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Liberia ALMA Quarterly Report  
Quarter Four, 2015

Progress
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Liberia has achieved good coverage in the tracer MNCH indicators of postnatal care and has recently increased coverage of vitamin A. Liberia has achieved MDG4 by reducing under-five child mortality by over two-thirds since 1990. Liberia has significantly enhanced the tracking and accountability mechanisms with the development and launch of the Reproductive, Maternal, Newborn and Child Health Scorecard.

Impact
The annual reported number of malaria cases in 2014 was 1,066,107 with 2,288 deaths. WHO, through modeling, projects that Liberia has achieved a 50%-75% decrease in malaria incidence between 2000 and 2015.

Key Challenge
- Ensuring the coverage of essential health services following the ebola outbreak.

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Key
- Action achieved
- Some progress
- No progress
- Deliverable not yet due

¹ MNCH metrics, recommended actions and response tracked through WHO MCA/iERG