Scorecard for Accountability and Action

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Progress
Guinea-Bissau has made progress in scaling-up anti-malarial interventions and has banned the import and sale of oral artemisinin-based monotherapies. The country has achieved universal coverage of LLINs. The country has also achieved high coverage of the tracer MNCH interventions of DPT3 and vitamin A coverage and has increased coverage of PMTCT and exclusive breastfeeding. Guinea-Bissau was awarded a 2015 ALMA Award for Excellence in Implementation of Vector Control.

Impact
The annual reported number of malaria cases in 2013 was 132,176 with 418 deaths.

Key Challenge
- Ensuring rapid signature of the Global Fund malaria concept note.

Previous Recommended Actions

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<td>Enact high level policy and strategy change</td>
<td>Improve rule-based governance, quality of budgetary and financial management, efficiency of revenue mobilisation, quality of public administration, and transparency and accountability in the public sector</td>
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Guinea-Bissau has responded positively to the recommended actions addressing low coverage of exclusive breastfeeding, and the policy on Community Case Management of pneumonia. The country has also responded on the recommended actions on the lack of data on postnatal care and Community Case Management of malaria, and continues to track progress as these actions are implemented.