Malaria transmission in Kenya ranges from intense in lowland areas to unstable epidemic-prone in the highlands. The annual reported number of malaria cases in 2012 was 5,788,381 with 785 deaths.
Progress

Kenya has made steady progress in scaling-up malaria control interventions and has been successful in attracting funding including from the Global Fund, DFID, and PMI. The country has banned oral artemisinin-based monotherapies and has introduced a policy of Community Case Management of malaria. The country has successfully secured the resources to complete the LLIN coverage campaign. Kenya has significantly enhanced the tracking and accountability mechanisms with the development of a Reproductive, Maternal, Newborn and Child Health Scorecard.

Impact

The annual reported number of malaria cases in 2012 was 5,788,381 with 785 deaths. Progress in reducing cases has been reported sub-nationally where interventions have been intensified.

Key Challenges

- Ensuring private sector ACT coverage post-AMFm.
- The lack of new resources allocated to malaria in the Global Fund New Funding Model jeopardises the country’s ability to sustain the impressive gains made in the fight against malaria.

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Key

- **Green**: Action achieved
- **Yellow**: Some progress
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¹ MNCH metrics, recommended actions and response tracked through WHO MCA/iERG