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Developing an M&E Framework

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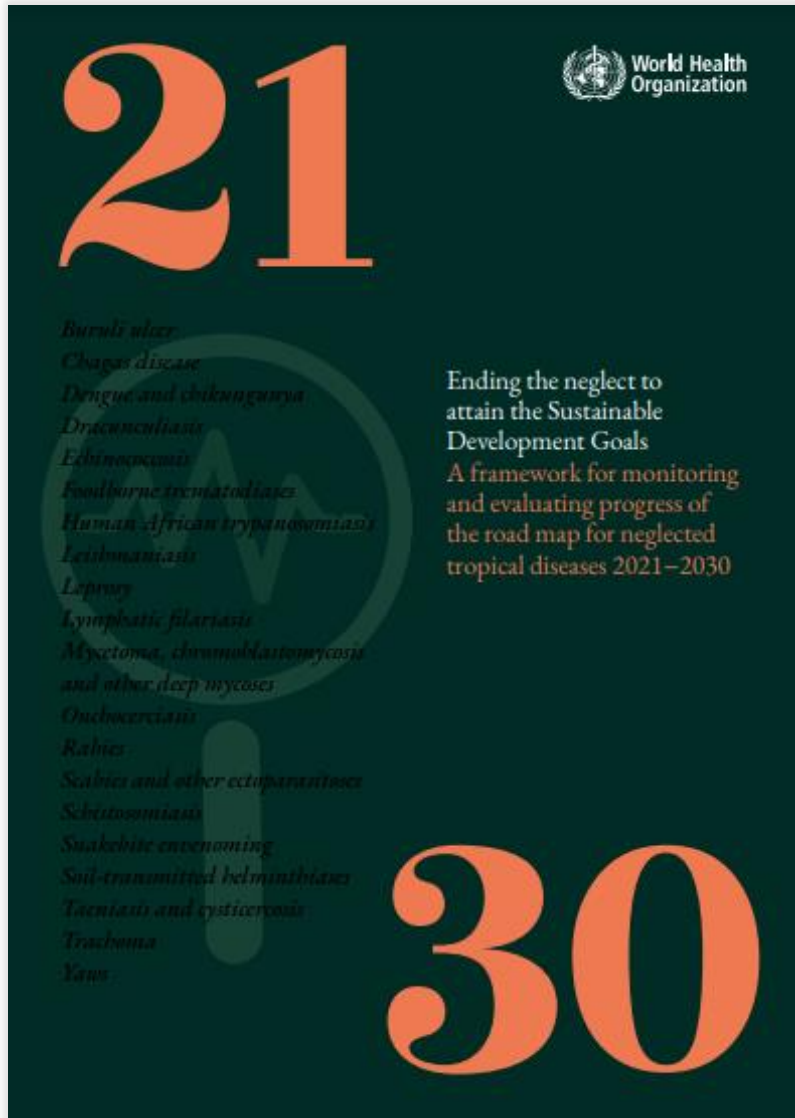
NTD Master Plan M&E Framework Development: *A Practical Guide*

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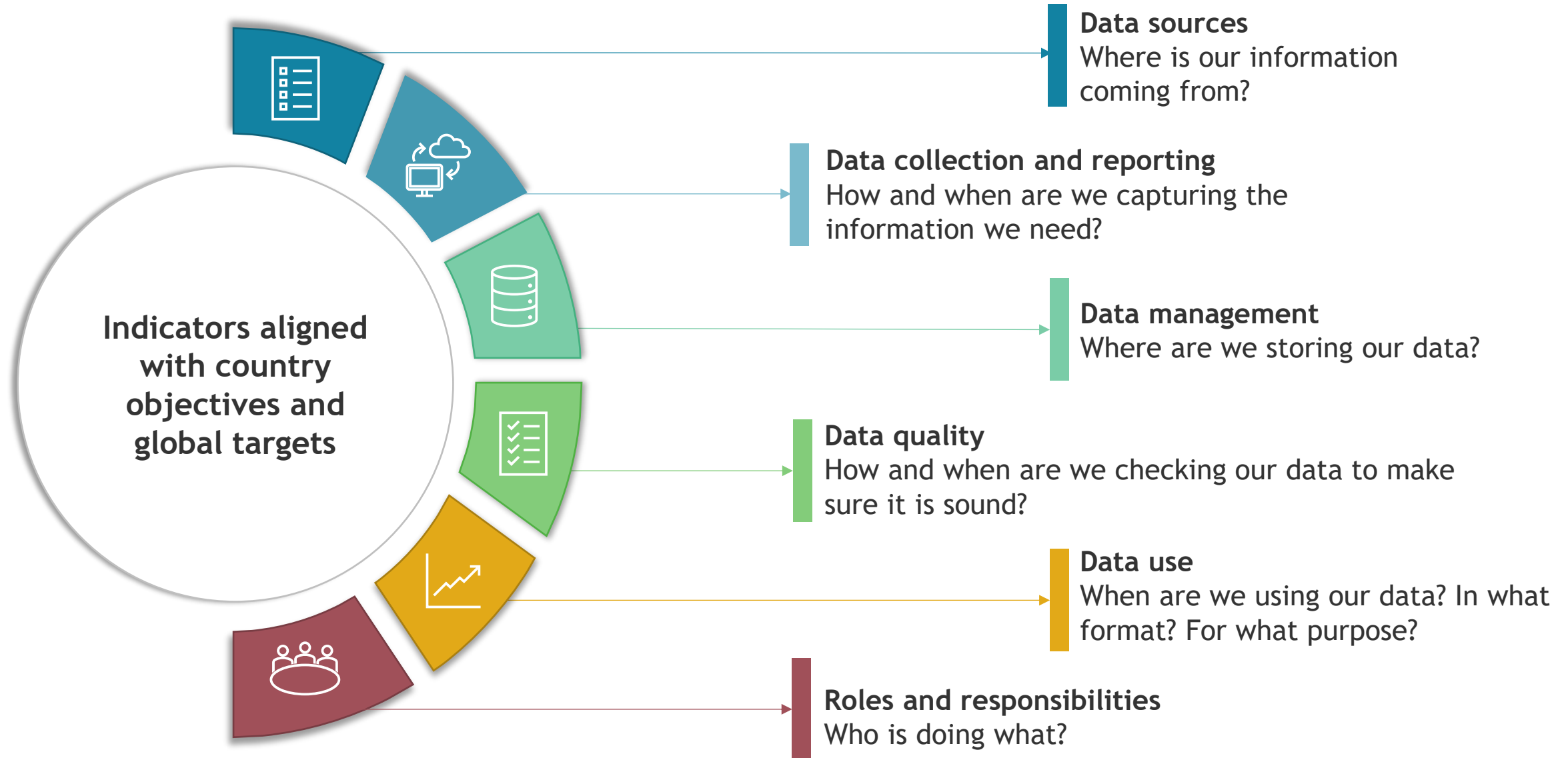
Overview

Why have an M&E framework for NTD Master Plans?



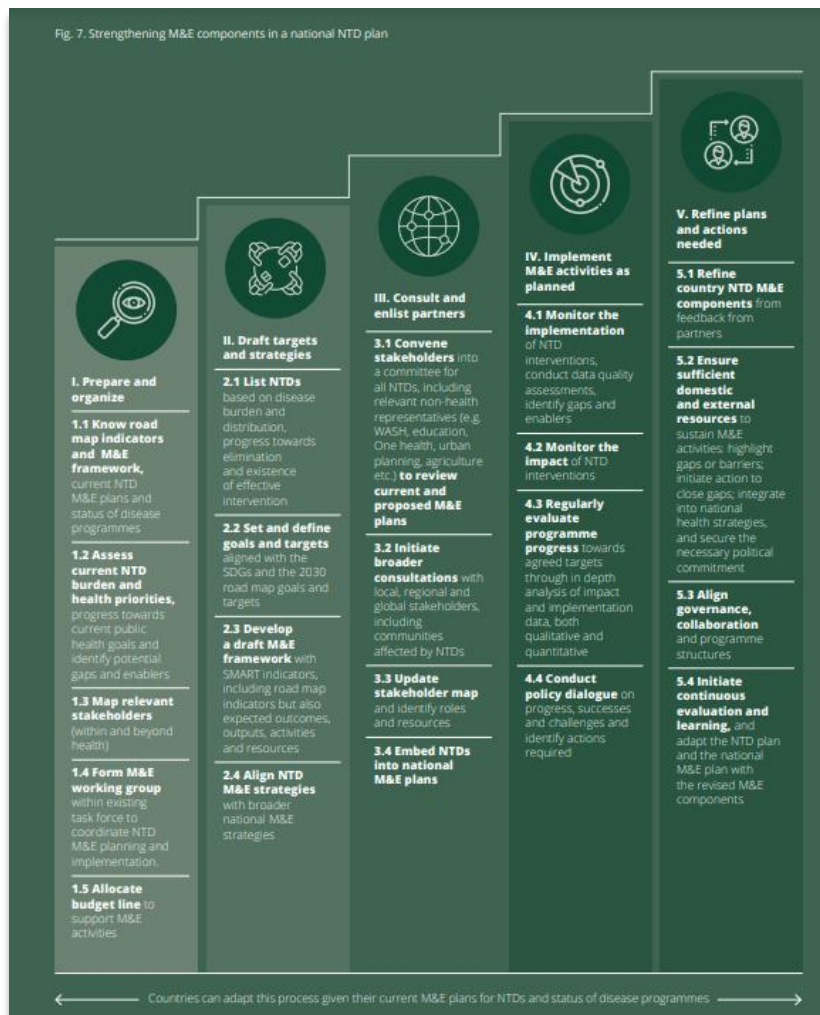
“[Countries should assume] leadership in designing and implementing adequate monitoring and evaluation in order to efficiently track progress towards the targets in their own contexts. This includes identifying health information system resources, defining indicators aligned with global targets, identifying data sources, managing data, developing information products, and disseminating, reporting and using data to inform decisions at multiple levels within the country.”

