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# MOROCCO HEALTH FINANCING STRATEGY

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Challenges	Causes	Strategic Directions
1. High out-of-pocket payment, attaining 54% of total health expenditure	<ul> <li>Low health investment:</li> <li>Health is not a priority</li> <li>Low budget use (management:, implementation)</li> <li>Weak advocacy</li> </ul>	Revenue raising: Advocacy to invest more in health: increase budget (innovative financing mechanisms: taxes on tobacco, luxury goods, unhealthy foods
Goal 2 UHC	Non covered informal sector and independents workers:	taxes)
Financial protection	<ul> <li>Difficulty to identify population of the informal sector</li> <li>Absence of mechanisms and tools to cover this population and monitoring (targeting, estimation of the contribution)</li> </ul>	<b>Pooling:</b> Developing roadmap to identify the non-covered population and implement coverage scheme

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2. Inefficiency in		Pooling, Purchasing:
using health	Underutilization of generics	
resources	Lack of performance based	Strengthening health
	payments	Governance (health map,
	Maldistribution of HR:	implementation of
	- Weak health Governance	performance based
Goal 2 UHC		payments)
	Fragmentation of insurance funds/	
<b>Financial protection</b>	schemes:	Developing a balanced,
	- Historically fragmented funds	motivated, well distributed
	- Absence of a strategy of health	and managed health
	coverage of all population	workforce
		Integration of insurance
		funds/ schemes and
		standardize Essential Health
		Package
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	Lack of HR	Revenue raising:
3. Poor quality of		Strengthening contribution of
care in public health	- Lack of HR planning	the private health sector
facilities	- Limited recruitment	towards public health and
	- Insufficient in-service training	regulating it to ensure quality
		and prevent illicit practices
	Insufficient of facilities and weak	
	accreditation	Managing health workforce
Goal 3:		
Improve quality of	Insufficient of essential technologies	Developing family practice
care	and drugs	for the delivery of primary
		care services
	Low investment in Primary Health	
	Care and family medicine	Improve access and rational
		use of essential technologies
		and medicines
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4. Unavailability of	Large Health Package (all diseases are included except plastic	Purchasing:
covered services	surgery)	Redefine Essential Health
	- Historically acquired	Benefit Package and ensure it
		availability in public and private
Goal 1:	Inequity in distribution of health	sector
Reduce gaps	care	
between needs and	- Lack of health map to regulate	Implementation of the health
utilization	the supply	map
		Expanding the production and
		distribution of workforce,
		employing an incentive system
		to attract and retain health
		workers in remote areas
	Lack public-private partnership	Develop public-private
/	(PPP)	partnership

