

# FP&Child Immunization services: Path toward Sustainability

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# PSI Mali FP portfolio

## **Pilplan-d**

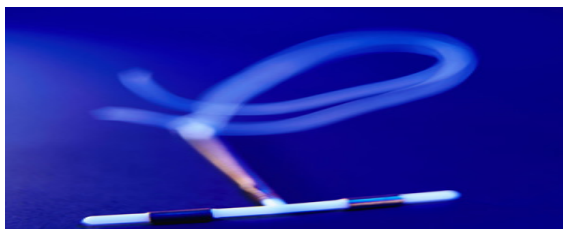
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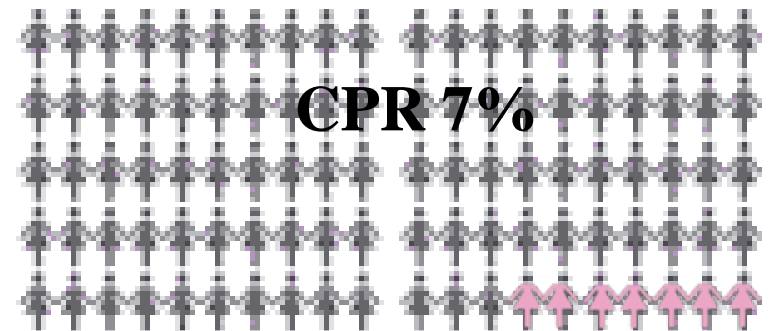
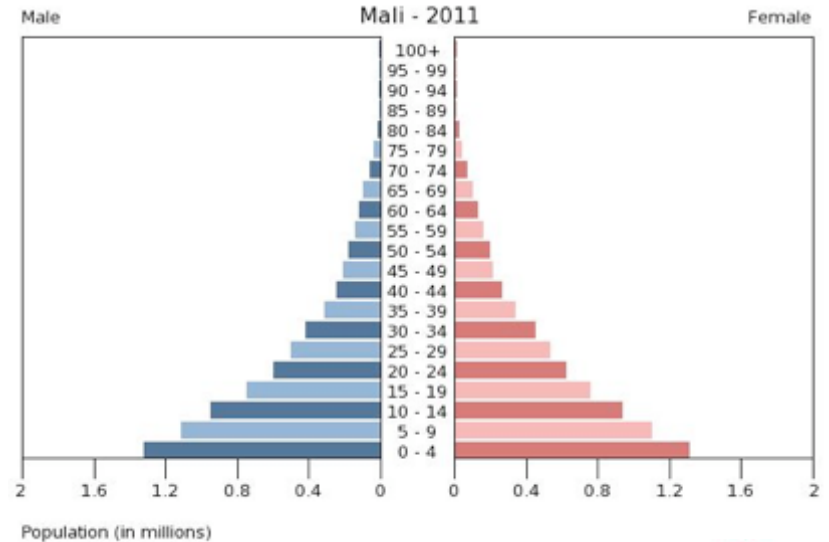


