The entire population of the Democratic Republic of Congo is at high risk of malaria and transmission is intense year round with seasonal variations. The annual reported number of malaria cases in 2013 was 11,363,817 with 30,918 deaths.
Progress
The Democratic Republic of Congo has banned oral artemisinin-based monotherapies and introduced policies on Community Case Management of malaria and pneumonia. The country has procured sufficient LLINs to achieve high coverage. The country has achieved high coverage in the tracer MNCH intervention of skilled birth attendants and vitamin A coverage.

Impact
The annual reported number of malaria cases in 2013 was 11,363,817 with 30,918 deaths.

Key Challenge
• Resource gaps exist to sustain universal coverage and continued roll out of key malaria control interventions.

Recommended Action
The Democratic Republic of Congo has responded positively to the recommended action addressing low coverage of PMTCT and continues to track progress as this action is implemented.