The entire population of Mali is at risk of malaria and over 80% of the population lives in high-transmission areas. Transmission is more intense in the south. The annual reported number of malaria cases in 2012 was 2,171,739 with 1,894 deaths.
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**Progress**
Mali has banned oral artemisinin-based monotherapies and has introduced a policy on Community Case Management of pneumonia and more recently, malaria. Mali has secured resources to procure most of the LLINs, RDTs, and ACTs in 2014 required to achieve universal coverage and has secured sufficient LLINs in 2014 to achieve universal coverage. The country has achieved high coverage in the tracer MNCH intervention for vitamin A. Mali 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 2,171,739 with 1,894 deaths.

**Key Challenge**
- 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.

**Previous Key Recommended Actions**

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<td>Optimise quality of care</td>
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<td>Address funding</td>
<td>Ensure that GF resources are allocated to malaria control at a level that is sufficient to sustain the gains made in recent years</td>
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**Key**
- Action achieved
- Some progress
- No progress
- Deliverable not yet due