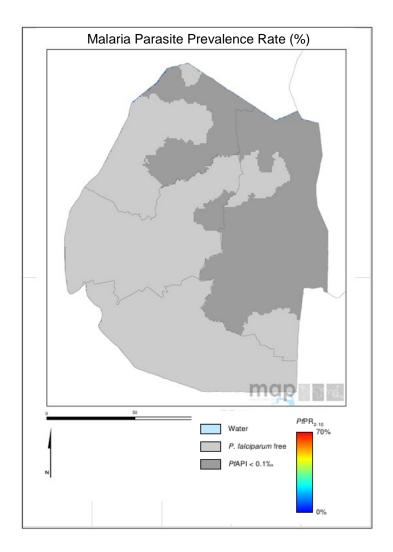
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Scorecard for Accountability and Action

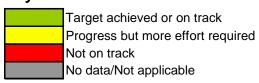


Metrics

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Commodities Financed and Financial Control		
IRS financing 2016 (% of at-risk population)		100
Public sector RDT financing 2016 projection (% of need)		100
Public sector ACT financing 2016 projection (% of need)	2 3	100
World Bank rating on public sector management and institutions 2014 (CPIA Cluster D)		
Insecticide Resistance Monitoring, Implementation a	nd	lm pact
Insecticide classes with mosquito resistance in representative sentinel sites confirmed since 2010		C
Insecticide resistance monitored since 2014 and data reported to WHO		
National Insecticide Resistance Monitoring and Management Plan		
Scale of Implementation of iCCM (2013)		
IRS Operational Coverage (%)		97
>75% Decrease in Malaria Incidence Projected 2000–2015		
Tracer Indicators for Maternal and Child Health		
Estimated % of Total Population living with HIV who have access to antiretroviral therapy (2014)		59
Estimated % of children (0–14 years old) living with HIV who have access to antiretroviral therapy (2014)		43
% deliveries assisted by skilled birth attendant		88
Postnatal care (within 48 hrs)		87
Exclusive breastfeeding (% children < 6 months)		64
Vitamin A Coverage 2013 (2 doses)		31
DPT3 coverage 2014 (vaccination among 12-23 month olds)		98

Malaria transmission is seasonal in Swaziland; the annual reported number of malaria cases in 2014 was 711.

Key



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Malaria

Progress

Swaziland has made significant progress in scaling-up malaria control interventions leading to a significant reduction in malaria burden in the country. Adequate resources have been secured to fund the IRS, ACTs, and RDTs required to sustain universal coverage in 2016. Swaziland was the first country in Africa to introduce a malaria elimination scorecard to enhance tracking, accountability and action as the country moves towards malaria elimination. Swaziland was awarded a 2016 ALMA Award for Excellence for achieving the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) target for malaria.

Impact

Swaziland has achieved significant impact in its malaria control programme. Malaria cases reported in 2014 were 711. The country has achieved the MDG target of at least a 75% reduction in malaria burden since 2000.

Key Challenge

Maintaining malaria high on the political and funding agenda post-2015.

New Key Recommended Action

Objective	Action Item	Suggested completion timeframe
Vector Control	Report the status of both insecticide resistance monitoring and the national insecticide resistance monitoring and management plan to WHO	Q1 2017

MNCH

Progress

Good progress has been made on tracer MNCH interventions including DPT3, skilled birth attendants, exclusive breast feeding and postnatal care. The country has significantly enhanced tracking and accountability mechanisms towards malaria elimination with the development of a Reproductive, Maternal, Newborn and Child Health Scorecard.

Recommended Action

Swaziland has responded positively to the MNCH recommended action addressing low coverage of vitamin A and continues to track progress as this action is implemented.