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Agenda – January 23rd AMP conference call

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

Next conference call: Wednesday, February 6th, 2019 10:00 EST, 14:00 GMT / UTC, 16:00 CET

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General updates:

AMP annual partners' meeting 2019 – SAVE THE DATE:

- 28-29th January 2019: AMP Partners' meeting in Geneva will be held at the Movenpick Hotel.
- Agenda and list of participants circulated with the minutes of this week's call

LLIN Continuous Distribution Process Assessment – Mary Kante PSI (Vector Link project):

- PPT attached to the minutes of this week's call
- The U.S. President's Malaria Initiative (PMI) VectorLink Project will build the capacity of country governments to use epidemiological, entomological, and coverage data to support the optimal deployment of vector control tools within each country context while promoting gender equity in all facets of planning and implementation.
- PMI VectorLink's experience with new and existing vector control tools will inform global malaria best practices, guidelines and policies.
- The project will also implement and support social behavior change communication and mobilization activities to increase acceptance of vector control interventions.
- Working across 24 countries (23 in sub-Saharan Africa and Cambodia)
- In Year One, the PMI VectorLink Project and the National Malaria Control Programs (NMCP) in Niger, Cameroon, and Burkina Faso requested support from PSI to assess routine LLIN distribution.
- Continuous distribution components added
- Conducted between July – September, 2018
- **SCOPE OF WORK**
- Support a **qualitative review** of LLIN continuous distribution
- **Provide information** to the NMCP and the PMI VectorLink team to better understand LLIN continuous distribution processes and strengthen planned and strategic LLIN distribution, based on best practices adapted to context
- **Identify and prioritize improvements** that can bring efficiency gains in LLIN continuous distribution
- **Identify areas of collaboration** and coordination with malaria prevention and LLIN partners
- Next webinar scheduled in March
- There are official MoH cooperation opportunities that emerged from all three countries.

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
Uganda	Logistics	CRSPC	5-28th January 2019
Burkina Faso	Logistics	CRSPC	January-February 2019
Nigeria	Implementation	CRS	January 2019
Cameroun	Implementation	PNLP	January-February 2019
CAR	Logistics	World Vision	8-25 th January 2019
Pakistan	Implementation and Logistics	CRSPC	January 2019
Senegal	Logistics	CRSPC	January-February 2019
Malawi	Implementation	USAID PMI	January-February 2019

Planned AMP TA missions 2019:

Country	Type of technical support requested from AMP	Partner / Funding source	Mission dates
Nigeria	Implementation	CRS	Continuous 2019
Madagascar	Post-campaign	USAID PMI	March 2019
Mozambique	Implementation and Logistics	CRSPC	February - March 2019
Gambia	Logistics	CRSPC	TBC
Cameroun	Implementation and Logistics	NMCP	Continuous 2019
Congo Brazzaville	Implementation and Logistics	AMP	TBC 2019
Burkina Faso	Implementation, Communications and Logistics	AMP	Continuous 2019
CAR	Implementation and Logistics	World Vision	TBD 2019
Sudan	TBD	TBD	TBD 2019
South Sudan	Implementation	CRSPC	TBD 2019
Burundi	TBD	TBD	February/March 2019

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

Country	Type of technical support requested from AMP	Partner / Funding source	Mission dates
Total # of countries supported by AMP in 2019 (in-country):		0	

Emerging issues working group:

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

- No update

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

Co-chairs: (Anna Bowen - CDC/PMI aqb0@cdc.gov and Elizabeth Ivanovich UNF - eivanovich@unfoundation.org)

- No update

Net mapping project working group:

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

- No update

Toolkit and Training working group:

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

- No update

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)

- No update

AMP ‘ACTIVE COUNTRIES’

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

AMP ‘Active Countries’ updates provided on January 23rd AMP call: Burkina Faso, Cameroun, CAR, Nigeria, Pakistan, Senegal, Uganda

Angola:

Population at risk of malaria in Angola :

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:

- Phase 4 distribution report to be shared to the AMP group soon

Benin:

Population at risk of malaria in Benin							
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:

