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HISTORY

On July 1, 1946 the Communicable Disease Center (CDC) opened its doors and occupied one floor of a small building in Atlanta. Its primary mission was simple yet highly challenging: prevent malaria from spreading across the nation. Armed with a budget of only \$10 million and fewer than 400 employees, the agency's early challenges included obtaining enough trucks, sprayers, and shovels necessary to wage war on mosquitoes.



- 1.health impact :save lives, improve health outcomes, and foster healthy populations globally.
- 2.health security: protect americans and population across the globe by strenthening global public health prevention, detection, and response.

STRUCTURE

1.Division of global HIV & TB (DGHT) :

Provides technical assistance to host governments, working through its strong partnerships with Ministries of Health and local and international partners to implement integrated HIV/AIDS clinical and preventive services and systems; develop and strengthen laboratory services; and provide epidemiologic science, informatics, and research support to develop sustainable public health systems in resource-constrained countries.

2.Division of parasitic disease and malaria(DPDM):

Prevents and controls parasitic diseases in the United States and throughout the world by providing diagnostic, consultative, and epidemiologic services and training.

3.Division of global health protection(DGHP):

Works with ministries of health and other partners to protect the health and improve the well-being of people globally by building public health capacity to prevent disease, disability and death from communicable and non-communicable diseases.

4.GLOBAL IMMUNIZATION DIVISION(GID)

Provides scientific and technical support to ministries of health and other public and private partners to control vaccine-preventable diseases around the world.

FINANCE

- 2019 CDC Budget
- Close to 70% of CDC's domestic budget goes to state and local health departments.
- Program level: \$7.3 billion
- 35% Protecting Americans from Infectious Diseases
- 22% Preventing the Leading Causes of Disease, Disability and Death
- 12% Protecting Americans from Natural & Bioterrorism Threats

Achievements

- Refugee vaccination program saving millions of dollars for health departments nationwide.
- Improved the quality of overseas medical exam data.
- Prevented public health threats before they could spreads in united states.
- Enhanced international travel disease survillance systems.

Relation with INDIA

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) established an office in India in 2001 with an initial focus on HIV/ AIDS prevention. Today, CDC has a broader scope and in addition to its headquarters in New Delhi maintains a presence in Mumbai and Hyderabad.

Thank you