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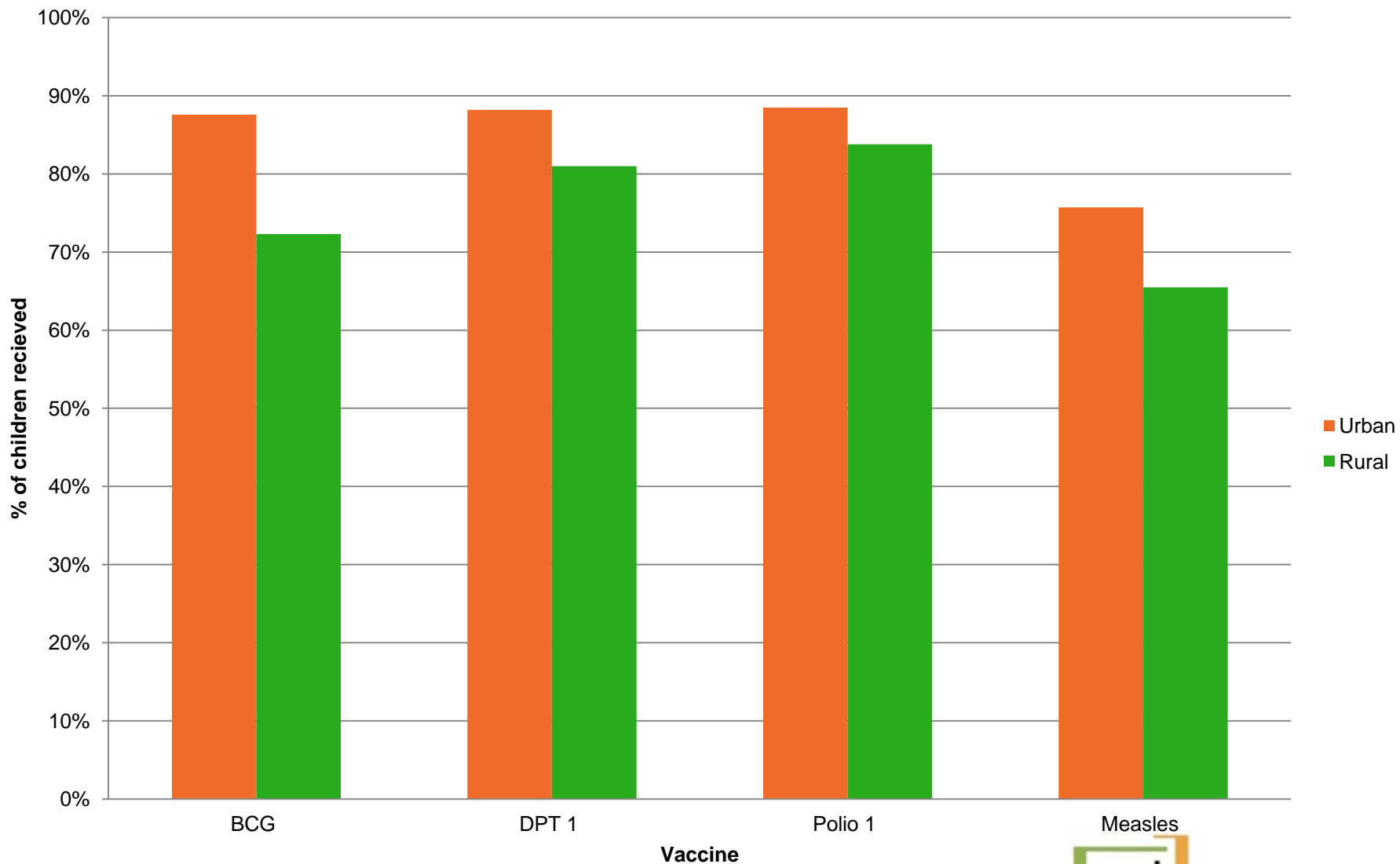
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# FP in the land of Timbuktu



