

Figure 2: Illustrative Timeline for Launching New VMMC Services

* Forecasting and supply planning exercise with multiple demand scenarios should be done with all partners at the program level at least 6 months prior to the beginning of services. 3-4 months additional lead time is needed for mobile sites.

** If VMMC Supervisors will assure the support for the launch of VMMC services, they should be trained prior to training the VMMC providers; if not, they can be trained closer to beginning their role in supervision.

Estimate about 4 months to launch of services at a brand new site (depending on how long it takes to complete Service Site Strengthening).