

CDC Global Activities: Focus on Asia

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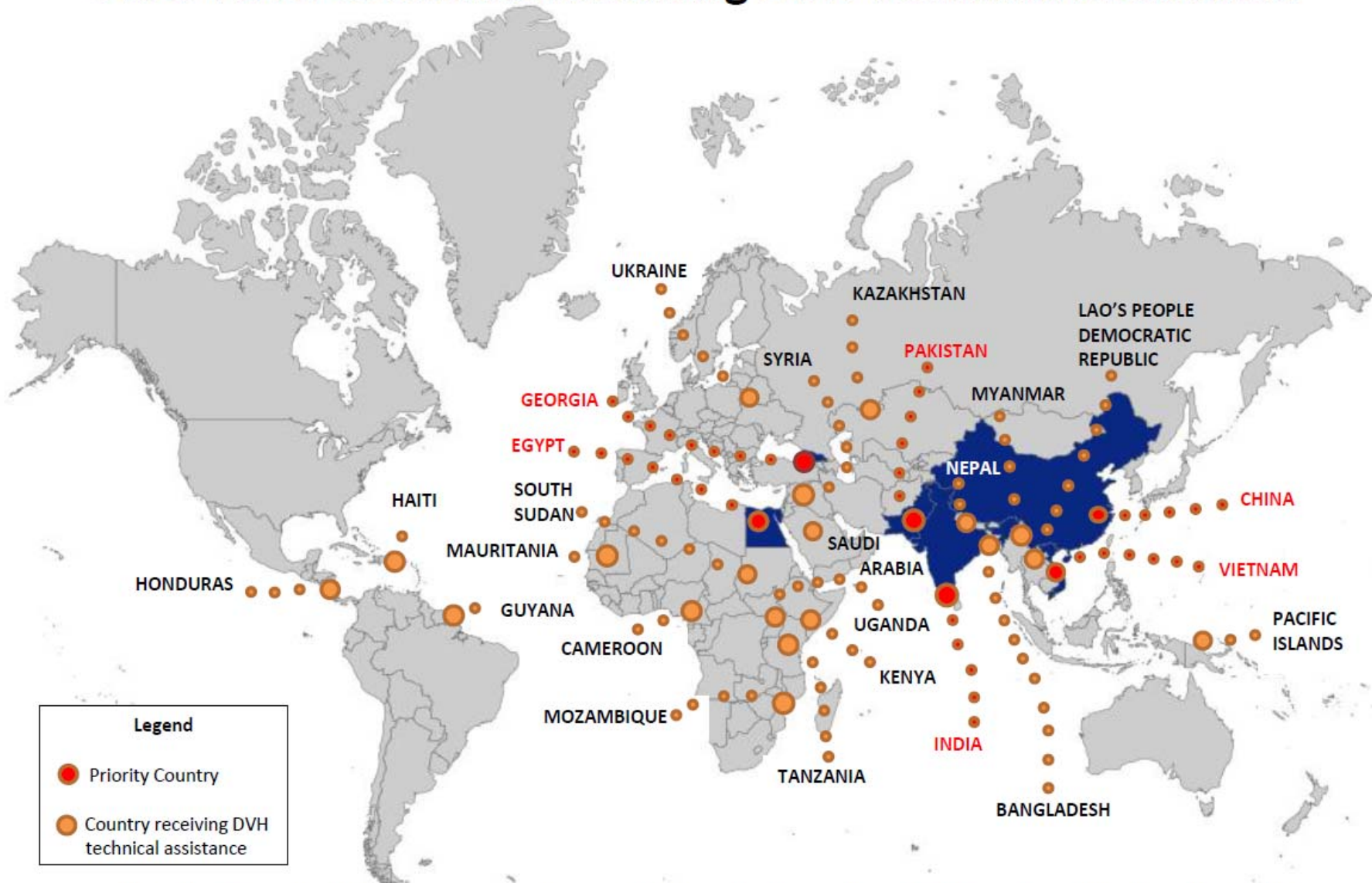
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2013-2014 Countries Receiving DVH Technical Assistance



All global viral hepatitis activities support the CDC Division of Viral Hepatitis, WHO, and are undertaken in close collaboration with the WHO Global Hepatitis Program (GHP), in-country Ministries of Health (MOH), non-governmental organizations (NGOs), academic institutions, professional associations, the Viral Hepatitis Action Coalition (VHAC) and its partners, and other CDC and federal global health programs.

CDC Activities in Asia

❑ Western Pacific Regional Office (WPRO)

- Co-sponsor a Medical Officer for Viral Hepatitis (first WHO/Regional) for 3 years (2014-16); currently recruiting/interviewing
- Support development of Regional Strategy for viral hepatitis; serve on Informal Expert Working Group (1 -2 April 2014)

❑ China

- Transition from successful HBV prevention (vaccination) to surveillance, care and treatment (HBV/HCV)

❑ India

- Assess burden: serosurvey Punjab (ongoing; HCV/HBV + other)
- Review of National Surveillance/Reporting

❑ Vietnam

- National Action Plan development; surveillance (within HIV program)

❑ Pakistan

- Acute surveillance
- National strategy/plan development