**Concept Generation**

- NIH/NIAID/DMID
- IDCRC/LG
- VTEUs
- Industry
- HHS/BARDA/FDA
- Public Health e.g. CDC, WHO
- Broader Scientific Community

**ICP Submitted, Passes Screening Review for Completeness**

**Expert Working Groups**

- Formal review – appropriateness, mission compatibility, science

- Malaria/Tropical Diseases
- Enteric Diseases
- Emerging Infections
- STI’s
- Respiratory Diseases
- COVID-19

**IF ICP not suitable for mission, priorities of IDCRC, or judged not scientifically sound: Feedback provided to submitter**

**Feedback provided to submitter: invitation from EMT* to submit expanded concept (ECP)**

**ICP Appropriate for Mission, Priorities and Scientifically Sound**

**ECP prepared and submitted**

**ECP reviewed by same EWG; Formal Review with Scoring**

**IF ECP does not score well (see full criteria for scoring), not recommended for protocol development: Feedback provided to submitter**

**Final Decision on approval to move to full protocol development and funding made by EMT and DMID Leadership**

**ECP meets priority, scientific standards, scored highly**

*EMT = Executive Management Team of IDCRC*