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The upcoming end of C4N-NIPN

and what comes next

7th NIPN Global Gathering
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C4N-NIPN timeline and closing

- C4N-NIPN part of EU-BMZ Joint Action *Capacity for Nutrition (C4N)*, under GIZ programme *Knowledge for Nutrition (K4N)*
- GIZ NIPN Phase II implementation ends 30 April 2026
- GIZ NIPN implementation includes Global Coordination and NIPN Phase II support of Ethiopia, Niger and Zambia



What comes next

- The BMZ & EU initiating a new project:
Knowledge and Policy Coherence for Nutrition (KPCN)
as of 1 April 2026
- Possibility to receive NIPN country support from a global team



Knowledge & Policy Coherence for Nutrition (KPCN)

Duration: 12/2025 - 12/2029

Contract Value: 10 Mio. EUR BMZ + EU co-financing of 10 Mio. from 04/2026

Level	Activities
Global	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coherent positioning of the EC, Germany and other EU Member States+ • Political communication and strategic alliances / partnerships • Continued support for SDG 2 indicator for healthy diets • Staff in Bonn and Brussels (1.5, currently 6)
Regional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support and build on regional initiatives and frameworks • Regional peer-to-peer exchange formats between SUN countries, SUN Networks and Civil Society • Increased and improved cooperation with SUN regional hubs & other relevant partners • Staff in regional hubs in Dakar, Nairobi and Bangkok (6 partially supporting NIPN & NIS)
National	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TA and CD support for SUN Countries and networks (<i>especially for NIPN, NIS, financing for nutrition, FST</i>) • Support for country level civil society networks

What can you expect – focus of new project

- Support EU partner countries, SUN member countries, priority to existing NIPN countries
- Short-term technical assistance and capacity development, as with NIPN4NIS
- Peer-to-peer and south-to-south learning opportunities
- Globally and regionally, working closer with SUN: regional hubs, focal points, and networks



What can you expect from the new global team?

- Smaller global team, geographically dispersed
- Focus on technical assistance and capacity development only - no coordinating or monitoring role (coordination with implementing partners, no QPMs after 2025)
- Fewer and smaller, regional learning events – no Global Gathering
- Communications and publications activities to be defined - no Annual Report, limited external visibility (website, newsletters, and social media), and fewer case studies



Next steps

- Global Coordination will continue to exist until 30 April 2026
- News of the new global team and process for support will be shared in April 2026
- Platforms should be proactive for support needs, particularly during the transition
- Email NIPN-C4N@giz.de will be maintained



Q&A

