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Agenda – April 10th AMP conference call

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Rapporteur : Melanie Caruso

- Introductions
- Review of minutes from last week's AMP conference call
- Country Updates
- Working Group Updates
- AOB

Next conference call: Wednesday, April 17th, 2019 10:00 EST, 14:00 GMT / UTC, 16:00 CET

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General updates:

AMP working group updates:

Country support working group:

Chair: Marcy Erskine IFRC – marcy.erskine@ifrc.org

Current AMP TA missions :

Country	Type of technical support requested from AMP	Partner / Funding source	Mission dates
Benin	Implementation	CRS	April 2019
Sierra Leone	Implementation, Logistics, SBCC	CRSPC	March-April 2019

Planned AMP TA missions 2019:

Country	Type of technical support requested from AMP	Partner / Funding source	Mission dates
Nigeria	Implementation	CRS	Continuous 2019
Benin	Implementation	CRSPC	April 2019
Madagascar	Post-campaign	USAID PMI	June 2019
Sierra Leone	Implementation, Communications	CRSPC	March – April 2019
Gambia	Logistics	CRSPC	TBC

Cameroun	Implementation and Logistics	NMCP	Continuous 2019
Congo Brazzaville	Implementation and Logistics	AMP	April 2019
Burkina Faso	Implementation, Communications and Logistics	AMP	Continuous 2019
CAR	Implementation and Logistics	World Vision	Continuous 2019
Sudan	Implementation	CRSPC	May 2019
Senegal	Implementation and Logistics	CRSPC	Continuous 2019
South Sudan	Implementation	CRSPC	TBD 2019
Burundi	Communications	CRSPC UNDP	February/March 2019 Continuous
Ethiopia	TBD	TBD	TBD
Yemen	SBCC	CRSPC	TBD
Mali	Implementation and Logistics	TBD	TBD
Chad	Implementation, Communications and Logistics	CRSPC UNDP	April 2019 Continuous
Djibouti	SBCC	CRSPC	April 2019
Zambia	TBD	TBD	TBD

Completed AMP TA support (distance and in-country) in 2019:

Country	Type of technical support requested from AMP	Partner / Funding source	Mission dates
Burkina Faso	Logistics	CRSPC	January-February 2019
	SBCC/Next Gen nets	CRSPC	February 2019
	SBCC/Next Gen nets	PSI	February 2019
Burundi	SBCC/Next Gen nets	PSI	February 2019
	Implementation	CRSPC	March 2019
Cameroun	Logistics	CRSPC	March 2019
	Implementation	PNLP	January-February 2019
CAR	Logistics	PNLP	February-March 2019
	Implementation	World Vision	January 2019
Guinea	Logistics	CRSPC	February-March 2019
Madagascar	Implementation	USAID PMI	March 2019
	Logistics	USAID PMI	March 2019
Malawi	Post-campaign lessons learned	USAID PMI	January-February 2019

Mali	Logistics	CRSPC	March-April 2019
Mozambique	Implementation Logistics SBCC	CRSPC	February 2019
Nigeria	Implementation Implementation	CRS CRS	January 2019 March-April 2019
Pakistan	Implementation Logistics	CRSPC	January 2019 January 2019
Senegal	Logistics Implementation	CRSPC CRSPC	January-February 2019 March 2019
Sudan	SBCC	CRSPC	March 2019
Uganda	Logistics	CRSPC	January 2019
Total # of countries supported by AMP in 2019 (in-country):		14	

Emerging issues working group:

Co-chairs: **Joe Lewinski** – PSI (jlewinski@psi.org) and **Jessica Rockwood** – IPHA (jrockwood@iphadvisors.com)

- Next call to be organised 24th April on the hour before the AMP weekly call (09.00 am EST – 3.00 pm CET) – agenda to follow
- Container storage: finalised the document and sent to main partners to ensure that they are on board with the document and recommendations before they are sent to countries.

Monitoring, Operational Research, and Evaluation (MORE) working group:

Co-chairs: **(Anna Bowen - CDC/PMI aqb0@cdc.gov; Godwin Aidenagbon – Chemonics gaidenagbon@ghsc-psm.org)**

- Next call to be scheduled soon to discuss 2019 priorities identified in the poll that was conducted
- The proposed priorities are listed below for your reference.

