Template 5.1.1. Indicative guiding questions for policy option development

— What source of inefficiency is targeted?
— Which programmes and broader health system actors/institutions are involved?
— Why is that source and related policy response a priority for the health sector?
— What is the specific policy response expected? Through what levers will change be affected?
— How feasible are the concerned changes in political and operational terms?
— Which stakeholders will be directly and indirectly impacted by proposed reform? What is their position relative to the proposed reform and their power to either support or block it?
— What accountability mechanisms are proposed to ensure that coverage of priority services is either maintained, or preferably, increased?
— Based on the hypothesized effect of the reform, what outputs/outcomes should be beneficially impacted by proposed reform?
— How will efficiency gains be captured? Will savings or improved outputs be produced?
— In what sequence can this inefficiency be addressed?