An M&E framework helps you understand what you need to measure and when and how to go about it



Lessons learned

Process outlined in Road Map M&E Framework



COMPETING PRIORITIES. NTD programs and partners have many demands on their time. Aligning with strategic planning timelines and having M&E champions helps ensure time is carved out for M&E plans.



UNDERSTANDING OF “THE WHY”. To generate buy-in for development and use of an M&E plan, it is important that stakeholders understand how the plan will help them track progress and make decisions.



AVOIDING WHEEL REINVENTION. There are many NTD M&E resources already in use. The M&E plan should aim to bring visibility and leverage existing indicators and tools as much as possible.



CONSIDERING FEASIBILITY. M&E plans should balance ambition with a realistic assessment of what is possible. Indicator selection, target setting, and documented processes should be attainable to facilitate use.



AIMING FOR ‘IN USE’ NOT PERFECT. An M&E plan that is being used to drive data collection, quality, and data use for decision-making is the end goal. M&E plans can be updated based on lessons learned.

CHAI is compiling a living resource of supporting tools and templates to serve as a practical guide to country-led M&E plan development process

INDICATOR BANK

- **WHAT IS IT:** A pre-populated indicator bank containing common indicator metadata and recommendations on inclusion.
- **USE CASE:** Program M&E leads can use automatically generate a preliminary framework for customization by stakeholders.
- **OTHER FUNCTIONS:** Once indicators have been selected, will generate a list of data elements required to calculate those indicators within a database.

WORKSHOP GUIDANCE

- **WHAT IS IT:** A step-by-step guide for (1) the program M&E lead on how to prepare for the development workshop and (2) for workshop participants on selecting indicators, setting targets, and deciding on processes.
- **USE CASE:** Program M&E leads can use as a starting point for planning and developing materials to conduct M&E plan development and validation workshops.

TEMPLATE BANK

- **WHAT IS IT:** A repository of de-identified examples of (1) M&E plan development and validation workshop agendas and materials; (2) examples of M&E Plans table of contents and sections drafts; (3) examples of concept notes and materials from use of M&E plans for data review.
- **USE CASE:** Program M&E leads and other stakeholders can use as building blocks for developing their own M&E plans and supporting resources.

What challenge is this meant to address?



COMPETING PRIORITIES.



“THE WHY”



AVOIDING REINVENTION



CONSIDERING FEASIBILITY



AIMING FOR 'IN USE'

This guide is pulling from existing resources

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World Health Organization

Neglected tropical diseases
Buruli ulcer
Chagas disease
Dengue and shikanganya
Dracunculiasis
Echinococcosis (alveolar and cystic)
Foodborne trematodiasis
Human African trypanosomiasis
Leishmaniasis
Leprosy
Lymphatic filariasis
Mycetozoa, chromoblastomycosis and other deep mycoses
Onchocerciasis
Rabies

A compendium of indicators for monitoring and evaluating progress of the road map for neglected tropical diseases 2021–2030

EXPANDED SPECIAL PROJECT FOR ELIMINATION OF NEGLECTED TROPICAL DISEASES

Dashboards

Key statistics for 2022

Population living in IUs requiring PC: 316,383 people 6 IUs	Population living in IUs: 0 people 0 IUs
Population targeted for PC: 472,715 people 6 IUs in total	Population treated with ALB+IVM in 2 IUs: 481,072 people 6 IUs
IVM in 4 IUs	6 IUs achieved effective coverage

Indicators

- coverage: 100% of endemic IUs covered by PC
- coverage: 102% of individuals living in targeted IUs were treated
- coverage: 152% of individuals requiring PC in the country were treated

trachoma atlas

African Union

CHIP Country health information platform

ALMA Scorecard Hub

Sharing knowledge, driving accountability

MEWORK ON THE CONTROL OF NEGLECTED TROPICAL DISEASES BY 2030

NTDeliver
Supply Chain Information System

COUNTRY NTD MASTER PLAN 2021 - 2025

NTD TOOLBOX

The aim of this resource is to allow NTD programs to spend more time on the “so what?” rather than the “how?”



HOW?

- ...should we structure the M&E framework development process?
- ...should we reference standardized guidance that already exists for recommended indicators and M&E processes?
- ...can we efficiently develop a first draft of an M&E framework and plan that draws on global guidance as well as existing processes?

SO WHAT?

- Vision for using the M&E framework to help use our data to make strategic decisions going forward.
- Selection of indicators most critical to assessing theory of change and the impact of our Master Plan strategic goals.
- Processes that needs to be put in place to ensure this resource is used regularly.

INTRODUCTION TO THE GUIDE

The guidance document will walk the M&E lead through the process of preparing for and leading an M&E framework development work



The M&E lead can use this guidance in whole or in part, depending on preference and needs.



Section 1. Groundwork	
Target Users	Program M&E lead
Format	Step-by-step guidance for M&E lead
Purpose	Prepare for M&E framework and plan development workshop
Section Contents	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What is the purpose of the groundwork? 2. What are the steps in the groundwork? 3. What materials are needed to complete the groundwork? 4. Using the indicator bank to prepare draft M&E framework 5. Using the templates to prepare draft for M&E plan

Section 2. Workshop

Section 3. Finalization

Using the Indicator Bank

Step 2. Compile indicators currently in use by the NTD program

- **Objective:** One of the key benefits of framework should serve as an important tool for reporting what indicators the program is using, and what is being reported to.
- **If the NTD program has not completed the Indicator Bank** the Indicator Bank can be used to compile a list of indicators. Based on the list of indicators, the JAP / TEMF indicators will auto-populate the "Program Indicators" sheet.
- **If the NTD program has already completed the Indicator Bank** and can be reviewed for completeness and can be used to populate the "Program Indicators" sheet.

Indicator	Disease	Proportion of IUs that achieved effective therapeutic coverage
Proportion of IUs that achieved effective therapeutic coverage	LF	Proportion of IUs that achieved effective therapeutic coverage

Using the Template Guidance

Step 1. Review and edit the sample table of contents to match program needs





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Example table of contents for an M&E plan



What does the indicator bank help you accomplish?

The indicator bank is designed to do the following:

-  Collate standardized guidance for key indicators (e.g., 2030 Road Map indicators) into a format that can be easily mapped against indicators already used in country.
-  Provide a simple format for creating a living ‘data dictionary’ for all indicators currently used by the NTD program, even if they are not included in the Master Plan M&E framework.
-  Automatically transform first draft of indicator list and standardized guidance into an easy-to-use format for group work during the framework development workshop.
-  *Optional: Create a list of data elements necessary for inclusion in HMIS or NTD data repositories in order to calculate and review indicators prioritized for inclusion in the framework.*

Indicator bank (Excel tool)

Based on the preliminary list of indicators, the workbook will also generate a list of data elements required to calculate any standardized indicators digitally.

Disease	Stage	Elimination / control timeline
Buruli ulcer		
Chagas disease		
Chikungunya		
Dengue		
Dracunculiasis		
Human African trypanosomiasis		
Human African trypanosomiasis		
Leishmaniasis		
Leishmaniasis		
Leprosy		
Lymphatic filariasis		
Onchocerciasis		
Rabies		
Sca		
Sch		
Sna		
Soil		
Trac		
Yaws		

Indicator	Disease	Definition	Purpose	Source of Indicator
Validated for elimination as a public health problem	LF	Infection sustained below transmission assessment survey thresholds for at least four years after stopping mass drug administration; availability of essential package of care in all areas of known patients		
Implementation surveillance		In the context of the skin-related neglected tropical diseases, integration is defined as the implementation of two or more programme activities simultaneously at community and health facility levels in order to optimize the use of limited resources.		
Population required for integrated skin neglected tropical disease strategies adopted and implemented	Skin NTDs	Activities include social mobilization, active case detection, training and capacity building, self care, mental well-being, clinical and laboratory, stigmatization, inclusion and human rights, supply chain, integrated planning, water, sanitation and hygiene, monitoring and evaluation, advocacy, and/or mass drug administration. The portfolio of diseases includes nine diseases and groups of skin-related neglected tropical diseases: Buruli ulcer; cutaneous leishmaniasis; leprosy (Hansen's disease); lymphatic filariasis; mycetoma; chromoblastomycosis and other deep mycoses (including sporotrichosis); onchocerciasis; post-kala-azar dermal leishmaniasis; scabies and other ectoparasitoses (including tungiasis); and yaws.	Activity reports documenting achievements in integration	n/a

Indicator Title	Definition	Disease	Numerator	Denominator	Formula/Calculation (if applicable)	Data Type	Data source: Numerator	Data source: Denominator	Frequency or collection: Numerator	Frequency or collection: Denominator	Disaggregation: Numerator
Proportion of endemic IUs that achieved effective coverage	Proportion of IUs covered by PC where the programme coverage for the IU reached disease-specific threshold in the calendar year	LF	delivered and calculated therapeutic coverage exceeded >65% in the calendar year	Number of IUs endemic for LF	delivered and calculated therapeutic coverage exceeded >65% / Number of endemic IUs * 100%	%	MDA reports	Mapping surveys	Determined by MDA frequency	Determined by TAS schedule	n/a

These two sheets are combined into a first draft of indicators for the Master Plan M&E framework that can be reviewed and edited by stakeholders.

Thank you!