	PROPOSED PRIORITY	QUESTIONS
1	ITN quantification during campaigns	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What data already exist to guide macro quantification, and how can we use them/justify their use? • Possibly assess variability in discrepancies between macro/micro/enumeration numbers across campaigns to try to estimate correction factors early on, etc.)
2	Household registration during campaigns	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are there better ways to plan and implement household registration to limit under- and over-allocation? • Where more data is being collected during registration, is it helping with ensuring proper ITN allocation? • Develop and evaluate guidance on monitoring and improving quality during registration

3	ITN allocation methods during campaigns. The objective is to highlight best practice with LLIN allocation methods	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review/revisit unanswered questions, including prioritization when insufficient ITNs are available, or counting people or sleeping spaces in the context of supplementary nets in households
4	ITN preferences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What data on ITN preferences already exist to guide macroplanning, and how can we make this accessible? How does preference influence procurement? What needs to be considered when deciding whether to order ITNs based on local preferences?
5	Waste management during ITN campaigns	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify existing guidance on waste management Identify gaps in existing guidance; evaluate possible management strategies; provide guidance on planning and costing
6	Post-distribution M&E	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Timing and location of surveys Option for assessing ownership and use Estimating cost/benefit of surveys

Net mapping project working group:

Chair: John Milliner – Milliner Global Associates jemilliner@gmail.com

- Q1 2019 report will be issued in the next week

Toolkit and Training working group:

Chair: Marcy Erskine IFRC – marcy.erskine@ifrc.org

- Coordination group to support the new nets project has been created, linking different partners around technical recommendations coming out of the first calls - we need some initial high level guidance around distribution of new nets and multi product campaigns which will be drafted by this group.

Resource Mobilization working group:

Jason Peat – IFRC jason.peat@ifrc.org, Drake Zimmerman – Rotarians Action Group on Malaria drakezim@gmail.com and Jessica Rockwood – IPHA jrockwood@iphadvisors.com

- One pager requesting support for the AMP Deputy Position as well as the full 2019 AMP proposal for those partners who are interested have been shared
- If you have any questions on the Deputy Position and possibilities for support please contact one of AMP's Resource Mobilization Working Group members:
- Jessica Rockwood: jrockwood@iphadvisors.com
- Drake Zimmerman: drakezim@gmail.com
- David Gittelman: david@dmgglobalhealth.com
- Jason Peat: jason.peat@ifrc.org
- 25% funded by Rotarian Malaria Partners and matched by Gates is already secured

AMP 'ACTIVE COUNTRIES'

Countries where AMP is currently providing technical assistance via in-country missions or distance support.

AMP 'Active Countries' updates provided on April 10th AMP call: Benin, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroun, CAR, Chad, Congo Brazzaville, Gambia, Madagascar, Mali, Mozambique, Nigeria, Pakistan, Sierra Leone, Sudan, Tanzania, Togo

Angola:

Population at risk of malaria in Angola :							
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Totals							

Ongoing issues:

- Report from the last phase of the campaign in Angola available

Benin:

Population at risk of malaria in Benin							
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Update on April 10th AMP conference call:

- AMP TA mission has started on macroplanning and plan of action
- Weekly sitrep attached to the minutes of this week's call
- In 2017, Benin organized a mass campaign and the next one is programmed for 2020 (March-April)
- Some discussions on how to improve the mass distribution campaign of LLINs, on the quantification and specifications of LLINs have already taken place
- LLINs and PBOs are both planned.
- Two workshops are scheduled during the two weeks of the consultant's mission and both focusing on the macroplanning
- The first workshop will focus on:

- Review and update of the campaign protocol;
 - Review and update the logistics plan;
 - Review and update of the communication plan;
 - Review and update of the monitoring and evaluation plan;
 - Quantification of human resources and tools
 - The budget.
- The second workshop will focus on the review of campaign tools.
 - Benin is keen to introduce the use of technology (smartphone or PDA ...) when counting households and when distributing LLINs.
 - Benin also wants to sub-contract some aspects of the campaign such as HH registration to improve the quality of the campaign, but all this is still under discussion.
 - The country no longer wants to conduct campaigns in phases.

Burkina Faso:

Population at risk of malaria in Burkina Faso							
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Update on April 10th AMP conference call:

- Meeting to agree on dates was held – there is a one month gap between phase 1 and 2 when IG2 nets go out.
- Waiting to see if delivery of materials will be done on time to meet the deadline
- Launch date on June 14th in Bobo. Distribution for phase 1 to take place between 14th to 18th June, then the next phase is one month later.

