA TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

State	Assistance
Bayelsa	<p>Bayelsa State is implementing the Bayelsa Partnership Initiative (BPI) which will channel \$40 million of state resources in 2006 (and \$80 million in 2007) to fund community designed projects. USAID/Nigeria was the first donor to be engaged in the design of the BPI and has been asked to take a seat on the initiative's governing board. USAID/Nigeria will focus on the policies which direct these resources rather than on individual project selection. By doing so, USAID/Nigeria will build the capacity of the BPI to transparently and competitively procure and manage development projects which support a strategy of conflict mitigation, employment generation, and poverty reduction. USAID/Nigeria's assistance will contribute to the sustainability of the BPI and the effective achievement of development impact in Bayelsa, a key state in the Niger Delta.</p>
Delta	<p>Delta State is in the preliminary phases of developing its own initiative to use public funds for the achievement of development results. A conflict prone state with significant oil revenue, Delta has both need and resources to implement such an initiative. USAID/Nigeria will encourage the state government to design its own strategic initiative, offering its expertise in the methods of achieving development impact. Once an initiative is put forth, USAID/Nigeria will commit technical personnel to assist in the achievement of state-identified development goals.</p>
Rivers	<p>USAID/Nigeria was asked to represent the bilateral donor community in providing direction and technical assistance to the Rivers State Sustainable Development Project (RSSDP). The government of Rivers State offered \$20 million to implement development projects that directly benefit the people of Rivers State. USAID/Nigeria's role has been to assist in establishing processes and procedures that the RSSDP will use to solicit proposals, select project implementers, award contracts, monitor progress, and manage public resources in a transparent, fair, and open manner. Through this assistance, RSSDP will be more effective in achieving its development goals.</p>

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