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Sénégal :
**Mise en place et utilisation du cadre de suivi
et d'évaluation (S&E)**

Brazzaville, août 2024

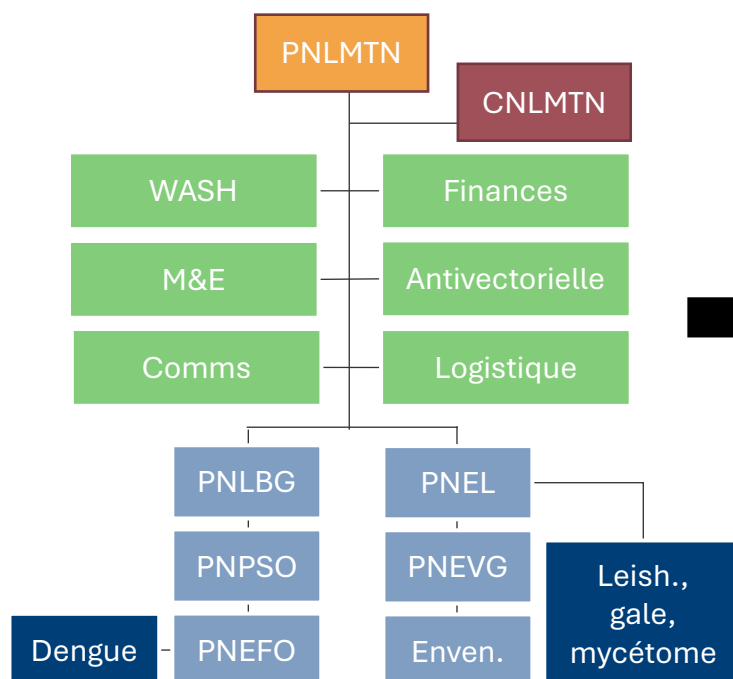
LE PNMLMTN a mis en place un dispositif de S&E pour guider la mise en œuvre du plan stratégique national (PSN) 2022-2025)



Par la mise en place d'un cadre et d'un plan de S&E, le PNMLMTN et ses partenaires visaient a :

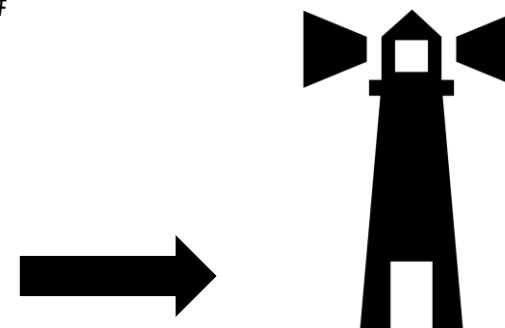
- 1 Soutenir la mise en œuvre des activités du PSN
- 2 Mesurer les progrès accomplis dans la mise en œuvre des stratégies de lutte contre les MTN du PNMLMTN
- 3 Renforcer les efforts pour atteindre les objectifs de contrôle et d'élimination des MTN

La mise en place du cadre de suivi et d'évaluation était motivé par la nécessité **d'harmoniser la compréhension des différents indicateurs MTN et mettre en place un système unifié pour suivre l'atteinte des objectifs du PSN.**



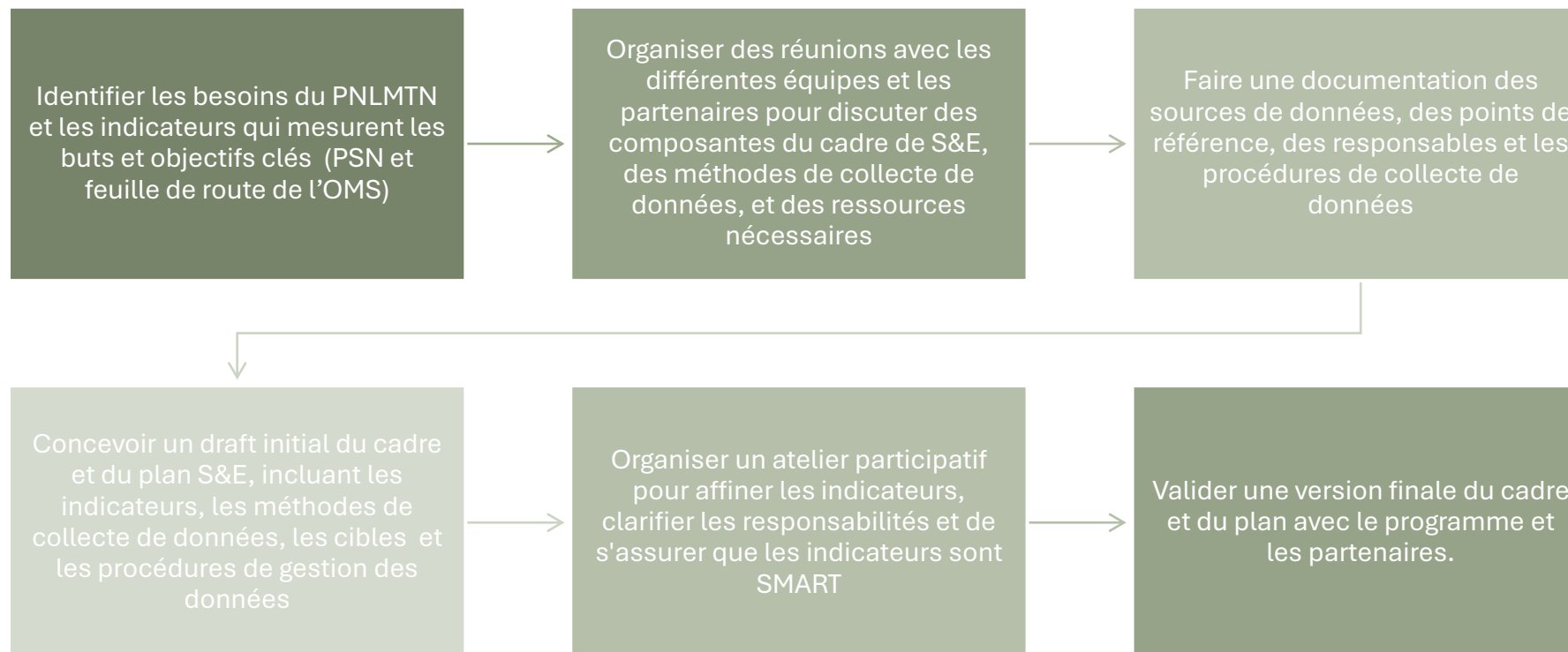
Plusieurs programmes spécifiques avec # indicateurs → besoin de **S&E**. Un plan et un cadre permettraient d'assurer un **suivi régulier afin de revoir et de réadapter** les stratégies.

Indicateur et description
Mode de calcul
Source des données
Fréquence de collecte
Responsable
Données de base
Cibles



Elaboration, validation et adoption d'un plan et d'un cadre de S&E facilitant l'intégration des stratégies

L'élaboration du plan et du cadre S&E a été un processus inclusif impliquant à la fois les autres secteurs et les partenaires de mise en œuvre.



Points forts	Points à améliorer	Leçons apprises
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • La collaboration intra et intersectorielle • L'implication des partenaires techniques et financiers • Le caractère participatif du processus • La mise en place d'une task force (PNLMTN et CHAI) pour faciliter l'élaboration 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Améliorer le timeline de l'élaboration et la validation des documents • Difficultés d'avoir les données pour certains indicateurs d'impact mesurer sur une base annuelle 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • L'importance du travail en équipe, la coordination, et la collaboration intersectorielle • Le choix des indicateurs doit être bien réfléchi et tous SMART pour qu'on puisse les mesurer pendant et à la fin du PSN • Importance de la mise en place du cadre et du plan de S&E • Harmonisation de la formulation des indicateurs dans le plan stratégique et plan S&E

L'utilisation du cadre et du plan S&E a permis d'harmoniser le suivi des objectifs du PNLMTN.



- Le PNLMTN utilise le cadre de S&E pour le suivi périodique des indicateurs pour apprécier la pertinence des stratégies de lutte adoptées par le PNLMTN et de les réajuster au besoin.
- Récemment, le cadre de S&E a été utilisé pour réaliser l'évaluation a mi-parcours du PSN afin d'évaluer les performances du PNLMTN.
- Les résultats de l'utilisation du cadre de S&E sont :
 - Une planification éclairée du travail
 - L'adaptation de nouvelles stratégies pour l'avenir
 - Le ciblage de flux de données particuliers pour améliorer la qualité de rapportage
 - L'analyse des données pour guider la prise de décision
 - L'harmonisation du suivi de la mise en œuvre du PSN



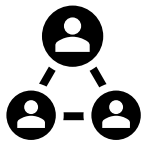
Points forts	Points a améliorer	Leçons apprises
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • La replanification des interventions en fonction des résultats observés pour atteindre les objectifs à long terme • La visibilité sur l'état d'avancement de la mise en œuvre du PSN • L'utilisation des résultats dans le plaidoyer 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Difficulté d'influer sur les indicateurs des autres secteurs • Ajuster la fréquence du rapportage sur certains indicateurs en fonction de la capacité de collecter les données 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mettre a jour le cadre S&E avant de procéder à une évaluation à mi-parcours • Un cadre de S&E mis a jour facilite l'évaluation a mi-parcours du PSN

Le plan et le cadre de S&E ont été conçus pour une utilisation durable en vue d'une prise de décision fondée sur des données.

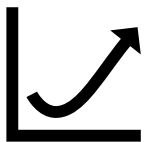
Utilisations clés du cadre et du plan S&E



- **Apprentissage et adaptation** : En surveillant régulièrement les données, le PNLMTN peut identifier ce qui fonctionne bien et ce qui doit être amélioré. Cela permet d'adapter les stratégies, méthodes et interventions.



