South Sudan ALMA Quarterly Report Quarter Two, 2019



Scorecard for Accountability and Action



Commodities Financed and Financial Control	
LLIN financing 2019 projection (% of need)	100
Public sector RDT financing 2019 projection (% of need)	85
Public sector ACT financing 2019 projection (% of need)	89
World Bank rating on public sector management and institutions 2017 (CPIA Cluster D)	1.4

Insecticide Resistance Monitoring, Implementation and Impact

Insecticide classes with mosquito resistance in representative sentinel sites confirmed since 2010		
Insecticide resistance monitored since 2015 and data reported to WHO		
National Insecticide Resistance Monitoring and Management Plan		
Scale of Implementation of iCCM (2017)		
Operational LLINIRS coverage (% of at risk population)	•	60
Change in Estimated Malaria Incidence(2010-2017)		
Change in Estimated Malaria Mortality rate(2010–2017)		
Tracer Indicators for Maternal and Child Health and	NTDs	1
Mass Treatment Coverage for Neglected Tropical		

Mass Treatment Coverage for Neglected Tropical Disease (NTD index, %)(2017)		- 1
Estimated % of Total Population living with HIV who have access to antiretroviral therapy (2018)		16
Estimated % of children (0–14 years old) living with HIV who have access to antiretroviral therapy (2018)		9
% deliveries assisted by skilled birth attendant		19
Postnatal care (within 48 hrs)		
Exclusive breastfeeding (% children < 6 months)		45
Vitamin A Coverage 2017 (2 doses)	۲	51
DPT3 coverage 2017 (vaccination among 0-11 month olds)		26

Key



Target achieved or on track Progress but more effort required Not on track No data Not applicable



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Malaria

Progress

The country secured most of the resources to achieve universal coverage of LLINs, RDTs and ACTs in 2018. The country has also distributed sufficient LLINs to achieve universal operational coverage. South Sudan has recently completed the insecticide resistance monitoring and management plan.

Impact

The annual reported number of malaria cases in 2017 was 3,602,208 and 3,483 deaths.

Key Challenge

• The lack of resources in the GF malaria allocation compared to previous allocations.

Previous Key Recommended Action

South Sudan has responded positively to the recommended action on insecticide resistance monitoring.

New Key Recommended Action

Objective	Action Item	Suggested completion timeframe
Vector Control	Address falling vector control coverage	Q4 2019

RMNCAH and NTDs

Progress in addressing Neglected Tropical Diseases (NTDs) in South Sudan is measured using a composite index calculated from preventive chemotherapy coverage achieved for lymphatic filariasis, onchocerciasis, schistosomiasis, soil transmitted helminths and trachoma. Preventive chemotherapy coverage in South Sudan is 15% for onchocerciasis, 7% for lymphatic filariasis, 5% for trachoma, 0% for schistosomiasis and 0% for soil transmitted Helminths. Overall, the NTD preventive chemotherapy coverage index for South Sudan in 2017 is 1, which represents a slight decrease compared with the 2016 index value (3).

Previous Key Recommended Actions

South Sudan has responded positively to the recommended actions addressing low coverage of skilled birth attendants and DPT3, and the lack of data for postnatal care. The country continues to track progress as these actions are implemented. The country has recently increased coverage of DPT3.

New Key Recommended Action

Objective	Action Item	Suggested completion timeframe
RMNCAH ¹ : Optimise	Investigate and address the reasons for the low coverage of vitamin A	Q2 2020
quality of care	coverage of vitamin A	

¹ RMNCAH metrics, recommended actions and response tracked through WHO