Sierra Leone Country Brief

Who We Are
The Fleming Fund is the world’s single largest Official Development Assistance (ODA) investment in global AMR surveillance.

The Fleming Fund is a £265million UK aid programme supporting up to 24 low- and middle-income countries (LMICs) to generate, share and use antimicrobial resistance (AMR) data.

The Fleming Fund is a UK Department of Health and Social Care (DHSC) programme made up of a Country and Regional Grants and Fellowships Programme managed by Mott MacDonald, and a variety of Global Projects, managed directly by DHSC.

Country Context

More information about Sierra Leone and its work on AMR can be found on the Fleming Fund website at: https://www.flemingfund.org/countries/sierra-leone

Our Grants

**COUNTRY GRANT**
Country Grantee: WHO
Sub-grantees: none
Value: £1,500,000
Duration: Oct 2020 - Dec 2021

This grant aims to strengthen the One Health governance structure for AMR and AMU surveillance and strengthen AMR and AMU surveillance in the human health sector.

**COUNTRY GRANT 2**
Country Grantee: FAO
Sub-grantees: none
Value: £444,827
Duration: Nov 2020 - Dec 2021

This grant aims to strengthen the One Health governance structure for AMR and AMU surveillance and strengthen the AMR and AMU surveillance system in the animal health sector.
REGIONAL GRANTS

Gathering Historical AMR Data
Grantee: African Society for Laboratory Medicine
Value: £2,937,907 (total across multiple countries)
Duration: Nov 2018 – Jul 2021
This grant supports the collection and analysis of historical AMR data across key Fleming Fund countries to provide early information for policy making.

External Quality Assurance- Africa
Grantee: African Society for Laboratory Medicine
Value: £4,511,176
Duration: Oct 2019 – Dec 2021
This grant supports the development of external quality assurance practices in laboratories around Asia which ensures confidence in laboratory testing results.

Policy, Practice & Advocacy
Grantee: International Vaccine Institute
Value: £2,715,217 (total across multiple countries)
Duration: Sep 2019 – Nov 2021
This grant supports data sharing for global AMR planning and advocacy to provide policy makers with evidence to make robust, data-based policy recommendations.

GLOBAL PROJECTS

Global Research on AMR (GRAM): This grant supports a global exercise studying the burden of AMR, run by University of Oxford.
Value: £6,200,000 (total across multiple countries)
Duration: Jan 2016 – Jun 2021

OIE Grant: This grant invests in developing One Health guidance on antimicrobial use, supports countries to feed into the global AMU animal database and helps improve awareness and understanding of AMR and alternatives to antimicrobial agents.
Value: £5,000,000 (total across multiple countries)
Duration: Jan 2016 – Mar 2021

WHO Global Grant: This grant supports countries to develop National Action Plans, training to undertake AMR use and consumptions studies and supports the adoption of the WAaRe framework and essential medicines lists.
Value: £9,900,000 (total across multiple countries)
Duration: Jan 2016 – Sept 2020

South Centre Grant: This grant builds partnerships with civil society organisations to raise awareness of AMR.
Value: £1,000,000 (total across multiple countries)
Duration: Jan 2017 – Mar 2021

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