- **Redevabilité et transparence** : Le cadre et le plan S&E servent d'outil de redevabilité et de transparence vis-à-vis des autres secteurs et des PTF en fournissant des indicateurs clairs et des résultats documentés.



- **Prise de décision** : Le cadre et le plan S&E offrent une approche structurée de la collecte et de l'analyse des données, donnant l'accès à des informations de qualité.

Impacts attendus du cadre et du plan S&E



- **Amélioration de l'efficacité** : Le PNLMTN peut suivre systématiquement les progrès réalisés vers ses objectifs et apporter les ajustements nécessaires pour la réalisation de ses objectifs à long terme.



- **Optimisation des ressources** : Le cadre et le plan S&E assure que les ressources sont utilisées pour réaliser les activités essentielles à l'atteinte des résultats.



- **Engagement et soutien accrus des parties prenantes** : Un système de S&E bien fonctionnel génère des informations qui peuvent être partagées avec les parties prenantes. Démontrer l'impact des résultats peut aider à obtenir le soutien et la collaboration continus des partenaires.



- **La durabilité** : En affinant et en adaptant en fonction des résultats du S&E, le programme devient plus résilient aux changements tels que la raréfaction des financements, les politiques ou les besoins de la communauté.

Et maintenant ?



Sélectionner et paramétrer dans DHIS2 les indicateurs clés du cadre de S&E

Passer à l'échelle la digitalisation de la collecte des données de traitement de masse

Systématiser la revue semestrielle des données et l'actualisation du cadre de S&E

Elaborer des plans d'action pour résoudre les difficultés identifiées grâce au cadre de S&E lors de la revue à mi-parcours du PSN

Utiliser le cadre pour l'évaluation finale et comme Baseline pour l'élaboration du prochain plan stratégique

Pour conclure



Le suivi et l'évaluation doivent faire partie intégrante de la conception ainsi que de la mise en œuvre du plan stratégique de lutte contre les MTN.

Adaptations to standard M&E tools for enhanced decision making

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SCT, CES, and DQA

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Supervisors' Coverage Tool (SCT)

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Supervisors' Coverage Tool (SCT) Summary

PURPOSE	To CLASSIFY coverage as above/below threshold
ADMINISTRATIVE LEVEL	Supervision area
SAMPLE SIZE	20 individuals
TIMING	During the MDA or immediately after
DATA USE	Improve coverage during current round of MDA

PREVENTIVE CHEMOTHERAPY:

Tools for improving the quality of reported data and information

A field manual for implementation



Table 3.4: Decision rules table

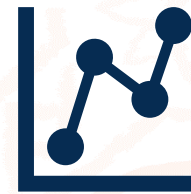
Disease	Survey population	Target coverage threshold	Decision rules: based on no. of people covered out of 20 people sampled ¹		
			Good coverage	Cannot conclude coverage is good	Inadequate coverage
Lymphatic filariasis	Everyone	≥ 65%	16–20	11–15	0–10
Onchocerciasis	Everyone	≥ 80%	19–20	14–18	0–13
Soil-transmitted helminthiases and schistosomiasis	School-age children (5–14 years)	75%	18–20	13–17	0–12
Trachoma	Everyone	> 80%	19–20	14–18	0–13

Rationale for SCT Adaptations

- Address the unique circumstances faced by ‘last mile’ districts
- Take advantage of the ongoing MDA to adapt implementation and improve coverage
- Collect data to improve future rounds of implementation



Expanded
Demographics



Implementation
Adaptations



Additional
Questions



Rapid Decision
Making

Expanded Demographics and Additional Questions



Demographics

Religion
Marital status
Ethnicity
Occupation
Education

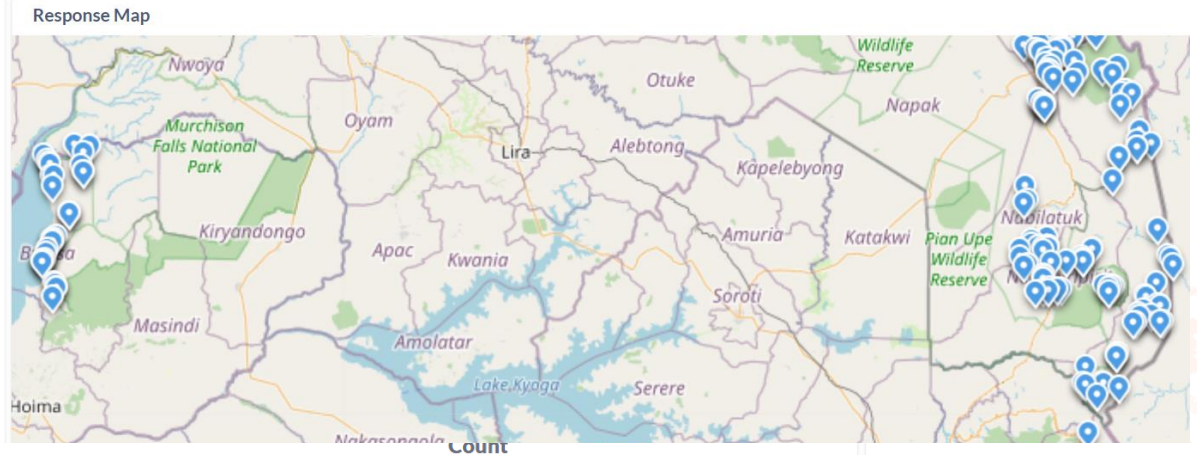


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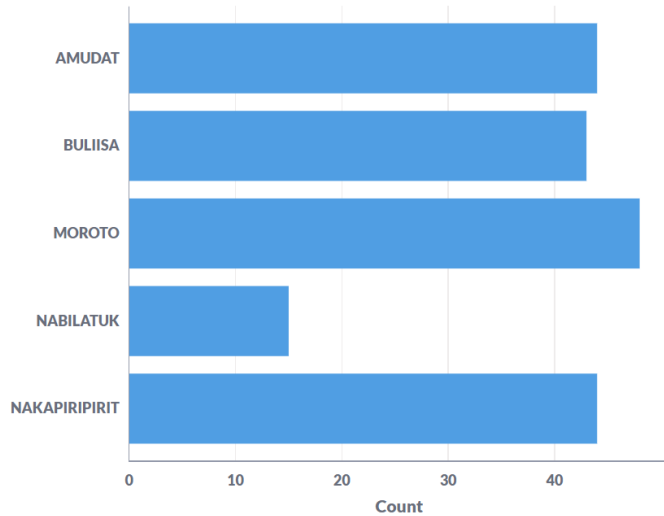
Never treatment
Disability status
Gender equity
New MDA strategies
Social mobilization

Implementation Adaptations

- Electronic Data Capture (EDC)
- Dashboards
- GPS data collection



Responses by District

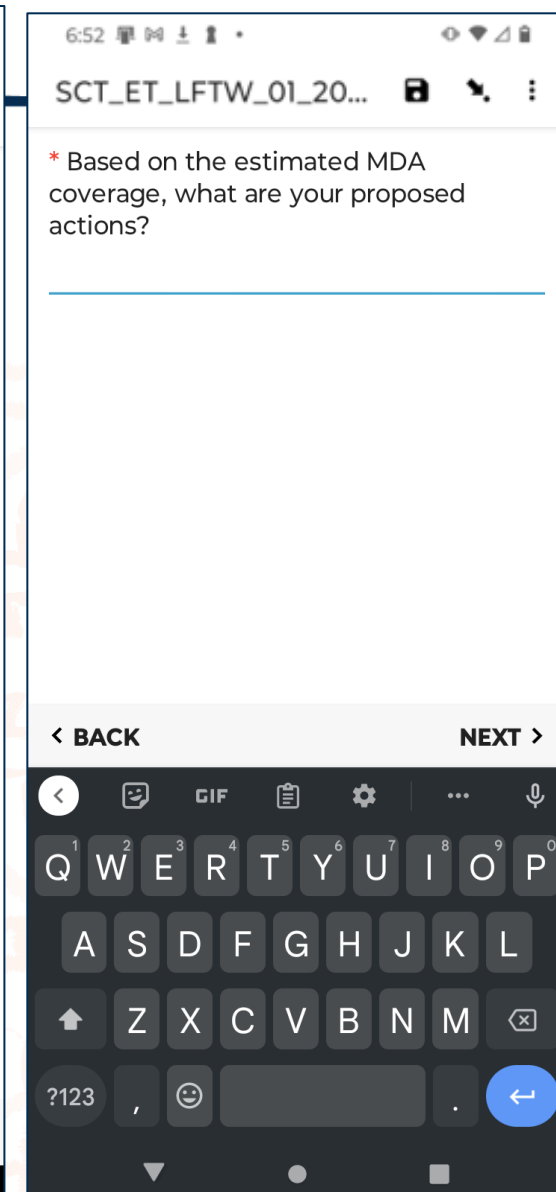
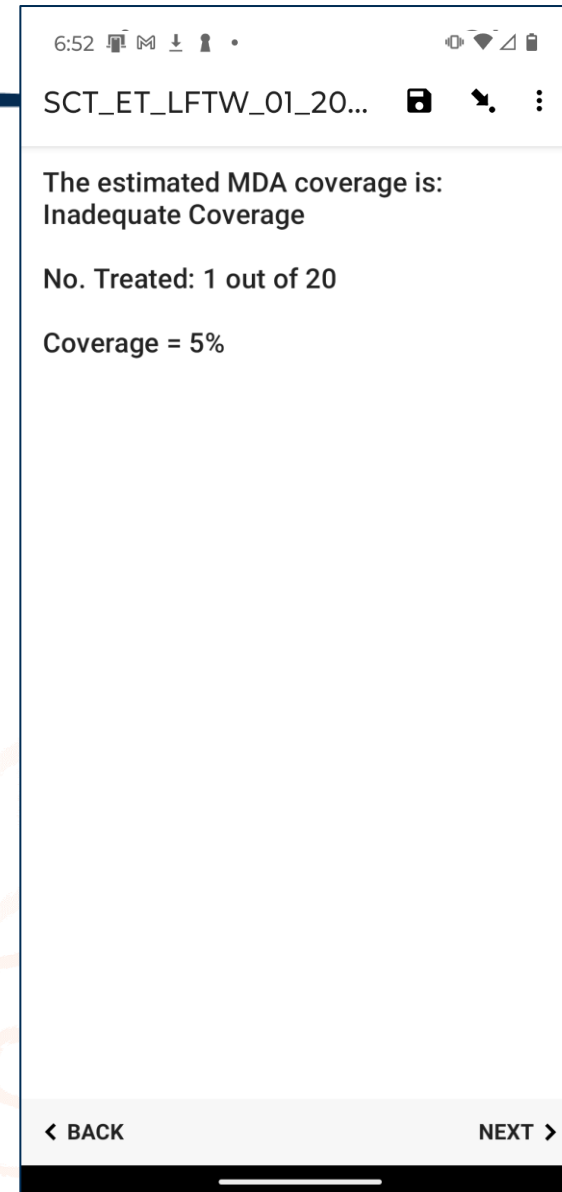


Supervision Area Coverage

Supervisor	Supervision Area	Treated Num	Coverage Per	Sup Actions
Okot Kenneth	Belemit	18	90	More VHT supervision
Achuma Richard	Atedeoi	18	90	Treat those who missed
Loremo Michael	Naregei	18	90	The few who missed we're at kraals in nauat. There for some drugs should be le
Emmanuel Ssegawa	Loroo	0	0	Bring a mobile team to this trading center and treat everyone.
TINDYEBWA Christine	Kichooke	13	65	VHTs are moving in those places today
Achuma Richard	Lokwaechom	18	90	Re sensitised, encouraged and treated those who had missed treatment
Napeyok Rosemary	Morukakero	18	90	Follow up sick clients and administer medication when they are stable.
OGWETHA KEVIN	PONDIGA	18	90	VHTS to continue to house holds where people have missed treatment.

Rapid Decision Making

- Immediate feedback on decision rules
- Record supervisors' proposed actions
- Dashboards are easily shared with decision makers at all levels



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Adapted Coverage Evaluation Survey (ACES)

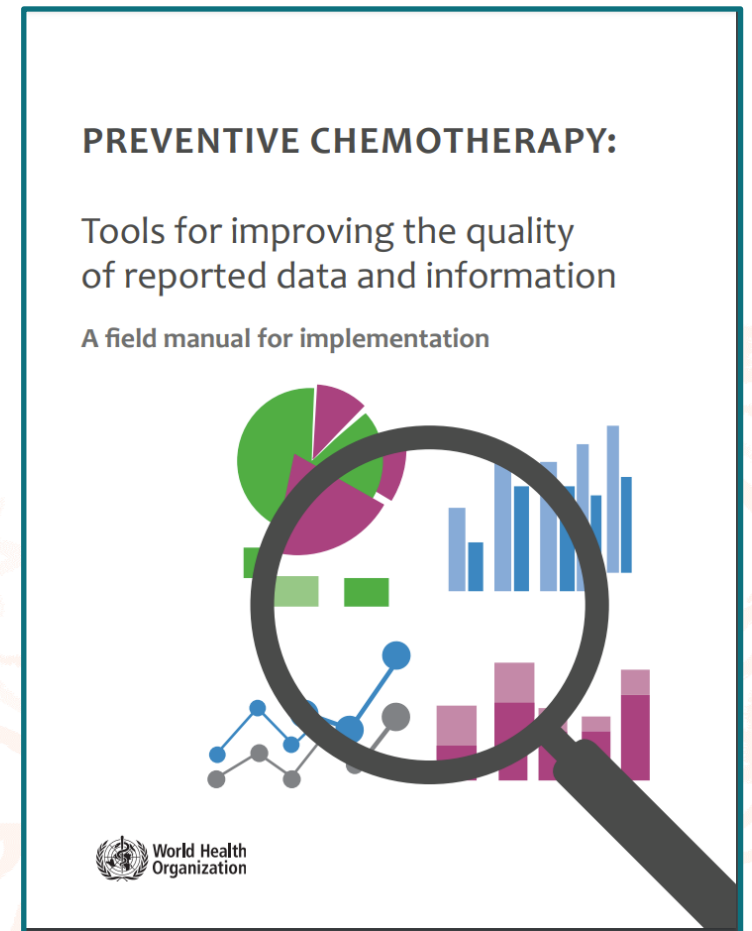


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Standard Coverage Evaluation Survey Summary

PURPOSE	To VALIDATE reported coverage (obtain statistical point estimate)
ADMINISTRATIVE LEVEL	Implementation unit (district)
SAMPLE SIZE	~1700 individuals
SITES VISITED	30 villages/clusters
TIMING	Within 6 months of MDA



Rationale for Adaptations to the CES

- Address the unique circumstances faced by 'last mile' districts
- Evaluate MDA strengthening approaches from most current round of MDA
- Collect targeted data to inform new MDA strategies



Additional
Questions



Disease
Measure



Unique Sampling
Methodologies



Qualitative Data
Collection

Additional Survey Questions

Standard CES questionnaire adapted to include questions on:

- Historical treatment status (Never treated)
- Mobile and migrant populations
- Socioeconomic status, access to WASH, and education/literacy
- MDA interventions

Data analyzed by age, sex, education, occupation and other areas of interest



Provides country programs with targeted information specific to country needs.

Unique Sampling Methodologies

Inclusion of additional, purposively selected clusters based on:

- Low reported MDA coverage
- High disease prevalence
- Known areas of migratory populations

Data analysis examined differences between purposively selected clusters and other surveyed areas



Provides the flexibility to survey areas of interest, instead of relying on random selection.

Disease Measure

Inclusion of disease testing during the CES

- TF grading for trachoma
 - Graders previously certified by Tropical Data
 - Standard Tropical Data questionnaire
- What are the characteristics of 'positive' individuals?

Data analysis examines differences between those with disease and those without and their behaviors



Provides information on the link between treatment history and disease status

Qualitative Data Collection

Understand local challenges and context through KIIs and FGDs

- Knowledge of the disease and vector control strategies
- Perception of personal/family risk for disease
- Knowledge and attitudes on MDA distribution

Identify community solutions

Conduct thematic analysis of transcripts



Provides detailed information that compliments or enhances the quantitative data

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Data Quality Assessments (DQA)



DQA: Adapted to investigate stock issues in Uganda

Traditional DQA tool was implemented in Uganda to assess for data quality.

This opportunity was leveraged to:

- Create an **add on tool** for health facility **stock cards**
 - Collected some quality information on medication stocks and distribution at the district level without doing a full DQA
- Provide **supportive supervision** during the DQA visit
 - Team engaged SDPs around findings and brainstormed potential solutions at the time of the interview
 - This engaged the lowest level providers in action planning and gave findings on the spot for rapid data dissemination and use

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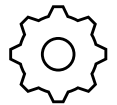
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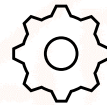


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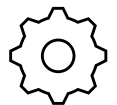
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Country experience with Data Quality Assessments (DQAs): Togo

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SUIVI ET L'ÉVALUATION DES PROGRAMMES DE CONTRIBUTION DE
PARTENARIAT POUR LA LUTTE CONTRE LES MALADIES TROPICALES
NEGLIGÉES: **Expérience du Togo sur la mise en Œuvre des Evaluations de
la Qualité des Données MTN**
Brazzaville, Congo du 12-16 août 2024

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- Conclusion

Introduction

- Elimination ou l'éradication des maladies tropicales négligées → qualité des données demeure un défi majeur pour le suivi des progrès
- Malgré moyens++ et méthodes de contrôle de qualité des données mis en place, les données transmises au niveau national ne sont pas toujours de bonnes qualités
- Le PNMTN via HDI: la formation en 2017 sur l'outil DQA MTN considéré comme un précieux moyen pour résoudre les problèmes de qualité des données
- Suite à cette formation, plusieurs DQA ont été mise en œuvre au Togo avec d'importants résultats obtenus.

Qu'est-ce que le DQA

1. C'est un outils utilisé par ++ programmes pour évaluer la qualité des données d'une intervention menée d'une période définie;

2. Évalue la capacité des systèmes à collecter et à rapporter des données de bonnes qualités pour les MTN/TDM en rapport avec:

- la vérification des données
- l' évaluation du système de gestion des données

Expérience DQA MTN au Togo

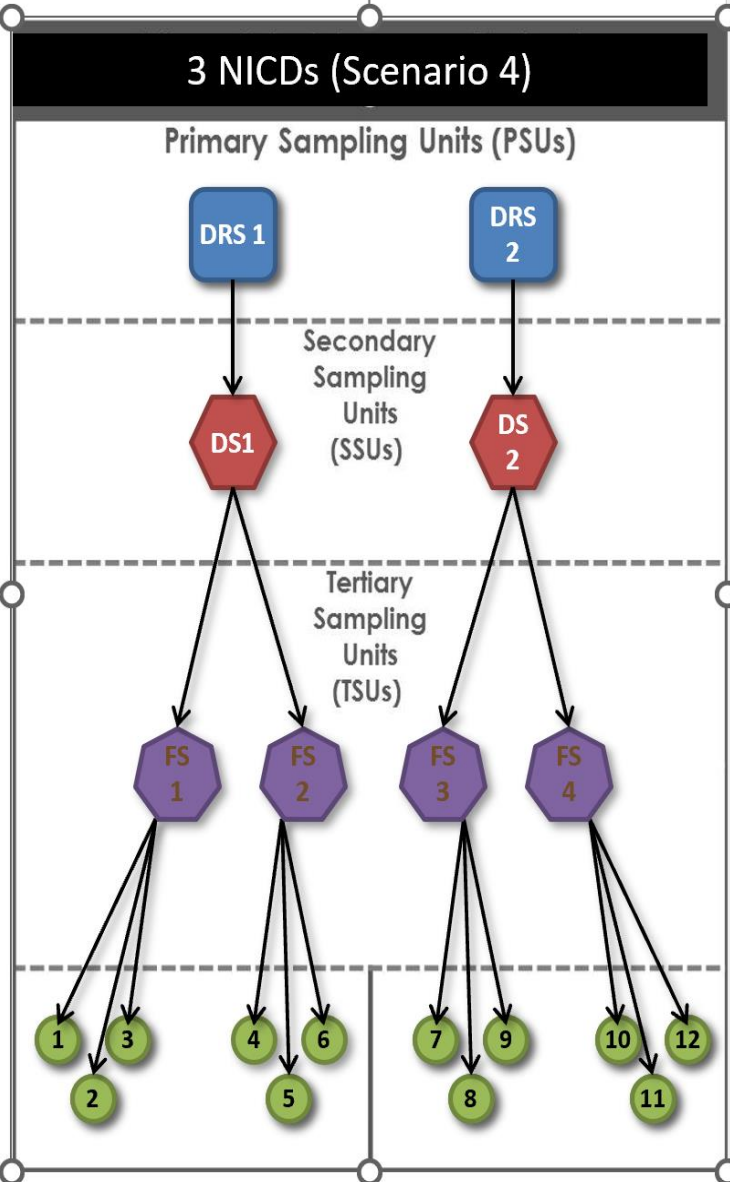
Objectifs

- Apprécier la capacité des systèmes de gestion des données MTN aux différents niveaux : Central (Programme), Intermédiaire (DRS), périphérique (DPS, FS);
- Vérifier la qualité des données transmises au niveau des différents sites échantillonnés ;
- Identifier les domaines du système de gestion des données du TDM qui nécessitent une amélioration ;
- Formuler des recommandations et élaborer un plan d'amélioration de la qualité des données des TDM

Expérience DQA MTN au Togo

- **2017:** 1er DQA national dans 2 régions (Plateaux, Centrale)
- **2018:** 2ème DQA national dans 2 régions (Kara, et Savanes)
- **2019:** DQA régionales
- **2022:** 3ème DQA national dans 2 régions (Plateaux et Kara)

Expérience DQA MTN au Togò **Méthodologie**



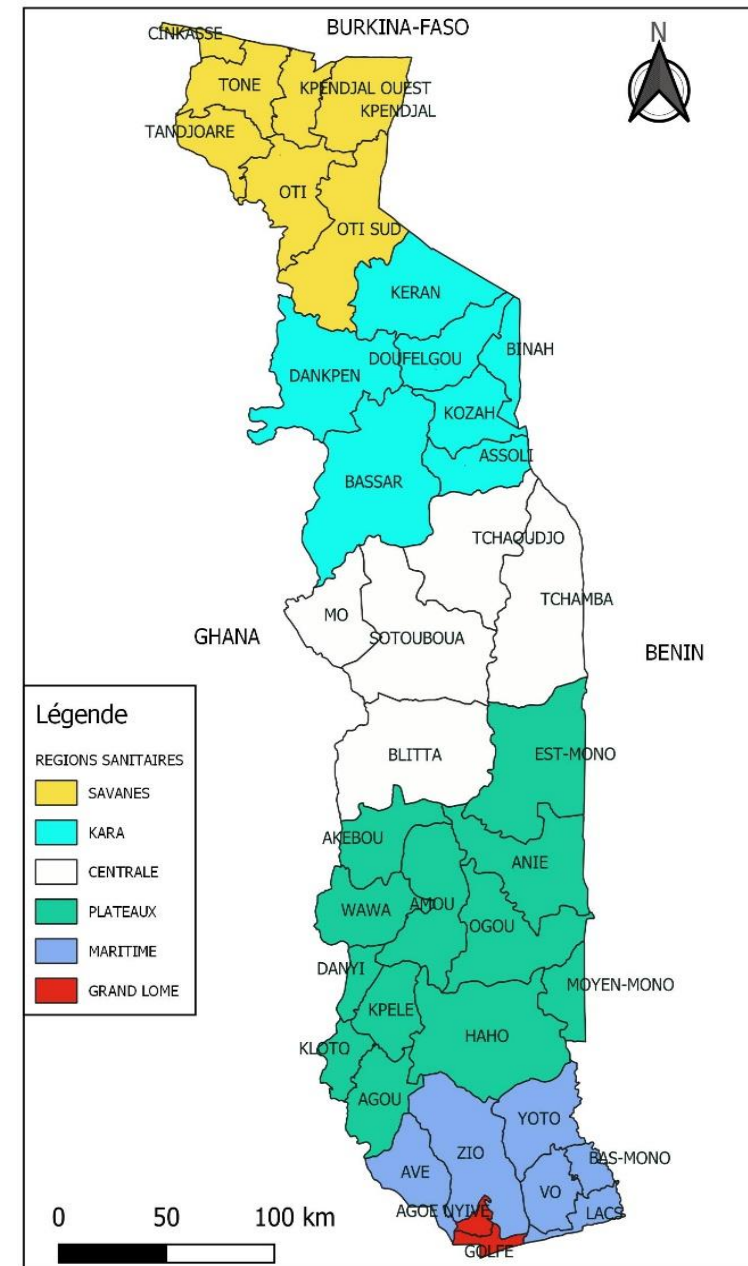
- **Sélection des sites DQA:**

Togo, 3 niveaux intermédiaires de cumul des données = Sélection de 2 régions sanitaires (**DQA national**), 1 district/région, 2 FS/district et 3 villages/FS (12 points de prestation de service);

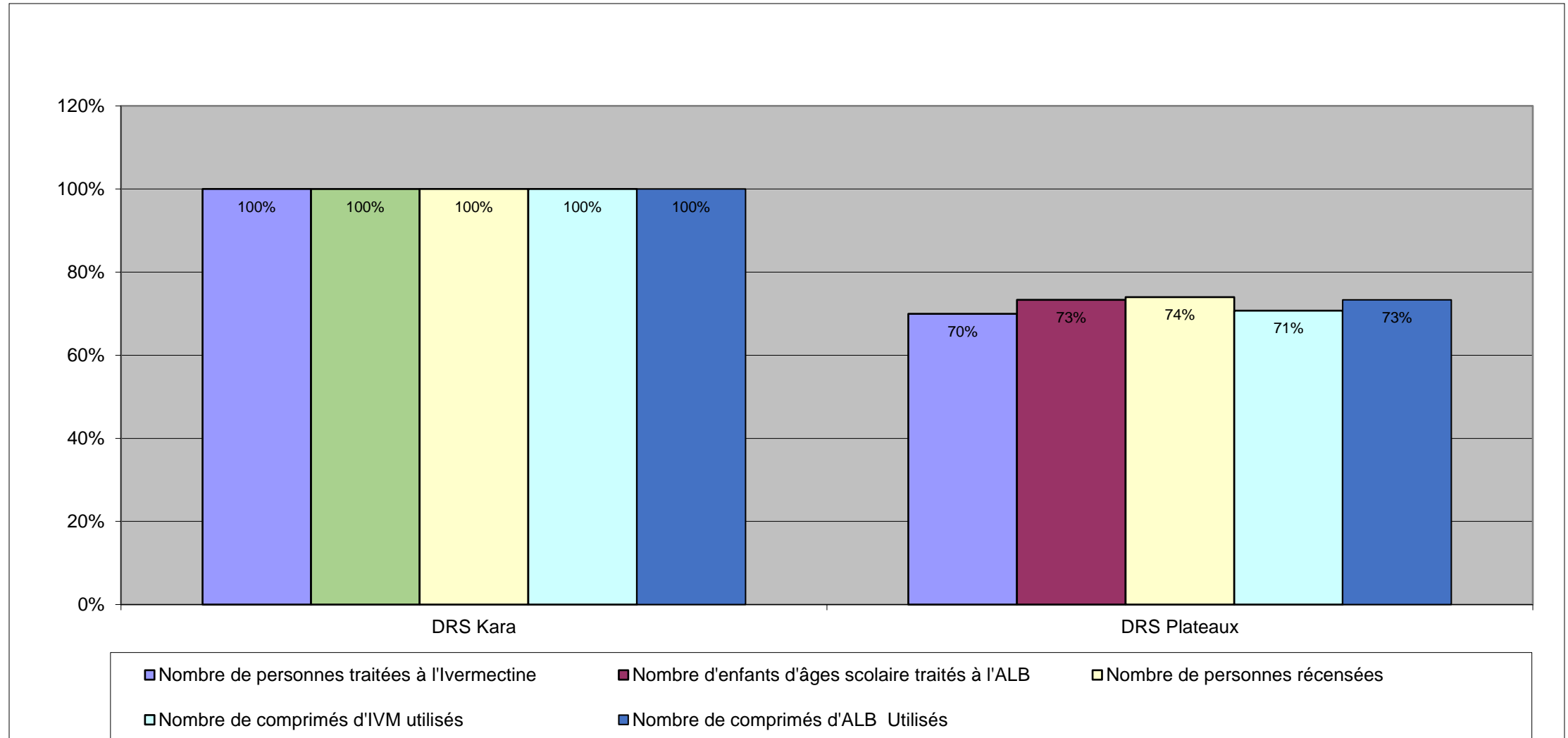
- **Choix des indicateurs:** 4 à 5

- **Outils (3 types):** points de prestation de services; DRS & DS; Unité S&E au niveau national

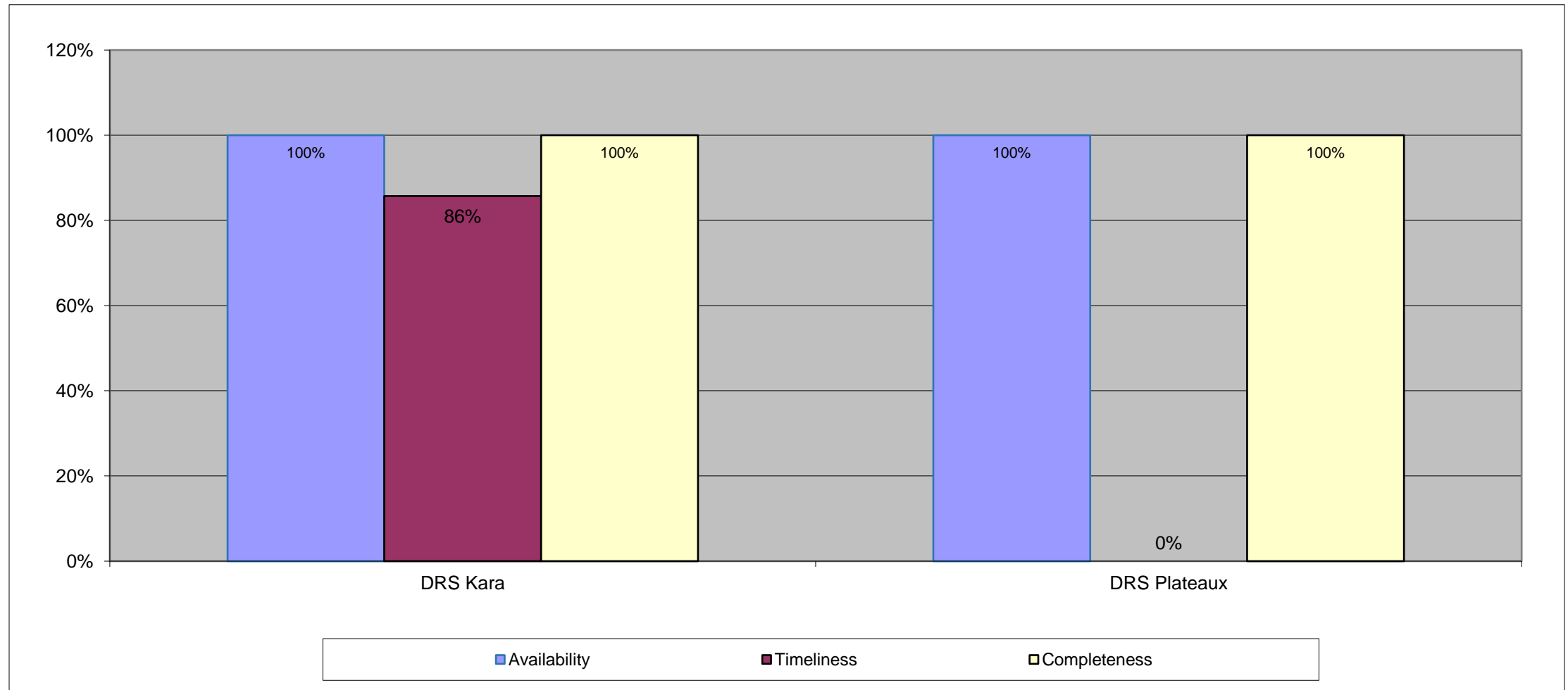
- **Techniques:** Entretien, observation et la revue documentaire



Résultats du DQA: vérification des données

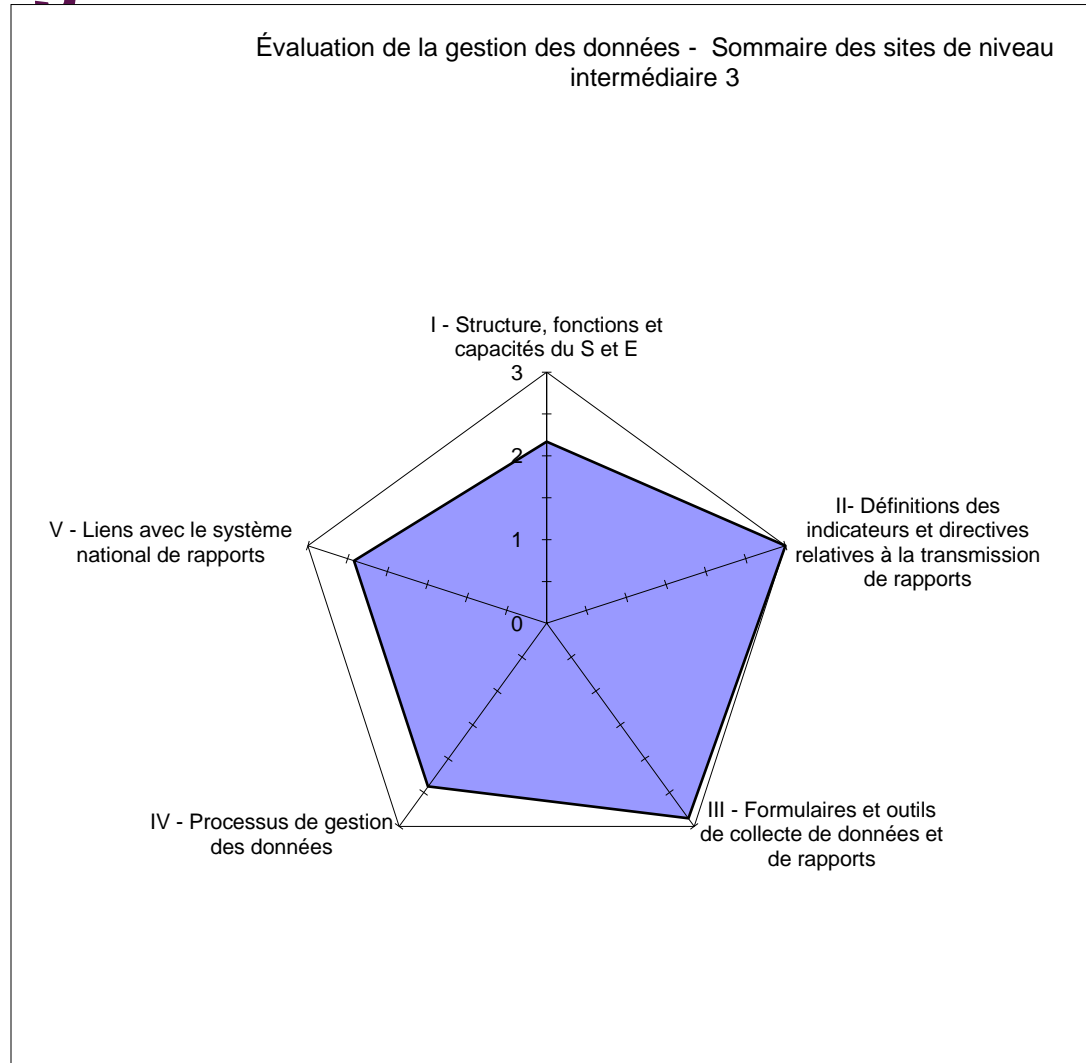


Résultats du DQA: Performance du système de transmission des rapports



Tous les rapports districts sont disponibles, complets mais non soumis à temps.

Résultats du DQA région: évaluation du système de gestion



- 3 domaines faibles++
- Seuls les PF MTN sont seul à gérer les données des MTN, pas de contrôle QD.
- Il n'est pas mis en place un cahier de réception et transmission des rapports des différents niveaux.
- Les rapports élaborés pour les TDM évalués ne sont pas imprimés et signés pour être archivés dans un classeur.
- Les dates de réception des rapports, décision à prendre en cas de retard dans la réception ou autres aspects ; feed-back faits lors de la validation des rapports non documentés

Résultats du DQA région: Synthèse

- **Points forts en lien avec la vérification des données**
 - La complétude des rapports est à 100%;
 - Disponibilité de tous les rapports
- **Points faibles en lien avec la vérification des données**
 - Le faible taux de promptitude des rapports (0% - 86%)
 - Les données rapportées different des données recomptées (Sur et sous rapportage des données);

Résultats du DQA région

Points forts en lien avec l'évaluation des systèmes

- Synthèse régionale des rapports de districts et les données validées étaient disponibles en version électronique.
- Les rapports étaient analysés et envoyés par le point focal.
- Les membres de l'ECR (2 dans la Kara et 4 dans les Plateaux) étaient formés sur le processus du TDM.
- Les outils standards de collecte étaient disponibles et utilisés.
- Le circuit de transmission des rapports des TDM était bien connu.
- La disponibilité du personnel qualifié chargé de la collecte et la validation des données;

Résultats du DQA: Points faibles en lien avec l'évaluation des systèmes

- Les domaines de capacité du système de Santé (2.1); gestion des données et liens avec le système national de rapports (2.4) ont le plus besoin d'amélioration. Les raisons sont:
 - La non disponibilité des rapports physiques au niveau des régions et districts (archivage);
 - Insuffisance dans la notion de double saisie pour le contrôle de qualité
 - Les écarts constatés dans les données envoyés non documentés.
 - Le non retour de feed-back sur les erreurs constatées sur le rapportage ;
 - Les données présentes dans le rapport narratif sont différentes de celles de la base nationale validée (plateaux) ;
 - Les actions prises par les DPS/DRS n'étaient mentionnées nulle part ;
 - Pas de procédure formelle pour les rapports en retard;

Résultats du DQA DS et FS: Points faibles en lien avec l'évaluation des systèmes

- Au niveau district, les aires fonctionnelles qui nécessitent le plus d'amélioration concernent le processus de gestion des données et les formulaires et outils de collecte des données
- Au niveau FS et villages; les aires fonctionnelles I (structures et fonctions) et IV (Processus de gestion des données) qui ont enregistré des contreperformances

Résultats du DQA: Réunion de restitution et de validation des données

- Restitution des résultats à tous les niveaux en présence des premiers responsables de la structure et des personnes chargées de la gestion et de la compilation des données.
- Ce cadre d'échanges, est l'occasion pour les évaluateurs et les évalués de faire des propositions techniques du plan d'action visant à améliorer les insuffisances relevées.

