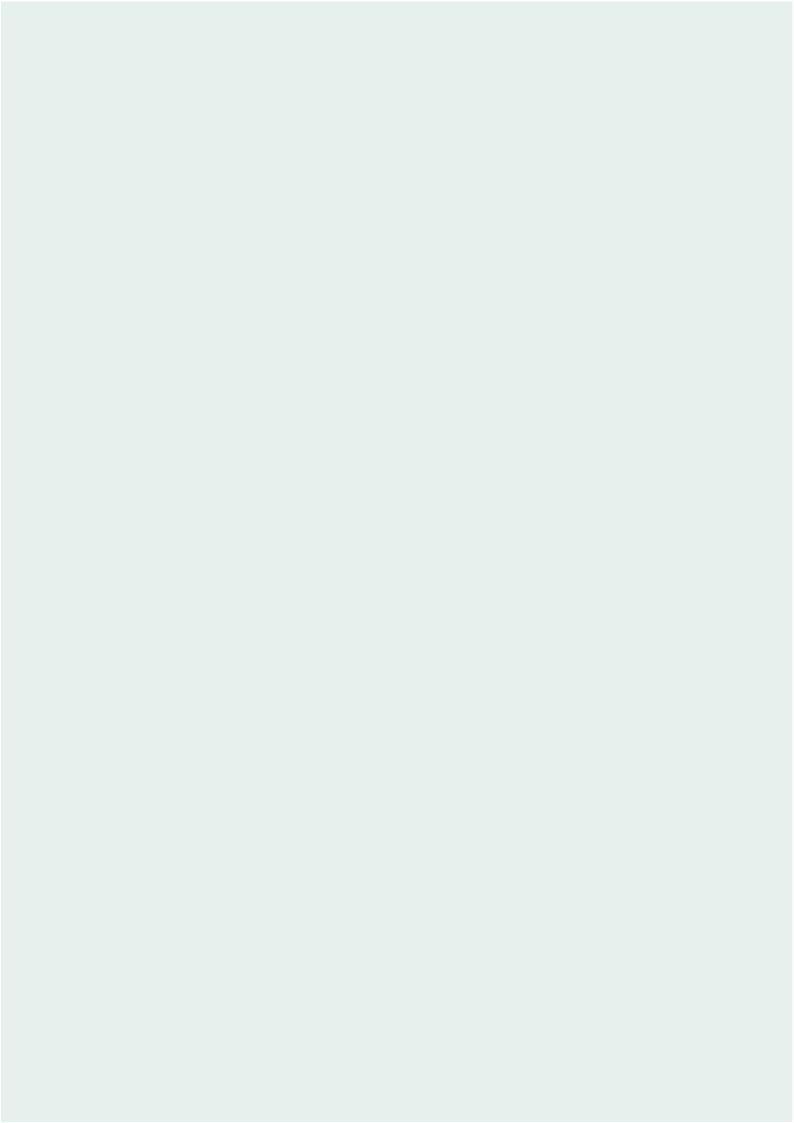


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### Acronyms

ADB Asian Development Bank

AIDS Acquired immunodeficiency syndrome

AusAID Australian Agency for International Development

CBHI Community-based health insurance

CDC Centers for Disease Control
CHS Commune health station

CMBS Cambodia Malaria Baseline Survey

CNM National Malaria Centre

CUP Comprehensive and Unified Policy for Tuberculosis Control

DfID Department for International Development

DOT Directly-observed treatment

DOTS Directly-observed treatment, short-course therapy

DPMU District project management unit

DRF Drug revolving fund EC European Commission

EDAT Early diagnosis and appropriate treatment EPI Expanded programme on immunization EVIPNet Evidence-Informed Policy Network

GDP Gross domestic product

GIS Geographic information system

GRET Groupe de Recherche et d'Echanges Technologiques

HEF Health equity fund

HEPR Hunger Eradication and Poverty Reduction programme

HIS Health information system HNZ Housing New Zealand

HSPI Health Strategy and Policy Institute HSRP Health Sector Reform Project

HSSP National Health Strategic Plan 2003-2007

ITN Insecticide-treated bednet

JICA Japan International Cooperation Agency

LLIN Long-lasting insecticidal net
MAF Medical assistance fund

MDG Millennium Development Goal

MSF Médecins Sans Frontières

NCMS New Cooperative Medical Service NGO Non-governmental organization

NGPES National Growth and Poverty Eradication Strategy

NHC National Health Committee

NHSS National Health Service Survey

NPRS National Poverty Reduction Strategy 2003-2005 pACT Pre-packaged artemisinin-based combination therapy

PHC Primary health care

PhilCAT Philippine Coalition against Tuberculosis PhilHealth Philippine Health Insurance Corporation

PhilTIPS Philippine Tuberculosis Initiative for the Private Sector

PHO Primary Health Organisation
PMU Project management unit
PPMD Public-Private Mix DOTS

PPMU Provincial project management unit

PPP Purchasing power parity

PRSP Poverty Reduction Strategy Paper

RDT Rapid diagnostic test

RII Relative index of inequality

RM Malaysian ringgit

SARS Severe acute respiratory syndrome

SCA Save the Children Australia

SEDP6 6th Socio-economic Development Plan

SII Slope index of inequality
SRD Standardized rate difference
SRR Standardized rate ratio
SWAp Sector-wide approach

TB Tuberculosis

TBA Traditional birth attendant

TFR Total fertility rate

TWG-H Technical Working Group-Health UNICEF United Nations Children's Fund

VHLSS Vietnam Household Living Standard Survey

VHV Village health volunteer
VND Vietnamese Dong
VSS Vietnam Social Security
WHO World Health Organization



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