Burundi:

Population at risk of malaria in Burundi :							
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Update on April 10th AMP conference call:

- Burundi is planning distribution in 2020 of 6,978,428 nets to 12 million people (including 12% allowed buffer)
- UNDP is the GF PR in charge of managing the grant,
- NMCP (SR) is in charge of overall campaign implementation, and,
- Caritas (SR) is in charge of training and implementation at community level,
- UNDP has confirmed with the UNICEF procurement unit in Copenhagen a purchase of 6,531,828 nets financed by the GF. Of these 553,266 are PBO nets,
- PMI will provide 446,600 nets for the campaign and UNICEF another 153,000 LLINs.
- Following the initial AMP TA missions earlier in March, the Burundi NMCP and the national coordination committee have requested for support for the development of a communication plan for the 2020 LLIN mass campaign
- CRSPC has been working to put in place the TA to start end of April
- All further support from then on will need to be budgeted in the Global Fund grant through UNDP

Cameroun:

Population at risk of malaria in Cameroun :							
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Update on April 10th AMP conference call:

- DawaPlus nets to be sampled and then shipped, while testing is undertaken (not after testing). We are waiting for updated information on shipment/expected arrival dates.
- Meeting called by MOH last Thursday, with Secretary of State
- Further review of the timing of the campaign was recommended, including potential options to include between two cycles of SMC or be conducted in October (HH registration) and November (distribution) after peak malaria transmission season
- NMCP workshop this week in Mbalmayo for the NMCP Annual Review and Planning meeting: 2 VectorLink staff are present (COP and LLIN campaign manager) and will review the pros/cons of the potential options with NMCP team and partners present

- WFP and NMCP are looking at modalities to get nets moving for phase 1

Central African Republic (CAR):

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Update on April 10th AMP conference call:

- TA for 2019 targeting regions 1, 2 and 3 – working on putting TA in via GF PR/IFRC mechanism with a focus on microplanning – the AMP consultant will travel next week to Bangui
- Same regions covered in 2014-2015 – areas are relatively calm with pockets of insecurity.

Chad:

Population at risk of malaria in Chad :							
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Totals							

Update on April 10th AMP conference call:

- Q2 2020 campaign planning has started
- Initial TA being moved now through CRSPC to support macroplanning

- Support to overall campaign implementation, logistics and communication, and also sending the logistician from the Togolese NMCP to be mentored by AMP during the support mission to Chad.

Congo Brazzaville:

Population at risk of malaria in Congo Brazzaville:							
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Update on April 10th AMP conference call:

- Official request sent to AMP for additional support in 2019 by PNLP – they want support but don't know when - Can't fix a date for TA until they have clarity from the GF on disbursements.

Côte d'Ivoire:

Population at risk of malaria in Côte d'Ivoire :							
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Ongoing issues:

- AMP has been contacted by CIV who will be looking for support this year (from GF)
- Timeline for campaign: Global Fund has missions there this week. Need to look at support needed for macroplanning
- Traditionally campaigns have run smoothly with no external support

DRC:

Population at risk of malaria in DRC :							
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Ongoing issues:

- Start of AMF programme is getting close
- First nets have arrived for Equateur (1.5 million)
- Other 1.9 million nets being manufactured will be on their way shortly for Sud Ubangi
- Planning is going well - AMF was in Kinshasa lately with the organising groups.
- Might extend to more nets as programme is growing
- Global Fund providing operational costs and AMF all the nets for the campaigns in 2 provinces
- Providing 3.4 million nets to 2 provinces (Equateur and Sud Ubangi – very rural and high level of insecticide resistance - half the nets will be PBO nets in Sud Ubangi)
- AMF to support further 3 provinces with more nets to be made available if planning for the first 2 goes well.
- Registration for half the nets will be done by RMA electronically - Other half will be done on paper as electronic infrastructure not in place in some areas.
- AMF met with PMI this morning – discussing resistance issues - interest from academics and donors on the subject
- PBO nets: 930'000 PBOs for Sud Ubangi - Represents half of the need. Will give insight into effect of PBOs and possibility of some research to be done.
- Sud Ubangi distribution currently planned for the fourth week of August
- Equateur distribution currently planned for early August

Ethiopia:

Population at risk of malaria in Ethiopia:							
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Ongoing issues:

- Planning to meet with the country team at the AMP regional training in Nairobi to go over questions still pending to prepare campaign guidelines.