- Lessons learned workshop held 26-28th September in Cotonou completed with positive feedback

Burkina Faso:

Population at risk of malaria in Burkina Faso							
Required LLINs :							
LLINs imported into the country three years prior to update :							
Distribution channel	Scale of distribution	# LLINs needed per distribution	# LLINs available per	LLIN gap per distribution	Budget gap per distribution	Technical assistance requested	Date of most recent

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Mass distribution							
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EPI							
Totals							

Update on January 23rd AMP conference call:

- Mission ongoing – sitrep attached to the minutes of this week’s call
- Burkina Faso is planning a National campaign for 2019, 12,174,205 nets funded by GF for universal coverage in all 70 districts of the country.
- Due to insecticide resistance in certain areas of the country, three different type of nets will be distributed: standard (9,341,340), PBO (1,299,245) and G2 (1,533,620).
- Distribution is planned in two phases: 1st phase May25-29 for standard nets, 2nd phase 12-16 July for G2 and PBO nets.
- PNLP is lead organization and face of the campaign, while PADS is PR and PSM is providing technical support and financing part of the logistics trainings.
- PNLP will be implementing a new approach for micro-planning in order to improve on some of the weaknesses of the previous (2016) campaign.
- 17 districts (of 70) have already received standard and PBO nets.
- The major priority of the current mission is:
 - o Finalise the development of a template for micro-planning
 - o Facilitate a ToT on micro-planning: 2 session of 2 days each, 83 participants in total
 - o Review and up-date the logistics plan of action (LPoA) in view of the changes in campaign implementation (multi products / multi phases) since the document was developed for the grant
 - o Support the review/up-date/development of campaign logistics tools
- Alain Daudrumez – January 16 to February 6
- Obtained postponing of the MP ToT by 2 days to allow for better preparation of all materials (ToT was initially planned for Monday 21st through Thursday 24th – re-scheduled now from Wednesday 23rd to Saturday 26th)
- Worked Friday 18th through Tuesday 22nd on development of MP template, simulation exercise, MP presentation and training agenda.
- Facilitate ToT from 23rd to 26th January.
- Start the review and up-date of the LPoA, and review / up-date of logistics tools.

Cameroun:

Population at risk of malaria in Cameroun :							
Required LLINs :							
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Mass distribution							
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EPI							
Totals							

Update on January 23rd AMP conference call:

- Phase 1 will cover 2 regions with approximately 824K LLINs and start in March 2019
- Phase 2 1 million LLINs will be distributed)
- Phase 3 will cover western region and 1.1 million LLINs will be distributed
- A total of 4.7 million LLINs will be distributed across the three phases. 69% of LLINs are already at the district level.
- TA has just arrived in country – AMP support to be continuous to 2020

Central African Republic (CAR):

Population at risk of malaria in CAR :							
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 January 23rd AMP conference call:

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Chad:

Population at risk of malaria in Chad :							
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	Date of most recent update

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Mass distribution							
Continuous distribution							
ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

Ongoing issues:

- Request for support for evaluation of campaign as agreed with Global Fund.
- WHO was going to do it but now not possible so looking for AMP to support process evaluation as long as it's not the same consultants in place that supported the campaign planning
- Looking for AMP to support and putting out a call for consultants
- Please find the link to access to the TOR for the recruitment of the international consultant for mass campaign evaluation. Please share it anyone who might be interested.
- For UNDP staff : <http://procurement-notices.undp.org/> ID 44571
- For non UNDP staff : <http://procurement-notices.undp.org/search.cfm>.

