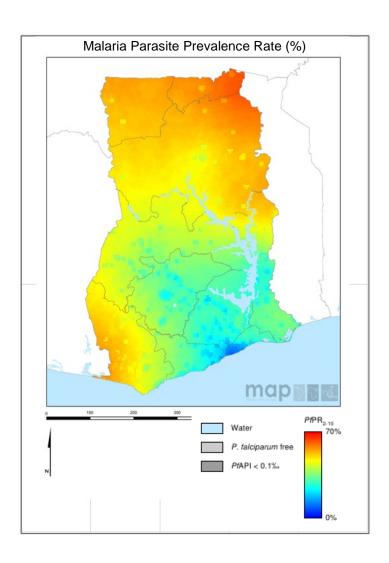
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Scorecard for Accountability and Action

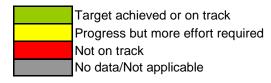


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Malaria

Progress

Ghana has secured sufficient resources for the essential antimalarial commodities required to sustain coverage in 2016 and has achieved operational coverage of vector control of 100%. The country has carried out insecticide resistance monitoring since 2014 and has reported the results to WHO. Ghana has scaled up coverage of iCCM.

Impact

The annual reported number of malaria cases in 2014 was 8,453,557 with 2,200 deaths. WHO, through modeling, estimates that there has been a less than 50% decrease in malaria incidence between 2000 and 2015.

Key Challenge

• Insecticide resistance threatens vector control effectiveness.

New Key Recommended Actions

Objective	Action Item	Suggested completion timeframe
Address Funding	Submit non-costed extension to sustain GF resources until end of 2017	Q2 2016
Vector Control	Share the status of the national insecticide resistance monitoring and management plan with WHO	Q1 2017

MNCH

Progress

The country has also achieved high coverage of tracer MNCH interventions, in particular DPT3 vaccination, vitamin A, and postnatal care. The country has significantly enhanced the tracking and accountability mechanisms with the development of a Reproductive, Maternal, Newborn and Child Health Scorecard.

New Key Recommended Action

Objective	Action Item	Suggested completion timeframe
MNCH¹: Optimise quality of care	Work to accelerate coverage of ARTs especially in children under 14 years of age	Q1 2017

¹ MNCH metrics, recommended actions and response tracked through WHO MCA