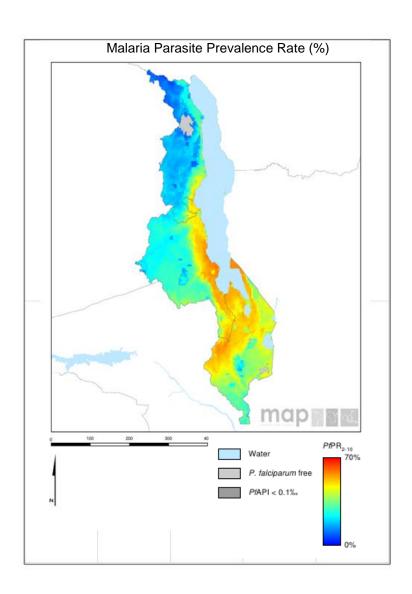
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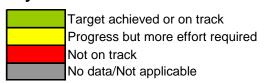
## **Scorecard for Accountability and Action**



Policy and Financial Control	
Oral Artemisinin Based Monotherapy Ban status (2015)	
Community case management (Pneumonia)(2015)	
Community case management (Malaria)(2015)	
World Bank rating on public sector mgmt and institutions 2013 (CPIA Cluster D)	3
Commodities Financed, Implementation and Malaria In	npact
LLIN financing 2015 projection (% of need)	10
Public sector RDT financing 2015 projection (% of need)	10
Public sector ACT financing 2015 projection (% of need)	10
Operational LLIN/IRS coverage (% of at risk population)	10
On track in 2013 to Reduce Malaria Incidence by >75% by 2015 (vs 2000)	
Tracer Indicators for Maternal and Child Health	
PMTCT coverage 2013 (% pregnant HIV pts receiving ARVs)	7
% deliveries assisted by skilled birth attendant	8
Exclusive breastfeeding (% children < 6 months)	7
Vitamin A Coverage 2012 (2 doses)	6
DPT3 coverage 2012 (vaccination among 12-23 month olds)	9
Postnatal care (within 48 hrs)	7

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## Key



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#### **Progress**

Malawi has made good progress in scaling-up malaria control interventions. The country has made policy changes including the introduction of policies on Community Case Management of malaria and pneumonia. Malawi has also banned oral artemisinin-based monotherapies. The malaria commodities required to achieve and sustain universal coverage in 2015 are financed. High coverage has been obtained for the tracer MNCH interventions, including DPT3 vaccination, skilled birth attendance, exclusive breastfeeding, postnatal care, and PMTCT coverage. Malawi has achieved MDG4 by reducing under-five child mortality by over two-thirds since 1990. Malawi 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 2013 was 3,906,838 with 3,723 deaths.

## Key Challenge

• Increases in malaria cases reported in 2014.

**Previous Key Recommended Action** 

Objective	Action Item	Suggested completion timeframe	Progress	Comments - key activities/accomplishments since last quarterly report
Address funding	Ensure the GF New Funding Model concept note is submitted by Q4 2014 and ensure that resources are allocated to malaria control at a level that is sufficient to sustain the gains made in recent years	Q4 2014		Malawi submitted the GF New Funding Model concept note in January 2015

**New Key Recommended Action** 

Objective	Action Item	Suggested completion timeframe
Optimise	Investigate reasons for the increasing number of malaria cases in	Q4 2015
quality of care	2014	