Congo Brazzaville:

Population at risk of malaria in Congo Brazzaville:							
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:

- Waiting for final mission report from December 2018 support mission
- A lot of distance support has been provided over the holidays working on communication aspects and trying to get microplanning templates done. Microplanning should take place this month, and a request for support should be coming soon

DRC:

Population at risk of malaria in DRC :							
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 January 16th AMP conference call:

- Campaign is moving along
- AMF has order 3.2 million LLINs and are looking at the issue of insecticide resistance
- Schedule for distribution is currently being revised

Ethiopia:

Population at risk of malaria in Ethiopia:							
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:

- 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:							
Required LLINs :							
LLINs imported into the country three years prior to update :							
Distribution channel	Scale of distribution	# LLINs needed per	# LLINs available	LLIN gap per	Budget gap per	Technical assistance	Date of most

		distribution channel	per distribution channel	distribution channel	distribution channel	requested with date per distribution channel	recent update
Mass distribution							
ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

Ongoing issues:

- Cross boarder planning with Senegal ongoing - meetings taking place in different districts mostly on southern bank focused on microplanning
- PMI did great work on getting maps done (satellite maps of cross border areas looking at health facilities and surrounding communities)
- Meetings end on 21st January
- TA mission planned end of January
- Most nets are coming in now and warehouses are secured
- Biggest risk is on Senegal: they had delays in contracting implementing partners to do tech support to the regions and data collection.
- Finalising log plans for Senegal – TA mission moving in the next couple of weeks

Ghana:

Population at risk of malaria in Ghana :							
Required LLINs :							
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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)

Guinea

Population at risk of malaria in Guinea :							
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							

Ongoing issues:

- Request for TA submitted but no one available to respond to this request at this time – might try to push back to February if it's not too late
- Getting buy in from stakeholders to compare the LQAS and rigorous sampling method in 4 areas for HH registration quality. Call scheduled tomorrow for resolution on the path forward.

Liberia:

Population at risk of malaria in Liberia :							
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:

- 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 :							
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							
Social Marketing							
Totals							

Ongoing issues:

- TA request for 2019 made to AMP to participate in the wrap up meeting and campaign lessons learned activities
- Distribution is now complete
- Campaign team have set dates in March and May 2019 for process evaluation and wrap up

Malawi:

Population at risk of malaria in Malawi :
Required LLINs :

LLINs imported into the country three years prior to update :							
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Mass distribution							
ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

Ongoing issues:

- Malawi distributed 10, 957,058 LLINs at national level, covering all 29 districts from 24th September to 20th November 2018 respectively. The key achievements of the campaign included:
 - Nets getting to the intended beneficiaries
 - Health education done at most distribution sites including net hanging demonstration
 - Good management of different types of nets in the warehouses without mix up despite clustering of districts
- NMCP through the national task force for Malawi's mass campaign seeks assistance from **AMP to support with the lessons learnt session and final report writing** on the overall implementation of the mass campaign to be submitted to Global Fund and other key partners.
- AMP TA will work with the NMCP and partners to conduct an **in-depth discussion of how the campaign was done** looking at (what worked well what didn't, what needs to be improved for next campaign). **All lessons learnt will be documented and a final technical report will be submitted** to mark the completion of the overall implementation of the mass campaign distribution.

Mali:

Population at risk of malaria in Mali :							
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Mass distribution							
Continuous distribution							
ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

Ongoing issues:

- Koulikoro campaign happening in May

Mozambique:

Population at risk of malaria in Mozambique:							
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:

- None

Nigeria:

Population at risk of malaria in Nigeria :							
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 January 23rd AMP conference call:

- Mission ongoing – sitrep attached to the minutes of this week’s call
- After rolling out mass LLIN distribution campaigns since 2014 without updating the National Implementation Guidelines, and based on the lessons learned, experiences and innovations tried during