Gambia/Senegal:

Population at risk of malaria in Gambia:							
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Update on April 10th AMP conference call:

- Launching cross border campaign soon at the end of April
- Lots of ongoing planning for HH registration happening now
- Update from NMCP and CRS team to discuss the cross-border campaign, satellite mapping etc on a future call to be scheduled
- Rotary Club of Banjul is supporting the bed net distribution. Been coordinating with NMCP and will be rolling out campaign very soon. Use as a model for cooperation in other countries in West Africa.

Guinea

Population at risk of malaria in Guinea :							
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Ongoing issues:

- Guinea's last mass distribution campaign was in 2016. To sustain the gains achieved in the past, the Ministry of Health will implement nationwide in 2019 a mass LLIN replacement campaign to distribute LLINs in 8 regions, covering all of the country's 38 districts for an estimated population of 13 236 234 based on a projection from the 2014 census (using a 2,3% annual increase).
- LLIN quantification was established dividing the population by 1,8 to provide 1 net for every 2 people (allows rounding up for households with uneven population) and adding 20 % as a buffer stock.
- Guinea needs to procure 8,825,000 LLINs for the 2019 campaign.
- Different partners are supporting LLIN supply for the campaign as follows:
 - Against Malaria Foundation 4,500,000 LLINs (1,000,000 to be confirmed for Phase 2),
 - Global Fund 1,884,500 LLINs,
 - PMI 871,218 LLINs,
 - OMVS 600,000 LLINs, (Organisation for development of the Senegal river basin)
 - and the Guinea government would supply the 837,000 LLIN gap for Conakry
- It was decided to diminish plastic waste by choosing to have nets without individual bags thus nets in bulk packaging conditioned in bales of 50 LLINs will be procured. They are scheduled for delivery in country in time for the distribution in 3 phases.
- Mission Objectives:
 - o Provide technical advice related to mass campaign implementation to the Guinea national malaria control programme (NMCP) and partners with a particular focus on household registration, coupon allocation to beneficiaries and monitoring according to the campaign plan of action.
 - o Identify obstacles and bottlenecks which could affect household registration and propose solutions to assure a smooth operation and validation of results
- Catholic Relief Services (CRS) as the Global Fund principal recipient (PR) and RTI-Stop Palu for PMI are implementing partners in support of the Guinea NMCP for the 2019 LLIN distribution campaign.

Liberia:

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Ongoing issues:

- Agenda sent for post campaign meeting and lessons learned – require AMP participation
- Dates for meeting not set yet but to be set after they receive their post campaign results
- Mayn challenges to be addressed before planning commences for their next campaign

Madagascar:

Population at risk of malaria in Madagascar :							
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Social Marketing							
Totals							

Update on April 10th AMP conference call:

- Next in-country mission likely to be in June for the post campaign lessons learned workshop and develop recommendations for 2021 campaign
- AMP finished developing reporting template for final report
- Validation of data is underway now. Will take 30 days to complete.

Malawi:

Population at risk of malaria in Malawi:							
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Ongoing issues:

- Malawi distributed 10, 957,058 LLINs at national level, covering all 29 districts from 24th September to 20th November 2018 targeting a total population of 17,931,638

Mali:

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Update on April 10th AMP conference call:

- Mission completed - weekly sitrep attached to the minutes of this week's call.
- LLIN distribution approaches in Mali are though routine and mass campaign.
- In Mali, the campaign takes place from one region to another according to the availability of resources with a period of 3 years between the campaigns of the same region. Thus, as part of the implementation of the malaria grant 2019-2021, the National Coordinating Committee of the campaign intends to cover in 2019 the regions of Timbuktu, Gao, Kidal, Menaka and Taouden
- Activities carried out before the arrival of the consultant include :Estimated LLIN requirements, ordering, receiving and storing LLINs in the northern regions of Bamako, and preparation and invitation to the orientation and consultation workshop with the northern regions for the implementation of the 2019 LLIN campaign.
- Participation by the AMP consultant in the two (02) days workshop organized by the NMCP in collaboration with its partners for orientation and consultation with the northern regions as part of the organization of the 2019 campaign
- Elaboration of the chronogram draft
- Update with the NMCP on the results of the orientation workshop
- Review and finalization of the chronogram of the campaign
- Integration of the amendments proposed by the northern regions to the action plan of the campaign
- Development, review and validation with the PNLP / PSI team of the logistic action plan of the campaign including the macro quantification, positioning plans, transportation and storage of LLINs in warehouses

of health districts, the tools of logistics management and timing of key milestones for logistics operations

