Rapid Access Expansion of Integrated Community Case Management of malaria, pneumonia and diarrhes

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GLOBAL MALARIA PROGRAMME

# Key elements

 Supporting iCCM in 5 African countries as an integral part of government health services

#### Objectives:

- Increase access to correct diagnosis, treatment and referrals for malaria, pneumonia and diarrhea at the community level
- Stimulate policy review and regulatory update on disease case management, and adaptation of supply management and surveillance systems to include services at community level





# **Key elements**

- 5 countries selected: Malawi, Mozambique, DRC, Niger, Nigeria
- Countries selection based on:
  - high mortality and morbidity burden for malaria, pneumonia and diarrhea;
  - II. the existence of a clear national policy and regulatory environment allowing CHWs to implement iCCM;
  - III. a clear commitment by the MoH to iCCM;
  - IV. MOH experience in implementing iCCM;
  - the potential for growth of a national iCCM program, either geographically or in the scope of diseases





# Key elements

- 5 year project: April 1 2012 to March 31 2017
- CAD 74.5 millions
  - 2M/year/country over 4 years in MWI, MOZ, DRC, Niger
  - 3M/year over 4 years in Nigeria to work in 2 states: Niger and Abia
- Collaboratively managed across WHO
  - HQ AFRO IST Country offices
  - Malaria and Mother and Child Health departments
- Implemented through NGOs (grantees), with MOH in a leadership position in each country





### **Grantee selection process**

- Call for LOIs
- Guidance workshops with selected NGOs co-facilitated WHO/MoH
- Full proposal from eligible NGOs
- Review by Project Review Panel
- Negotiation with recommended applicants





### Malawi

- Grantee: Save the Children
  - Partners: Clinton Health Access Initiative (supply chain); Medical Care Development International (RDT use); D-tree International (m-Health)
- Districts: Ntchisi, Dedza, Ntcheu, Mzimba North
- Total population 2-59 months: 160,000
- iCCM for malaria (RDTs), pneumonia (CTX), diarrhea, screening for acute malnutrition (MUAC); pre-referral rectal





### Mozambique

- Grantee: Save the Children
  - Partner: Malaria Consortium
- Provinces: Inhambane (MC),
   Zambesia, Manica, Nampula (SC)
- Total population 2-59 months: 308,000
- iCCM for malaria (RDTs), pneumonia (AMX), diarrhea, screening for acute malnutrition (MUAC); pre-referral rectal artesunate

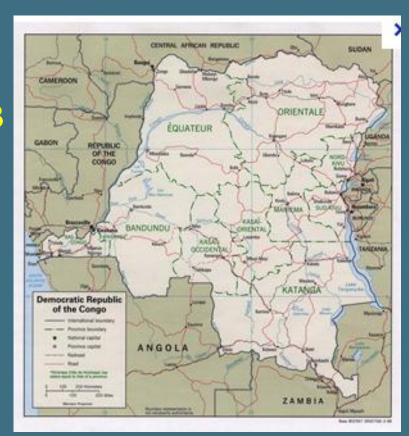






#### DRC

- Grantee: International Rescue Committee
- Provinces: 750 health sites in 33 health zones in South Kivu and Katanga provinces
- Total population 2-59 months:
   150,000
- iCCM for malaria (RDTs), pneumonia (CTX), diarrhea, screening for acute malnutrition (MUAC); pre-referral rectal artesunate

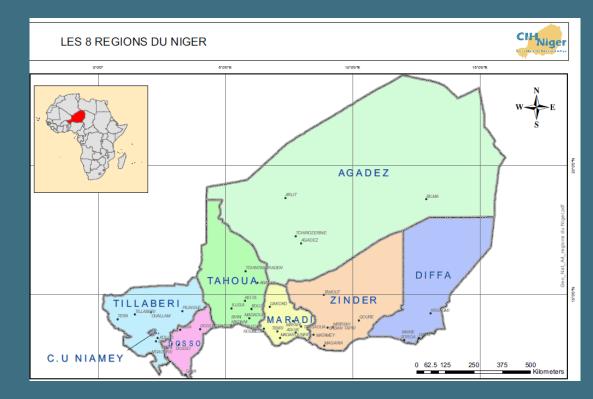






## Niger

- Grantee: World Vision
  - Partner: University of Alberta
- Dossa Region:
   Boboye and Loga districts; Tahoua Region: Keita district



- Total population 2-59 months: 183,845
- iCCM for malaria (RDTs), pneumonia (CTX and AMX), diarrhea, screening for acute malnutrition (MUAC);





## **Nigeria**

- Grantee: to be selected
- States: Niger (Northern Zone); Abia (Southern Zone):
- LGAs to be selected
- State selection led by FMOH
- Call for LOIs to be published shortly







# **Operations Research**

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	OR topic	MWI	MOZ	DRC	NIG	
	Improving compliance with referral advice	X				
	Improving motivation of CHWs	X				
	Improving rational use of drugs	X		X	X	
	Establishing role of community monitoring of iCCM	X				
	Assess feasibility of increasing the workload of CHWs and supervisors		X			
	Develop methods to overcome system barriers to access through		X			
	CHWs (including social autopsies)					
	Improving supervision and motivation (including m-Health)	X	X		X	
	Innovative methods to assess adherence to <u>Tx</u>			X		
	Impact of pre-referral artesunate on clinical outcomes of children			X		
	with severe disease					





# Thank you for your attention