- implementation, the NMEP and partners have determined that an updated document is required to guide all partners planning and implementing mass LLIN distribution in the country.
- In addition, the country is working to strengthen the quality of LLIN delivery through public-sector health facility routine services and has identified a gap in training materials.
 - Marcy Erskine in Abuja – January 13th – January 24th, 2019
 - The general objective of the mission is to:
 - Update the National Implementation Guidelines for LLIN distribution campaigns
 - Update the training materials for ANC and EPI LLIN distribution
 - Develop a document outlining approaches for LLIN distribution in the COE states
 - Review and update the technical, demand creation and logistics tools and training materials
 - During the first week of the mission, four days were spent on the review of the Implementation Guidelines and gaining consensus across partners around key aspects where variation has been seen in planning and implementation. It was agreed that the Implementation Guidelines will allow for flexibility to allow for different procedures and policies of funding partners and will be forward looking to include the possibility of states financing their own LLIN distribution campaigns. The fifth day of the first work focused on looking at potential flexibilities that may be required for COE contexts, using a case study to allow participants to look at the options, risks and means for mitigation. As the AMP COE guidance has recently been made available, it has been recommended by AMP that this document is annexed to the Implementation Guidelines while Nigeria gains more experience on what may be missing from the flexibilities covered in the COE guidance
 - The second week commenced with a review of the draft routine training manual, with the different thematic areas (logistics, technical, M&E, SBCC) working in groups to review the sections relevant to their areas of expertise and provide inputs. Following the review of the ANC/EPI manual, work has continued on the Implementation Guidelines, including trying to align all partners on a single M&E framework and indicators.
 - Time is the biggest challenge. The team has been regularly available, but the discussions more extensive than had been considered from the outset. There will be a need for continued work at a distance, or a follow up mission, to work through the mission deliverables that could not be met in-country.

Pakistan:

Population at risk of malaria in Pakistan:							
Required LLINs :							
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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							

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- Mission ongoing – sitrep attached to the minutes of this week’s call
- In 2018, the Directorate of Malaria Control (DOMC) and The Indus Hospital (TIH) in partnership with the World Food Programme (WFP) as funded by the Global Fund, distributed around 2.5m ITNs in 11 districts of Baluchistan, Sindh, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (KPK) and the Federally Administered Tribal Areas (FATA). The strategy adopted in the distribution of ITN was to achieve universal coverage with ITN in the targeted rural areas where the latest surveillance data revealed high malaria Endemicity. The beneficiaries targeted were distributed one ITN for every two persons capped at a maximum of three ITN per household. The Pakistan Red Crescent Society (PRCS) was engaged by the WFP as the key implementing partner to manage household registration and distribution processes. The logistics processes were managed by the WFP having logistics as their core competence.
- The purpose of the TA is to work with the DMC and IHN to compile the lessons learned, harmonize these into the macro planning for 2019 (plan of action and logistics plan of action, as well as communication and M&E aspects) and update the budget to align with the modified implementation approach.
- Expected outcomes:
 - Updated logistics plan of action, including all supporting annexes (macro storage and transport plans, etc.)
 - Logistics timeline, budget and risk assessment and mitigation plan for 2019
 - Final supply chain management tools to be used for the 2019 campaign
 - Draft microplanning agendas and templates
- Formal inauguration of the Logistics Sub-committee (LSC) for the 2019 mass campaign to discuss the TA mission expectations and communicate their central role in coordination of all logistics activities for the 2019 mass campaign. Members drawn for the LSC include the both the public and private sector PRs the DOMC and IHN respectively, WFP and Provincial logistics officers of the SRs.
- Worked with members of the LSC to jointly review and update the earlier developed 2018 Logistics Plan of Action (LPoA) based on the lessons learned from the 2018 mass campaign to come up with a draft LPoA for the 2019 mass campaign. This also includes jointly working with the committee to start working on all the annexes of the LPoA (macro storage and transport plans and the risk assessment and mitigation plan for the 2019 mass campaign)
- Continue to work with the LSC members to develop
 - o Logistics timeline, budget and also work with WFP to adopt supply chain management tools to be used for the 2019 mass campaign
 - o Draft microplanning agendas and templates
 - o Harmonise further inputs on the LPoA for submission of the country’s draft to AMP for further technical inputs and guidance.

Senegal / The Gambia:

Population at risk of malaria in Senegal :							
Required LLINs :							
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ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

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Sierra Leone:

Population at risk of malaria in Togo :							
Required LLINs :							
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Mass distribution							
Continuous distribution							
ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

Ongoing issues:

- TA request received
- Challenges to secure funding for all nets needed
- Looking at getting PBO nets in due to resistance situation described by WHO
- Want to start macroplanning in February-March

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:

- PSI is working on try to get the team to present on 2019 distribution on an upcoming call

Tanzania:

Population at risk of malaria in Tanzania :							
Required LLINs :							
LLINs imported into the country three years prior to update :							
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ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

Ongoing issues:

- School distribution ongoing - 10 regions completed - Mwanza and Mara are the latest.
- Ongoing - Kigoma is about 50% complete and Simiyu is about 70% complete
- To be completed this week (10/13)
- Remaining regions are Tabora and Katavi
- Nets just arrived for these two - 11 containers and 5 more to be received from the port.
- Expect to start distribution on October 22nd for these two regions. Will have completed all of SNP by end of November.
- Some PBO nets are meant for Health facilities and School net programs for one DC of Muleba, On arrival they will be received and stored in the Kegeza Warehouse, then distribution will take place; the implication is the delay of SNP in the given Council and possible stock out at the health facilities that expect to receive them.
- This will be the first routine distribution of PBOs that we are aware of. It would be interesting to evaluate if trickling PBOs into communities is a useful strategy or if it works better to try to attain higher PBO net coverage levels quickly, even if that means fewer areas receive them.

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	Date of most recent

			channel			distribution channel	update
Mass distribution							
ANC							
EPI							
Totals							

Update on January 23rd AMP conference call:

- Mission ongoing – sitrep attached to the minutes of this week’s call
- Uganda recently completed a Universal Coverage Campaign (UCC) that has rolled out since 2016 in 6 waves to cover the entire population of the country. The campaign was completed in 2018. In total, over 26 million LLINs, including over 5.5 million PBO nets, were distributed during the campaign.
- Given the timing for the replacement of the LLINs that were distributed, Uganda’s NMCP is beginning to update the plans from the previous campaign based on successes, challenges and lessons learned to improve on certain aspects the coming 2020 campaign.
- One of the areas identified as requiring technical assistance was logistics and supply chain management, in order to ensure that previous successes are reinforced and built upon and previous challenges are addressed in support of achieving the mass campaign objectives of universal coverage and use of LLINs. It was planned to begin the logistics planning in 2018 to ensure that quantification, procurement and delivery level decisions are taken early, to allow appropriate budgeting, and timely resource mobilization for operational gaps.
- Overall objective: to support the logistics sub-committee, the NMCP and the NCC with the review and modification of the logistics and supply chain management planning for the mass campaign
- Achievements: Quantification of LLINs for the 2020 campaign completed based on the following assumptions
 - UBOS projected population for 2020
 - Projected population of refugees in country
 - Total population/1.8
 - 10% buffer

Table of quantification

UBOS total projected population for 2020	41 222 200
UBOS total projected refugee population for 2020	1 500 000
Total projected population for Uganda UCC 2020 campaign (including refugees)	42 722 200
Total of LLINs required+10% buffer	26 108 011

- Based on this quantifications Preposition and transport plans from central warehouse to sub county warehouses were completed for wave 1 covering 22 districts and 252 sub counties. The other waves are to be completed by NMCP team after collection of the information for all the sub counties
- Following the ToRs, logistics plan of action was reviewed in alignment with the notes from the lessons learn exercise of the previous campaign;
- Risk analysis and mitigation plan for logistics and supply chain is almost completed;
- Logistics tracking tools (waybill, stock sheet and tally sheet) adjusted based on latest version from AMT toolkit
- Reverse logistics and waste management are covered in the logistics plan of action.
- The big challenge is still related to availability of NMCP logistics staff to work with me

- Campaign structures not being yet in place including the logistics subcommittee

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 January 23rd AMP call: None

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							
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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.

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							

Ongoing issues:

- Togo has wrapped up distribution, but 2 regions were not covered by mass distribution (Golfe and Lome)
- Now completed distribution in Golfe
- No plan currently for distribution in Lome – no LLINs available

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 January 23rd 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 January 23rd AMP call: None

Burundi:

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

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

Ongoing issues:

- Finalising GF application and working on timelines of next campaign following GF mission last week
- GF has asked the country to write up their experience on their payment system
- GF is interested in looking at other countries' payment systems to put together payment options for countries going forward – this issue will be brought forward within the AMP Country Support Working Group to gather lessons learned on behalf of the partnership

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 January 23rd 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 January 23rd AMP call: None

Haiti:

Population at risk of malaria in Haiti :							
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:

- 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