- Review and validation of the campaign action plan with the PNLP / PSI team
- Development, review and validation of the risk analysis and mitigation plan with the PNLP / PSI team

Mozambique:

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Update on April 10th AMP conference call:

- <https://www.nytimes.com/2019/04/02/health/mozambique-cyclone-flooding-cholera.html>
- Health authorities are expecting a malaria outbreak in the coming weeks, and 700,000 nets are being shipped in an effort to stem the threat

Nigeria:

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Update on April 10th AMP conference call:

- AMP mission for support to Taraba State (CRS) microplanning is now complete

- Evaluation of microplanning - came back with recommendations at the end of AMP's mission
- AMP TA provider has travelled for one week to Taraba to attend microplanning training, and then 4 days workshop for microplanning at LGA level.
- Request from CRS for support to Yobe support

Pakistan:

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Update on April 10th AMP conference call:

- Microplanning completed
- Nets have arrived and released by customs. Tomorrow they arrive at warehouses
- Campaign starting to roll.

Senegal:

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Ongoing issues:

- See update on Gambia/Senegal above

Sierra Leone:

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Update on April 10th AMP conference call:

- AMP mission ongoing – sitrep attached to the minutes of this week’s call
- The NMCP of Sierra Leone is planning for a LLIN universal distribution campaign in 2020, targeting the total population of the country with approximately 4.6M nets.
- The current technical assistance is provided by AMP through RBM and IFRC on the country’s request for the macro planning of the implementation of the campaign covering strategy and implementation, logistics and social and behavioural change communication (SBCC).
- The TA team has decided to shift the work plan and prioritize the budget due to the pressure on NMCP to place the order for the LLINs, ensuring that all non-net costs are covered.
- Procurement will take place through PPM for GF LLINs and through PSM for PMI LLINs. Once the budget has been finalized, decisions will need to be taken on the funding split and mechanisms for the operational costs.
 - 4,601,418 LLINs to be procured, 2 101 418 by GF and 2 500 000 by PMI
 - LLINs to be procured are all PBO (TBC)
 - Discussions are still going on breakdown of funding responsibilities by activities and districts for funding partners
 - Delivery strategy will be 85% of LLINs to the districts, with the 15% balance being held at two regional warehouses that will respectively serve the northwest and southeast districts of the country following results from the household registration.
 - The work on the budget update is guiding the review of all the main campaign activities, including coordination, microplanning, training, logistics, household registration, LLIN distribution and supervision and monitoring.
 - Logistics plan of action is still being reviewed addressing the new logistics delivery strategy and lessons learn from the previous campaign
 - Quantification complete for human resources needs. An adjustment has been applied to the fastest growing areas of the country in an effort to avoid a large budget discrepancy when microplanning takes place in January 2020.
- Timeline has been finalized and sent to NMCP for final additions and then validation. Key milestones include:

- Microplanning package with information to collect to be sent to DHMT on the second week of November 2019
- Microplanning at district level, including western area rural and urban, is planned for the second week of January 2020
- HHR is planned for 9 days starting on the first week of May 2020 (separation of HHR from LLIN distribution and management of data; decision has been taken to indicate on the voucher the number of the DPs assigned to the HH during the HHR activities)
- Distribution of LLINs in country is planned for the first week of June 2020
- Risk assessment and mitigation table drafted and finalized for inputs from logistics, communication and then finalization by NMCP and the National Task Force
- Budget is in process of finalization – challenge due to doing budget prior to fully defining strategy, which has created a longer budget process (useful, but narrative documents will be developed outside the country as part of post-mission distance support)
- Challenges:
 - Household registration most likely to happen during the period of Ramadan
 - Changes to finance procedures around zero cash to districts will create new bottlenecks (mitigation possible with good planning)
 - New implementation arrangements and roles and responsibilities of different partners need to be defined more clearly
 - Large gap on operational costs – may be able to be covered by DFID

South Sudan:

