Final Recommendations of the

11th EARN ANNUAL REVIEW AND PLANNING MEETING

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4th-8th October 2010
Surveillance Monitoring & Evaluation

- Countries need to finalise their surveillance strengthening plans which are costed for resource mobilisation purposes
- Countries need to produce national monthly/quarterly malaria surveillance and logistics bulletins with data and maps by district
- Countries need to report quarterly on malaria logistics and surveillance to WHO to enable reporting to higher levels including ALMA
- Countries need to produce the 2000 – 2010 malaria progress report with achievements in terms of impact and coverage and regular annual malaria progress reports
Programme Management

• Countries need to scale-up malaria control interventions to achieve universal coverage
• Countries need to accelerate conduct of Malaria Programme Reviews and use it to update their malaria strategic plans as needed using data and updated malaria stratification
• Countries need to develop a framework for strengthening in-country partnership
Vector Control and Case Management

• Countries need to rapidly improve capacity for malaria parasite based diagnosis (including establishment of quality control and assurance) in order to increase the proportion of suspected malaria cases that are confirmed by microscopy/RDTs

• Countries need to establish entomological sentinel sites to monitor entomological indicators including insecticide resistance
Partners

- Partners need to support implementation of malaria control activities according to the country malaria strategic plans and needs.
- Countries need to report monthly to EARN on the progress made in the implementation of road maps and participate in monthly teleconferences with EARN Secretariat.
- Global fund need to ensure that there is no stock-out or disruption of treatment and prevention activities including distribution of LLINs in the event of challenges with implementation of approved grants.
- WHO need to produce quarterly sub-regional malaria surveillance and logistics bulletins.
EARN

• Countries need to finalize their road maps in the next two weeks and submit them to the EARN Secretariat (TA needs by 15th Oct.) for the finalization of the EARN workplan;

• Countries need to report monthly to EARN on the progress made in the implementation of road maps and participate in monthly teleconferences with EARN

• EARN Secretariat to facilitate timely brokering and provision of technical support requested by countries
Meetings

General Assembly meeting proposed for last week of March 2011

- Proposed venues: Tanzania Mainland, Kenya or Zanzibar
- Mombasa Kenya was voted the March 2011 venue
- Annual Review and planning meeting proposed for September 2011. Venue to be decided during March 2011
Request by ECC

- The participation of Yemen as an observer at the next EARN Annual Review and Planning Meeting.
- It was agreed that Yemen be invited to attend next EARN meetings as an observer.
Thank You