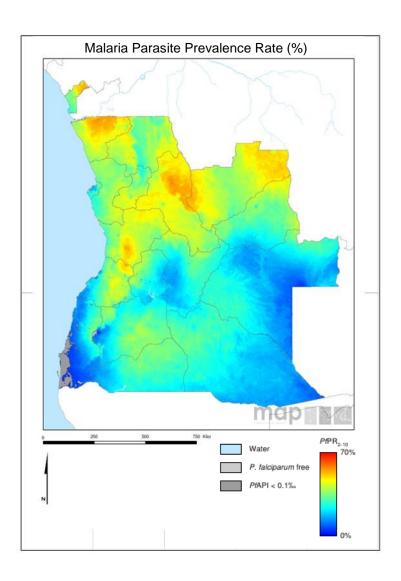
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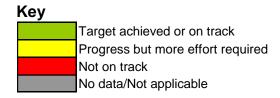


Scorecard for Accountability and Action



Metrics **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 2014 (CPIA Cluster D) Commodities Financed, Implementation and Malaria Impact LLIN financing 2015 projection (% of need) 89 Public sector RDT financing 2015 projection (% of 80 Public sector ACT financing 2015 projection (% of 92 need) Operational LLIN/IRS coverage (% of at risk 53 population) On track in 2013 to Reduce Malaria Incidence by >75% by 2015 (vs 2000) Tracer Indicators for Maternal and Child Health PMTCT coverage 2014 (% pregnant HIV pts 45 receiving ARVs) 49 % deliveries assisted by skilled birth attendant Exclusive breastfeeding (% children < 6 months) 11 Vitamin A Coverage 2012 (2 doses) 44 DPT3 coverage 2013 (vaccination among 12-23 month olds) Postnatal care (within 48 hrs)

The entire population of Angola is at risk of malaria. The annual reported number of suspected malaria cases in 2013 was 3,144,100 with 7,300 deaths.



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Progress

Angola has declared the intention to ban oral artemisinin-based monotherapies. The country plans to pilot integrated Community Case Management in three provinces from next year, including use of ACTs and antibiotics at community level. Angola has reprogrammed and re-prioritised its resources, filling the majority of the malaria commodity gaps previously identified. The country has recently increased coverage of the tracer MNCH intervention, PMTCT.

Impact

The country reported 3,144,100 malaria cases with 7,300 malaria deaths in 2013. The number of malaria cases and deaths increased from 1,496,834 cases and 5,736 deaths in 2012.

Key Challenge

 The lack of new resources allocated to malaria control jeopardises the country's ability to sustain the gains made in the fight against malaria.

Previous Key Recommended Actions

Objective	Action Item	Suggested completion timeframe	Progress	Comments - key activities/accomplishments since last quarterly report
Enact high level policy and strategy change	Finalise policy on Community Case Management of malaria and pneumonia	Q1 2014		Angola is planning to pilot the roll out of integrated Community Case Management in three provinces through the Global Fund New Funding Model Concept Note
Optimise quality of care	Address the decreasing coverage of vector control	Q4 2015		Deliverable not yet due but the country reports that 4.1 million LLINs are financed for delivery in 2015
Address funding	Work to ensure that resources are allocated to malaria control at a level that is sufficient to ensure universal coverage of key interventions, including through enhanced domestic resource commitments	Q2 2016		Angola has significantly reprogrammed malaria resources and reprioritised key interventions to fill key commodity gaps

Angola has responded positively to the recommended actions addressing low coverage of PMTCT and coverage of this intervention has recently increased. The country has also responded positively to the recommended action on exclusive breastfeeding and continues to track progress as these actions are implemented.