# Child Vaccinations in Mali (DHS 2006)





**PSI's approach: Integrated FP & Immunization services**





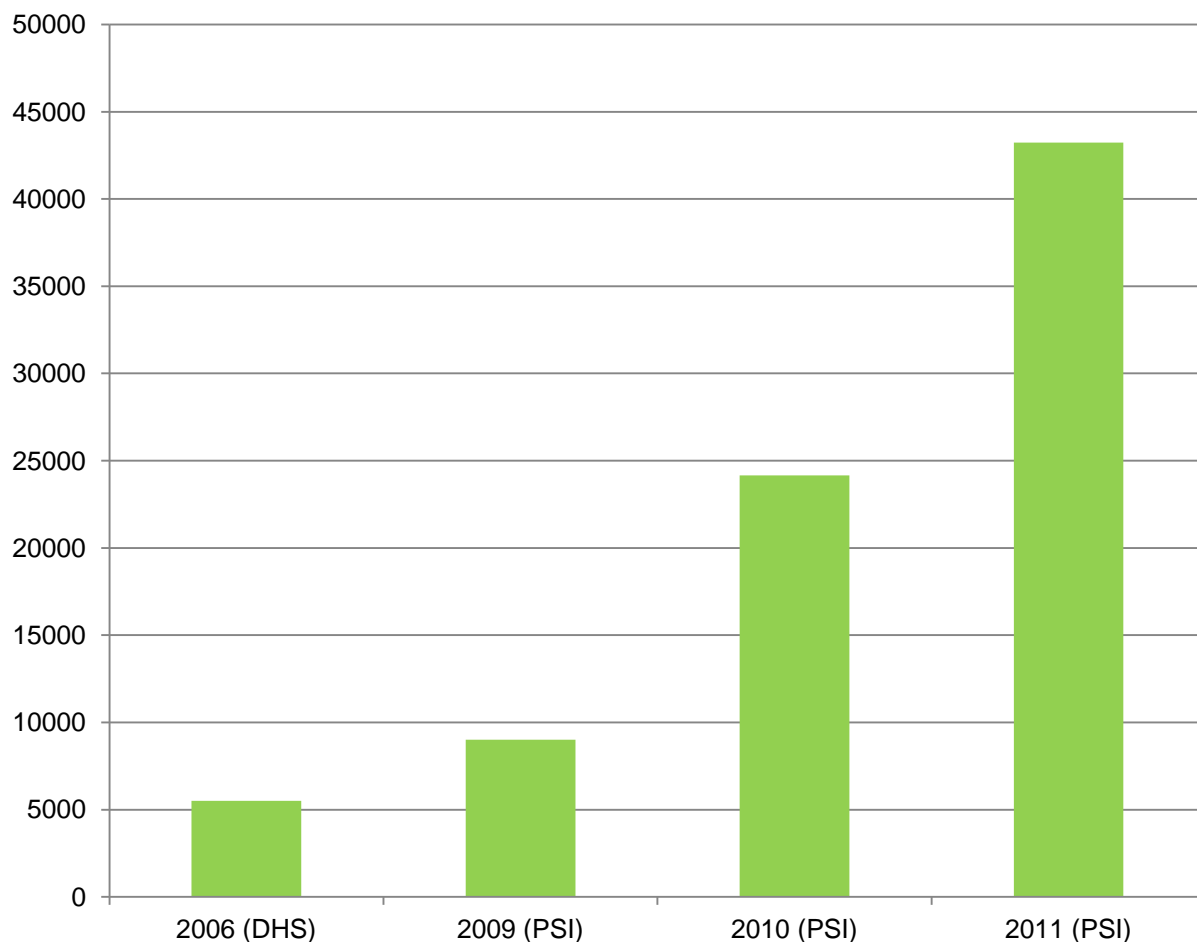
Referenced by Population Reference bureau as best practice in 2011

- **1-stop shop** meets women's needs
- **Dedicated providers** focus on FP
- Comprehensive FP counseling
- Discretion
- **Building capacity** over time in the public sector
- **Women willingness to pay used for advocacy**



# 2011 Results: Ground for scale up and Sustainability

## Implants and IUD users in Mali



- 76 Health Centers
- Over 200 Providers trained & Equipped
- From 10,000 (2009) to almost 45,000 users in 2012
- Over 300,000 women reached
- Affected prevalence in Bamako