Population at risk of malaria in South Sudan:							
Required LLINs :							
LLINs imported into the country three years prior to update :							
Distribution channel	Scale of distribution	# LLINs needed per distribution channel	# LLINs available per distribution channel	LLIN gap per distribution channel	Budget gap per distribution channel	Technical assistance requested with date per distribution channel	Date of most recent update
Mass distribution							
ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

Ongoing issues:

- AMP meeting ITN distribution in South Sudan could not be made due to visa issues
- PPT of presentation from Harriet Pasquale- NMCP director for South Sudan is attached to the minutes of this week's call and will be given on a future call

Sudan:

Population at risk of malaria in Sudan:

Required LLINs :							
LLINs imported into the country three years prior to update :							
Distribution channel	Scale of distribution	# LLINs needed per distribution channel	# LLINs available per distribution channel	LLIN gap per distribution channel	Budget gap per distribution channel	Technical assistance requested with date per distribution channel	Date of most recent update
Mass distribution							
ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

Update on April 10th AMP conference call:

- AMP mission and final report and recommendations on SBCC support completed
- Sudan is planning a universal distribution to begin in 2019 in 12 states.
- National programme wants to do a study tour around routine distribution – looking at Ghana for this mission
- Second technical mission around strategy for campaign and routine distribution requested for the start of May and is being organised now with CRSPC – on standby vis-à-vis security

Tanzania:

Population at risk of malaria in Tanzania :							
Required LLINs :							
LLINs imported into the country three years prior to update :							
Distribution channel	Scale of distribution	# LLINs needed per distribution channel	# LLINs available per distribution channel	LLIN gap per distribution channel	Budget gap per distribution channel	Technical assistance requested with date per distribution channel	Date of most recent update
Mass distribution							
ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

Update on April 10th AMP conference call:

- Under Human resourced in the VecvtorWorks team, AMP may need to provide some TA to NMCP on mass campaign.
- Timing of the campaign was supposed to be in June /July 2019 but need to follow up on timelines

Togo:

Population at risk of malaria in Togo :

Required LLINs :							
LLINs imported into the country three years prior to update :							
Distribution channel	Scale of distribution	# LLINs needed per distribution channel	# LLINs available per distribution channel	LLIN gap per distribution channel	Budget gap per distribution channel	Technical assistance requested with date per distribution channel	Date of most recent update
Mass distribution							
Continuous distribution							
ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

Update on April 10th AMP conference call:

- Togo campaign planned in 2020
- Logistician from NMCP is working with AMP. They need capacity building on logistics within NMCP.
- Planning a mission to move the Togo log to Chad to learn and be mentored and build capacity for development of micro plans for Togo. Building capacity through cross country experience.
- Togo request for support for all round implementation and communication has already been made to AMP

Uganda:

Population at risk of malaria in Uganda :							
Required LLINs :							
LLINs imported into the country three years prior to update :							
Distribution channel	Scale of distribution	# LLINs needed per distribution channel	# LLINs available per distribution channel	LLIN gap per distribution channel	Budget gap per distribution channel	Technical assistance requested with date per distribution channel	Date of most recent update
Mass distribution							
ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

Ongoing issues:

- Decisions around implementing partners being taken
- Decisions on quantification ongoing
- Timing for microplanning being discussed

Zambia:

Population at risk of malaria in Zambia :							
Required LLINs :							
LLINs imported into the country three years prior to update :							
Distribution channel	Scale of distribution	# LLINs needed per distribution channel	# LLINs available per distribution channel	LLIN gap per distribution channel	Budget gap per distribution channel	Technical assistance requested with date per distribution channel	Date of most recent update
Mass distribution							
ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

Ongoing issues:

- Discussions on funding of next programme aimed at 2020 have started between GF, PMI, AMF and NMCP
- Looking at net needs from last campaign, looking at urban area population figures, and determining net gap and funding gap.
- Significant shortfall of nets in last campaign was noted

WEST AFRICA REGIONAL NETWORK

WARN countries where update provided listed below. NB: This does not include all WARN countries.

