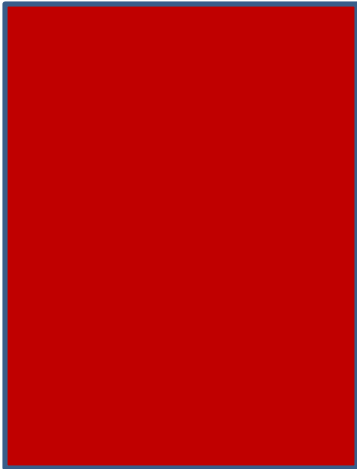




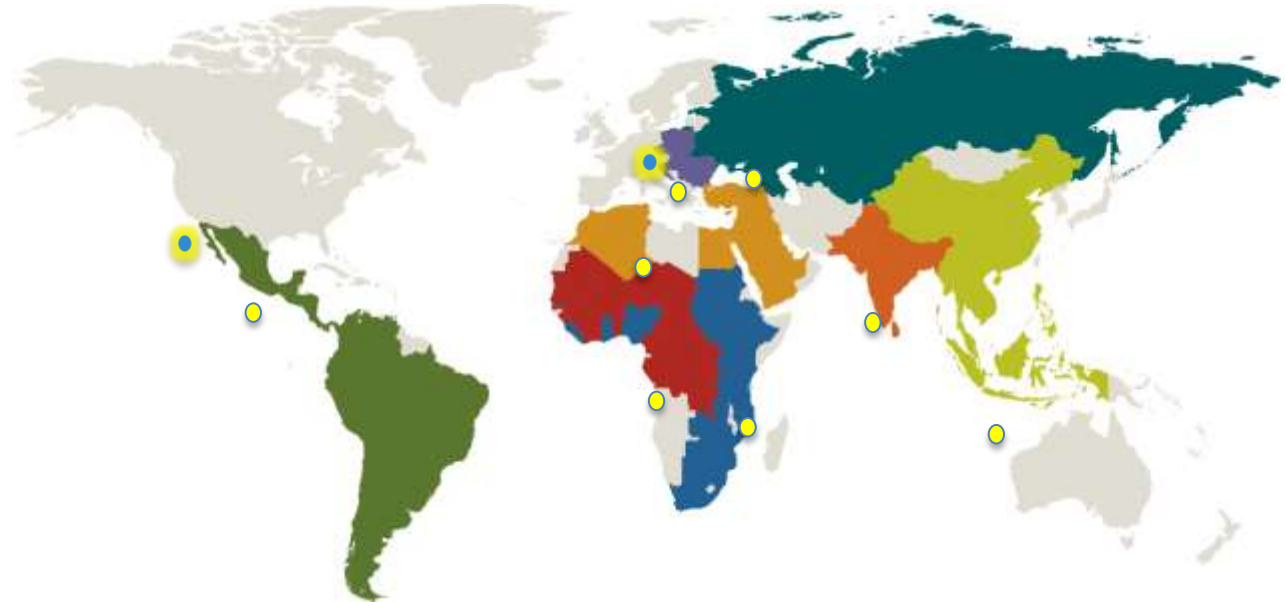
# The Importance of Stakeholder Collaboration to Eliminate Lead Paint by 2020



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# A Global NGO Network



**700 NGOs in more than 100 Countries working on:**

- ✓ POPs
- ✓ Toxic Metals: Lead and Mercury
- ✓ Safe Chemicals Management (SAICM)

# IPEN's Global Lead Paint Elimination Campaign

- Organized studies of lead in paint on the market in over 35 countries to date
- New data from at least 20 countries to be released later this year
- Executing the lead paint elimination project in Africa, funded by the Global Environment Facility, implemented by UNEP
- Finished a 7-country lead paint elimination project in Asia last year
- In all of the 11 countries included in these projects, regulatory controls to restrict the use of lead in paint are now enacted or drafted.

# Global Lead Paint Elimination by 2020

*Achievable only if key stakeholders engage*

- Government officials from one or more Ministry/Agency
- Representatives of the national paint industry and/or industry association
- Representatives of relevant and interested NGOs and/or other public interest stakeholders

# **National Alliances to Eliminate Lead Paint**

## **Purpose**

To assist the government in establishing national regulatory controls on lead paint

- Modelled after the Global Alliance to Eliminate Lead Paint
- Core team consisting of key stakeholder groups

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## **Additional Stakeholders may include**

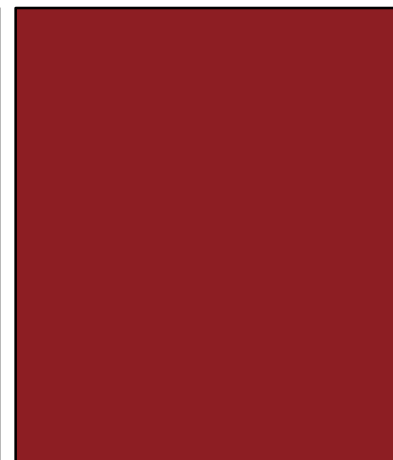
- Raw material suppliers
- Paint retailers
- Health professionals
- Academics
- Workers' associations
- Etc.
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## Joint Activities

- Studies on the lead content of paints for sale on the national market
- Awareness raising on the hazards of lead paint and the need for national regulatory controls
- Outreach to the national paint industry
- Stakeholder dialogues on lead paint hazard and national regulatory controls on lead in paint
- Cooperate to mobilize resources



# THANK YOU!



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