Timeline: The Network for Improving Quality of Care (QoC) for Maternal, Newborn & Child Health (February 2017–March 2019)

**FEBRUARY 2017**
- Launch of the Network in Lilongwe

**LEADERSHIP:**
- Joint statement, 14 February 2017
- Network strategic objectives of Leadership, Action, Learning, Accountability

**WHO standards for improving quality of maternal and newborn care in health facilities**

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- Implementation methods
- Monitoring
- Advocacy for Quality, Equity, Dignity

**Webinar series:**
- Series 1: Point of care quality improvement for maternal and newborn health
- Series 2: Quality of Care Country Highlights
- Series 3: Water, sanitation and hygiene for improved quality of care

**Countires:**
- Roadmaps developed
- Structures galvanized
- Preparation for implementation

**ACTION:**
- From roadmaps to implementation (Dar es Salaam meeting)
- Sierra Leone joins the Network

**MARCH 2017**

**CAPABILITY DEVELOPMENT OF COUNTRY TEAMS**
- Orientation workshop for technical resource persons supporting implementation
- Forge a common understanding & approach

**SEPTEMBER 2018**

**START OF THE QUALITY TALKS PODCAST**

Stories of healthcare professionals who are experienced in running and managing quality of care initiatives, whether at a very small scale or country-wide

https://quality-talks.blubrry.net/

**APRIL 2018**

- WHO standards for improving quality of care for children and young adolescents in health facilities

**LEARNING:**
- Developing national learning systems to support delivery of QoC (Entebbe meeting)

**MARCH 2018**

**COUNTRIES LEADING IMPLEMENTATION:**
- Preparations for learning district orientation
- Defining national QoC improvement packages
- Development of monitoring framework

**MARCH 2019**

**2ND MEETING OF THE NETWORK FOR IMPROVING QUALITY FOR MATERNAL, NEWBORN AND CHILD HEALTH:**

**ACCOUNTABILITY:**
- Demonstrating accountability and learning from implementation
  - Country data
  - Learning

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**NOVEMBER 2018**

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