South Sudan ALMA Quarterly Report Quarter Three, 2019



Scorecard for Accountability and Action



Metrics

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LLIN financing 2019 projection (% of need)		100
Public sector RDT financing 2019 projection (% of need)	T	66
Public sector ACT financing 2019 projection (% of need)	•	100
World Bank rating on public sector management and institutions 2018 (CPIA Cluster D)		1.4

Insecticide Resistance Monitoring, Implementation and Impact

Insecticide classes with mosquito resistance in representative sentinel sites confirmed since 2010	300		
Insecticide resistance monitored since 2015 and data reported to WHO			
National Insecticide Resistance Monitoring and Management Plan			
Scale of Implementation of ICCM (2017)			
Operational LLIN/IRS coverage (% of at risk population)			81
Change in Estimated Malaria Incidence(2010-2017)			
Change in Estimated Malaria Mortality rate(2010–2017)			
Tracer Indicators for Maternal and Child Health and I	NTE)s	

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)	51
DPT3 coverage 2018 (vaccination among 0-11 month olds)	49

Key



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



Malaria transmission in South Sudan is generally perennial, with moderate to high intensity. The annual reported number of malaria cases in 2017 was 3,602,208 and 3,483 deaths

Malaria

Progress

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

Impact

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Key Challenge

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

Objective	Action Item	Suggested completion timeframe	Progress	Comments - key activities/accomplishmen ts since last quarterly report
Vector Control	Address falling vector control coverage	Q4 2019		Approximately 1.7 million LLINs were delivered to the country in the last quarter
Enact high level policy and strategy change	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	Q3 2013		No progress reported

Previous Key Recommended Action

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

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 Action

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RMNCAH ¹ : Optimise quality of care	Investigate and address the reasons for the low coverage of vitamin A	Q2 2020		South Sudan provides Vitamin A mainly through campaigns and has been working to enhance coverage. In May 2019, a national vitamin A coverage of 94% was reported with the second round planned in November 2019

¹ RMNCAH metrics, recommended actions and response tracked through WHO

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.

Key

