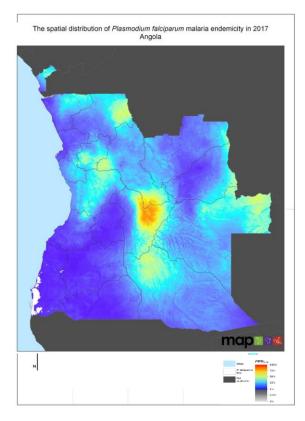
Angola ALMA Quarterly Report Quarter Three, 2023



Scorecard for Accountability and Action

Metrics



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Commodities Financed		
LLIN financing 2023 projection (% of need)		71
Public sector RDT financing 2023 projection (% of need)		51
Public sector ACT financing 2023 projection (% of need)		36
Policy		
Signed, ratified and deposited the AMA instrument at the AUC		
Malaria activities targeting refugees in Malaria Strategic Plan		
Malaria activities targeting IDPs in Malaria Strategic Plan		
Zero Malaria Starts With Me Launched		
End Malaria Council and Fund Launched		
Resistance Monitoring, Implementation and Impact		
Drug Resistance Monitoring Conducted (2018-2020) and data reported to WHO		
Insecticide classes with mosquito resistance in representative sentinel sites confirmed since 2010		3
Insecticide resistance monitored since 2015 and data reported to WHO		
National Insecticide Resistance Monitoring and Management Plan		
RDTs in stock (>6 months stock)		
ACTs in stock (>6 months stock)		
LLIN/IRS campaign on track	•	
Operational LLIN/IRS coverage (% of at risk population)	•	56
On track to reduce case incidence by ≥40% by 2021 (vs 2015)		
On track to reduce case mortality by ≥40% by 2021 (vs 2015)		
Tracer Indicators for Maternal and Child Health, NTDs an	d C	ovid 19
Scale of Implementation of iCCM		
Mass Treatment Coverage for Neglected Tropical Disease (NTD index, %)(2021)		2
Estimated % of children (0–14 years old) living with HIV who have access to antiretroviral therapy (2022)		22
Vitamin A Coverage 2022 (2 doses)		
DPT3 coverage 2022 (vaccination among 0-11 month		42

Key

The entire population of Angola is at risk of malaria. The annual reported number of suspected malaria cases in 2021 was 9,169,267 with 13,676 deaths.



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



Malaria

Progress

The country continues to work on strengthening and maintaining health services following the devastating impact of the COVID-19 pandemic. The country has submitted drug and insecticide resistance data to WHO. In line with the legacy agenda of the ALMA chair, His Excellency President Uhuru Kenyatta, Angola has enhanced the tracking and accountability mechanisms for malaria with the development of a Malaria Control Scorecard. This has recently been updated, with new indicators added. The country should consider establishing an End Malaria Council and Fund.

Impact

The annual reported number of suspected malaria cases in 2021 was 9,169,267 with 13,676 deaths.

Key Challenge

- There is a need to strengthen cross border collaboration with neighbouring countries.
- Serious funding gaps to sustain essential life-saving malaria services

Objective	Action Item	Suggested completion timeframe	Progress	Comments - key activities/accomplishments since last quarterly report
Policy	Sign, ratify and deposit the AMA instrument at the AUC	Q1 2023		No progress reported
Resource Mobilisation	Work to ensure the Global Fund co- financing requirements are met	Q3 2023		
Impact	Investigate and address the reasons for the increase in estimated malaria incidence and mortality between 2015 and 2021	Q4 2023		The country is working to address the underlying reasons for the increase in malaria cases. Inadequate vector control coverage, lack of domestic and donor funding, delayed vector control campaigns and insecticide resistance all contributed to the increased cases. The country carried out the mid-term review with plans for the new strategy to address the causes of underperformance. Additional resources are required to allow the planned scale up of additional interventions

Previous Key Recommended Actions

The country has responded positively to finalising the policy on Community Case Management of malaria and pneumonia and continues to track progress as these actions are implemented.

New Key Recommended Action

Objective	Action Item	Suggested completion timeframe
Impact	Work to address low coverage of vector control	Q4 2024

RMNCAH and NTDs

Progress

Progress in addressing Neglected Tropical Diseases (NTDs) in Angola is demonstrated using a composite index calculated from preventive chemotherapy coverage achieved for lymphatic filariasis, onchocerciasis, schistosomiasis and soil transmitted helminths. Preventive chemotherapy coverage for trachoma is not reported (0%). However, coverage is zero (0%) for lymphatic filariasis and for onchocerciasis; low for soil transmitted helminths (28%) and for schistosomiasis is 61%. Overall, the NTD preventive chemotherapy coverage index for Angola in 2021 is low (2) and this represents a substantial decrease compared with the 2020 index value (19).

Previous Key Recommended Actions

The country has responded to the Key Recommended action on NTDs and is working to address performance.

Key
Action achieved
Some progress
No progress
Deliverable not yet due