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Ask Congress to support Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance

Engage: For decades, the U.S. has helped build global systems to deliver lifesaving vaccines to children, no matter where they are born. As a result, child mortality rates have dropped nearly 60 percent since 1990.

State the problem: But nearly 5 million children still die annually before their fifth birthday every single year, many from vaccine-preventable diseases like measles. Progress is at risk. The loss of U.S. support may mean 75 million children do not receive routine vaccinations in the next five years. 1.2 million of them may die.

Inform: Vaccines are one of the most costeffective interventions to save lives and prevent illness. Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance is a global partnership that has supported countries to vaccinate more than 1 billion children since 2000 — saving more than 18 million lives.

Call to action: Congress has the power of the purse. As Congress finishes fiscal year (FY)26 appropriations process, we again need leadership on basic global health. Will you voice your support for continuing bipartisan leadership for Gavi?

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