# Building sustainability –Ops research

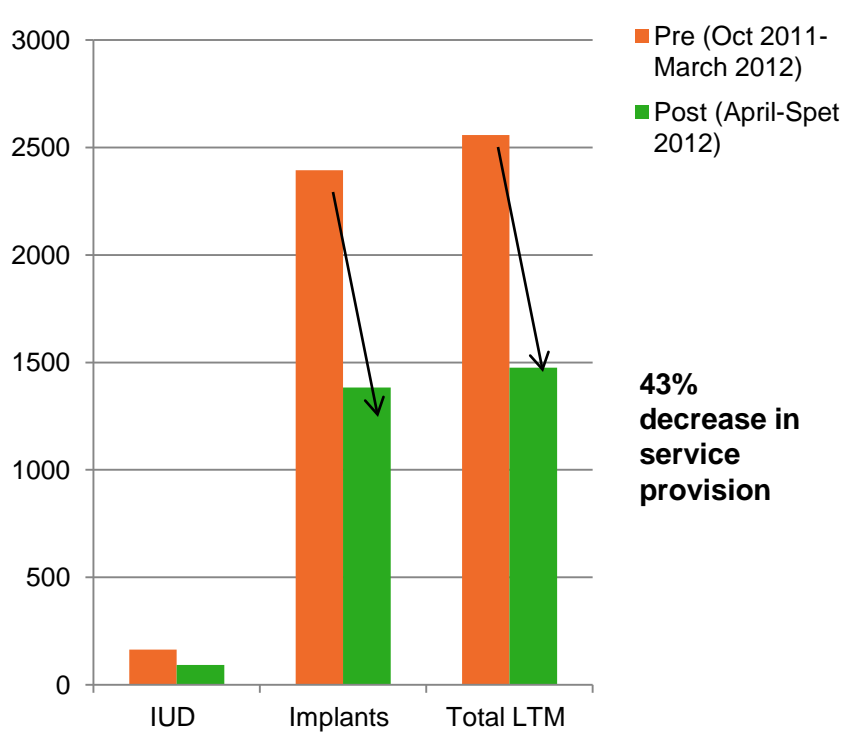
6 months pre/post: Oct-April 2012

- Sample of 55 community health centers (public) who had received full support before divided in 3 groups:
- Group 1: 10 centers, monthly supportive supervision
- Group 2: 10 centers, coaching during vaccination days
- Group 3: 35 centers, service provision during vaccination days
- All groups received: initial stock of commodities, training, QA/QI support, demand creation
- Variables :
  - Level of stock
  - Service provision (# of insertions)
  - Service quality
  - Client satisfaction






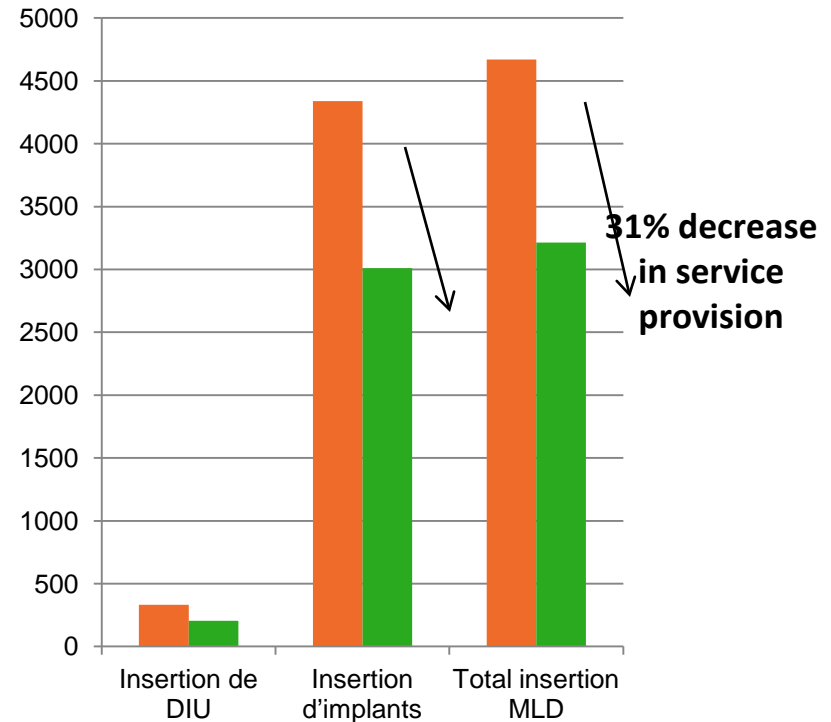
# Building sustainability- Results



Group 1: no support

Other variables:

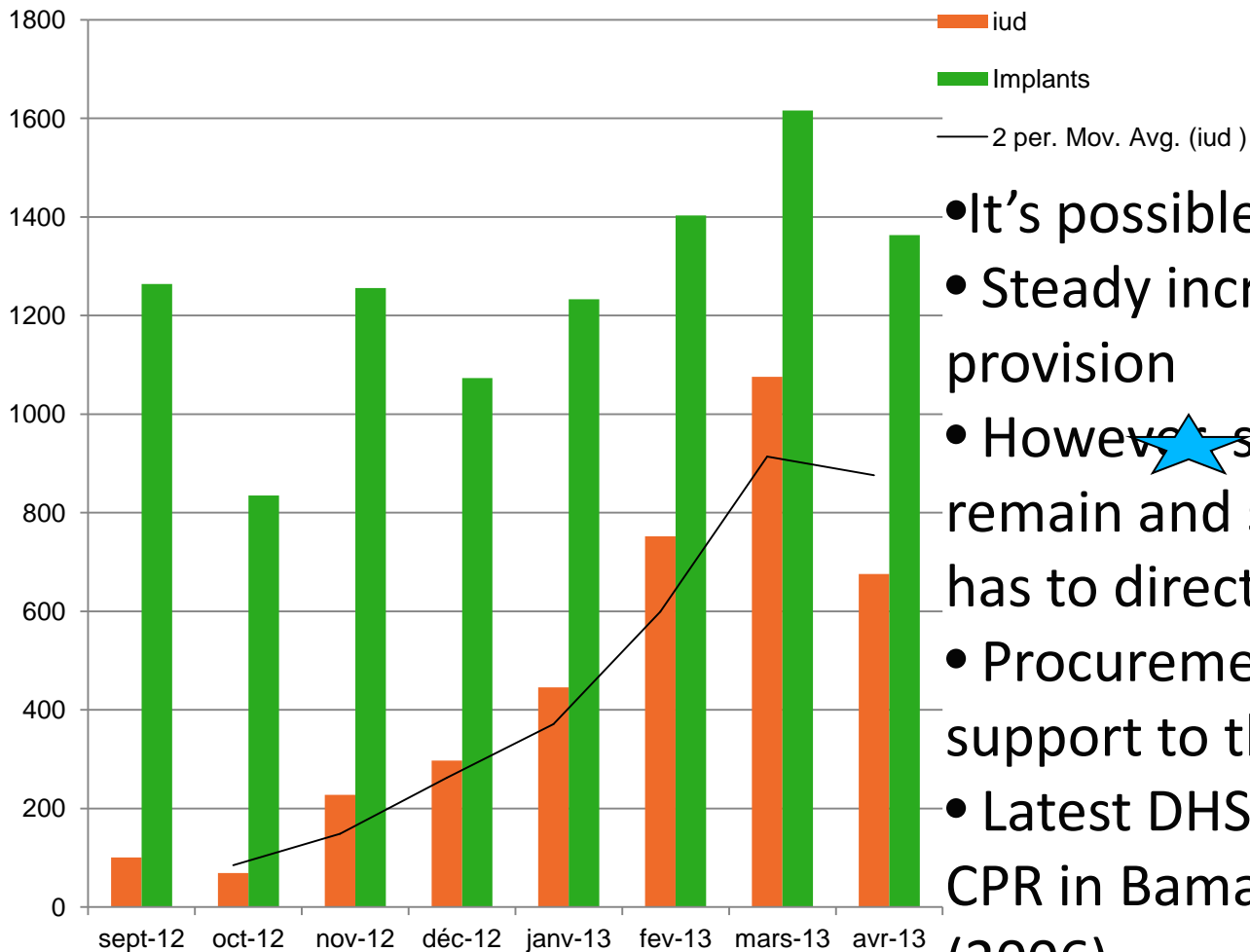
- Only 60 % re-stocked after initial stock (7 stock out)
- Service quality had dropped (infection control measure were respected in 80% of cases)
- Client exit interviews results show 80% satisfaction but price remains an issue
- Despite drop, service provision was still 47% higher than when  there was no service



Group 2: partial support


# Building sustainability- Current trend

- September 2012-April 2013



• It's possible!

• Steady increase in service provision

• However  stock issues remain and sometimes PSI has to directly provide stock

• Procurement planning support to the MOH

• Latest DHS data shows 23% CPR in Bamako VS 17% (2006)



# Building sustainability- Lessons learned

- MOH engagement is key: training, motivation, pricing
- Donor deliverable vs. sustainability: Don't be scared when numbers drop!...it will pick back up with the right support
- Evolving staff role from providers to coaches
- Coaching/technical assistance to providers with increment disengagement is essential to sustain quality assurance
- Build in sustainability from the start! To encourage local community health managers (centers' management) to embrace FP with an initial long term perspective





**Thank You!**

