# **AMP** The Alliance for Malaria Prevention

Expanding the ownership and use of mosquito nets

# <u>Situation report – Pakistan</u>

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# **Background:**

Directorate of Malaria Control (DMC), Pakistan has been distributing LLINs to achieve universal coverage in highest endemic districts (API>10) through the support of The Global Fund. Since 2015, Pakistan has been distributing nets through periodic mass campaigns, while there has been simultaneous continuous distribution of LLINs through antenatal services (ANC), which aims to promote antenatal visits in targeted districts. As per Pakistan's National Malaria Strategy 2015-2020, DMC seeks to increase access to LLINs to 80% among people living in high-risk malaria areas. In 2018, The Global Fund NFR (Malaria) Grant, Pakistan, will distribute approximately 3.1 million LLINs in 12 high malaria burden districts through a mass LLINs distribution Campaign.

**Priorities of the TA mission:** Work with DMC and Indus Hospital on revision of logistics plan and strategy, accounting for recommendations from CMA; preparation of logistics timeline and budget; preparation of microplanning package;

### Meetings:

• Follow on meeting with World Food Program, DMC and TIH teams. The meeting followed requests by the Global Fund Country team to support the WFP in further addressing technical gaps observed in their earlier proposal to implement the mass campaign.

## **Activities accomplished:**

- Logistics Sub Committee members were finalised to include members drawn from DMC, TIH, WFP and the Pakistan Red Crescent Society who are potential sub-contractor to WFP in the proposed contract of the mass campaign
- Terms of reference were communicated but this will further be reviewed once the WFP has won the bid as implementing partner of the campaign.
- Worked with DMC logistics focal point and other members of Logistics Sub-Committee to review Pakistan's Inventory Management tools to address inventory management gaps as observed during the CMA.

- Implementation of a 3-day orientation/development to generate first draft of Logistics Plan of Action for Pakistan/Training of LSC members on the AMP logistics tools, finalizing timelines for logistics activities and a budget template for logistics activities.
- Validation of the macro quantification template using the current population of the targeted districts has been ongoing

# Week ahead

- Distance support to finalise draft LPoA
- Finalisation of microplanning templates