WARN country updates provided on April 10th AMP call: None

Ghana:

Population at risk of malaria in Ghana :							
Required LLINs :							
LLINs imported into the country three years prior to update :							
Distribution channel	Scale of distribution	# LLINs needed per distribution channel	# LLINs available per distribution channel	LLIN gap per distribution channel	Budget gap per distribution channel	Technical assistance requested with date per distribution channel	Date of most recent update
Mass distribution							
ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

Ongoing issues:

Western Region

- Distribution completed. 93% coverage

- Post Distribution Validation and retrieval of tablets for 10th -14th September, 2018

Central Region

- Distribution completed. 92% coverage
- Post Distribution Validation and retrieval of tablets ongoing (27th – 31st August, 2018)

Northern Region

- Distribution completed. 94% coverage
- Post Validation and retrieval of tablets completed.

Upper East

- Pre Distribution validation ongoing (27th – 31st August, 2018)
- Distribution is slated for 18th – 25th September, 2018
- The dates for Post Validation and retrieval of tablets will be confirmed soon

Brong Ahafo

- LLINs to districts ongoing (27th – 31st August, 2018)
- DPA Training scheduled for 3rd - 4th September, 2018
- Distribution is slated for 5th to 11th September, 2018
- The dates for Post Validation and retrieval of tablets will be confirmed soon

Ashanti Region

- Informative and Regional Orientation has been scheduled for 3rd and 4th September, 2018 at the Regional Health Directorate Conference Room (Kindly find detailed schedule attached)

Greater Accra

- Informative and Regional Orientation has been scheduled for 17th September, 2018. (Kindly find detailed schedule attached)

Niger:

Population at risk of malaria in Niger :							
Required LLINs :							
LLINs imported into the country three years prior to update :							
Distribution channel	Scale of distribution	# LLINs needed per distribution channel	# LLINs available per distribution channel	LLIN gap per distribution channel	Budget gap per distribution channel	Technical assistance requested with date per distribution channel	Date of most recent update
Mass distribution							
ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

Ongoing issues:

- VectorLink has worked with MoH and partners to develop national LLIN continuous distribution operational guide. Completed and validated a first draft that is reviewed by PMI and PNLIP.

CENTRAL AFRICA REGIONAL NETWORK (CARN)

CARN countries where update provided listed below. NB: This does not include all CARN countries.

CARN country updates provided on April 10th AMP call: None

EAST AFRICA REGIONAL NETWORK (EARN)

EARN countries where update provided listed below. NB: This does not include all EARN countries.

EARN country updates provided on April 10th AMP call: None

SOUTHERN AFRICA REGIONAL NETWORK (SARN)

SARN countries where update provided listed below. NB: This does not include all SARN countries.

SARN country updates provided on April 10th AMP call: None

Namibia:

Population at risk of malaria in Namibia :							
Required LLINs :							
LLINs imported into the country three years prior to update :							
Distribution channel	Scale of distribution	# LLINs needed per distribution channel	# LLINs available per distribution channel	LLIN gap per distribution channel	Budget gap per distribution channel	Technical assistance requested with date per distribution channel	Date of most recent update
Mass distribution							
ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

Ongoing issues:

- J.C. Flowers Foundation has purchased 26,649 LLINs for distribution in Northern Namibia, in their program areas. They have been hearing for over a year now that most households in the communities they work in lack nets.
- Working closely with the Ministry on this. The nets are currently held up in Walvis Bay but we expect them to arrive at their destination soon and be distributed by field teams by end of August.

ASIA PACIFIC / AMERICAS

Asia Pacific/Americas country updates provided on April 10th AMP call: None

Haiti:

Population at risk of malaria in Haiti :							
Required LLINs :							
LLINs imported into the country three years prior to update :							
Distribution	Scale of	# LLINs	# LLINs	LLIN gap	Budget gap	Technical	Date of

channel	distribution	needed per distribution channel	available per distribution channel	per distribution channel	per distribution channel	assistance requested with date per distribution channel	most recent update
Mass distribution							
ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

Ongoing issues:

- Global Fund team visiting in August and meetings set up to discuss next round of distribution
- Challenges from last campaign discussed and found that security is a main concern going forward
- Not qualified as a COE country but would be interesting to look at how COE document could be supportive going forward in their planning

Yemen:

Population at risk of malaria in Yemen:							
Required LLINs :							
LLINs imported into the country three years prior to update :							
Distribution channel	Scale of distribution	# LLINs needed per distribution channel	# LLINs available per distribution channel	LLIN gap per distribution channel	Budget gap per distribution channel	Technical assistance requested with date per distribution channel	Date of most recent update
Mass distribution							
ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

Ongoing issues: