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Quarter Two, 2016

Malaria

Progress
Guinea-Bissau has made progress in scaling-up antimalarial interventions and secured sufficient resources to sustain coverage of ACTs, RDTs and LLINs in 2016. The country has distributed sufficient LLINs to achieve operational universal coverage.

Impact
The annual reported number of malaria cases in 2014 was 98,952 with 357 deaths. WHO, through modeling, projects that the country will achieve greater than 75% reduction in malaria incidence for the period between 2000 and 2015.

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<td>Provide an update to WHO on mosquito insecticide resistance status, carry out insecticide resistance testing and develop and implement a national insecticide resistance monitoring and management plan</td>
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<td>Optimise quality of care</td>
<td>Scale up iCCM implementation country wide</td>
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<td>Guinea-Bissau is scaling up iCCM with support from partners including UNICEF, PMI and the Global Fund. Training in iCCM is rolling out to over 4,000 CHWs, including refresher training. These CHWs will be equipped with RDTs, ACTs, thermometers, antibiotics, ORS and zinc</td>
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MNCH

Progress
The country has also achieved high coverage of the tracer MNCH interventions of DPT3 and vitamin A coverage.

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¹ MNCH metrics, recommended actions and response tracked through WHO MCA
Key
- Action achieved
- Some progress
- No progress
- Deliverable not yet due