Initiatives pour améliorer la qualité des données MTN

- Institution de la pré validation des données au niveau de tous les districts;
- Révision des outils de collecte et de rapportage des données TDM;
- Élaboration d'un guide de remplissage des outils;
- Elaboration d'un guide prenant en compte les délais de transmission des données TDM;
- Mise en place des procédures de vérification et de validation des données

Leçons apprises

- La réalisation du DQA permet à chaque acteur de la mise en œuvre de s'auto apprécier et de prendre conscience;
- Les données dépouillées par les ASC et celles saisies par le RFS ne sont pas toujours cohérentes (non ou faible implication des RFS dans le dépouillement);
- Les registres de recensement qui sont censés être avec le RFS se retrouvent souvent chez les ASC;
- L'intégration du DQA par les régions et les districts dans leur activité de supervisons permet d'améliorer la qualité des données;
- Les directives écrites pour la transmission des rapports à différents niveaux et des cahiers de transmission de rapports= éléments d'amélioration de la qualité;
- La présence d'un gestionnaire des données est nécessaire;
- Le suivi de la mise en œuvre des recommandation des DQA à chaque niveau +++ dans l'amélioration de la qualité des données;

Défis et perspectives

- Appropriation et mise en oeuvre du DQA au niveau DS et region
- Données cohérentes à tous les niveaux de la pyramide
- Amélioration du système d'archivage de données à tous les niveaux
- La saisie systématique des données validées dans le Dhis2 par les points focaux districts
- Maintien des ressources formés si possible à leur poste pour la conduite du DQA de façon régulière

Conclusion


- La mise en œuvre du DQA est un bon exercice qui a permis au Togo d'améliorer la qualité de ses données.
- A chaque niveau, les points forts et des points à améliorer sont relevés avec élaboration d'un plan d'action et des recommandations
- Le suivi de la mise en œuvre de ces recommandations permet d'améliorer la qualité des données

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DQA: volet vérification des données





Evaluation DQA à la DRS Plateaux



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Country experience with Data Quality Assessments (DQAs): Cote d'Ivoire

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Increasing MDA coverage through the use of high-quality timely data: Nigeria





Coffee Break



Real time data for decision making: Adapted Supervisors Coverage Tool (SCT) in Ethiopia

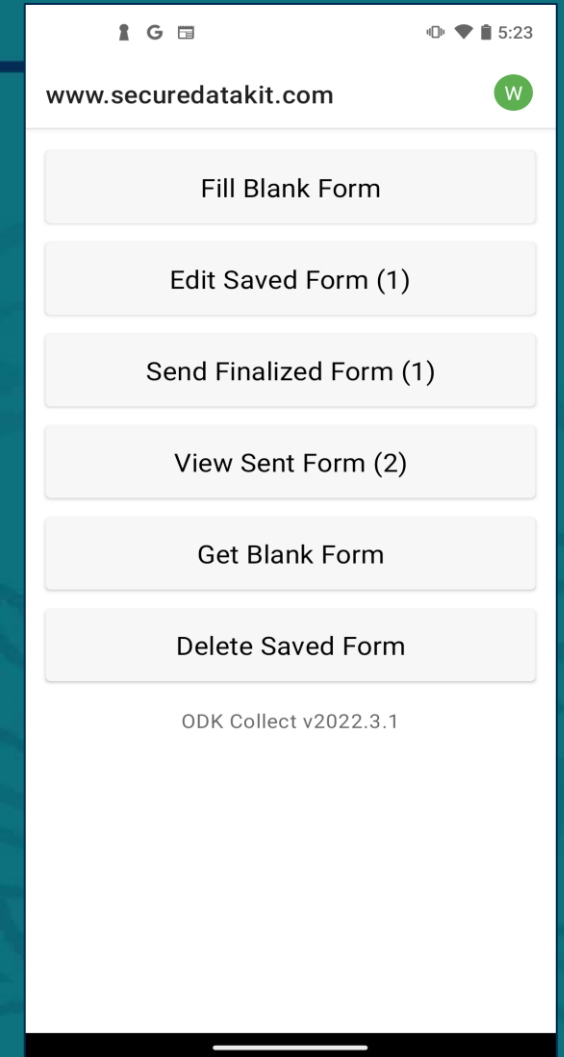
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Real Time Data for Decision Making: Adapted Supervisory coverage tool (SCT) using Electronic data capture (EDC) in Ethiopia

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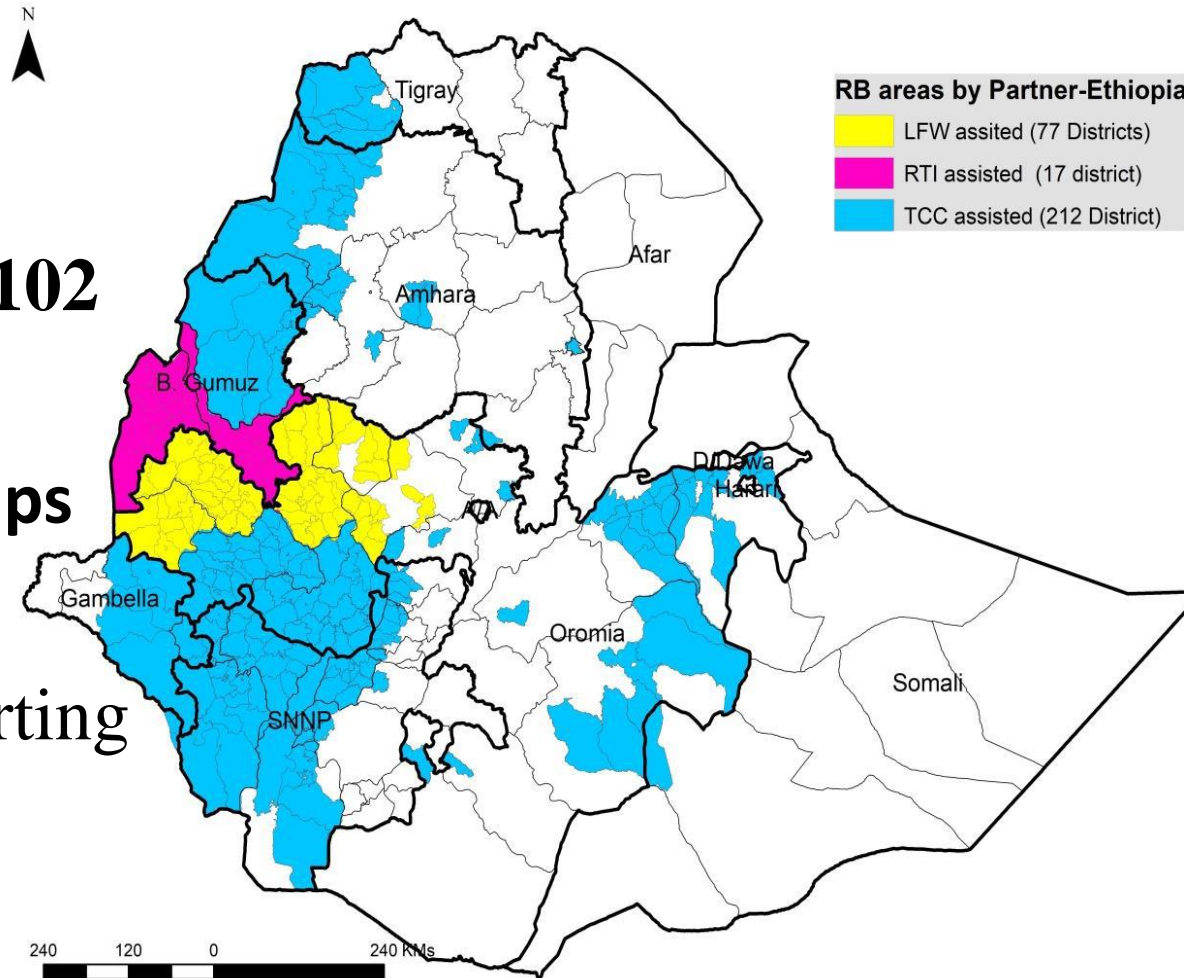
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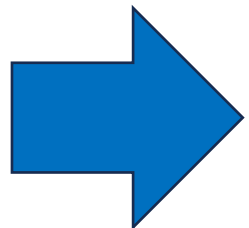
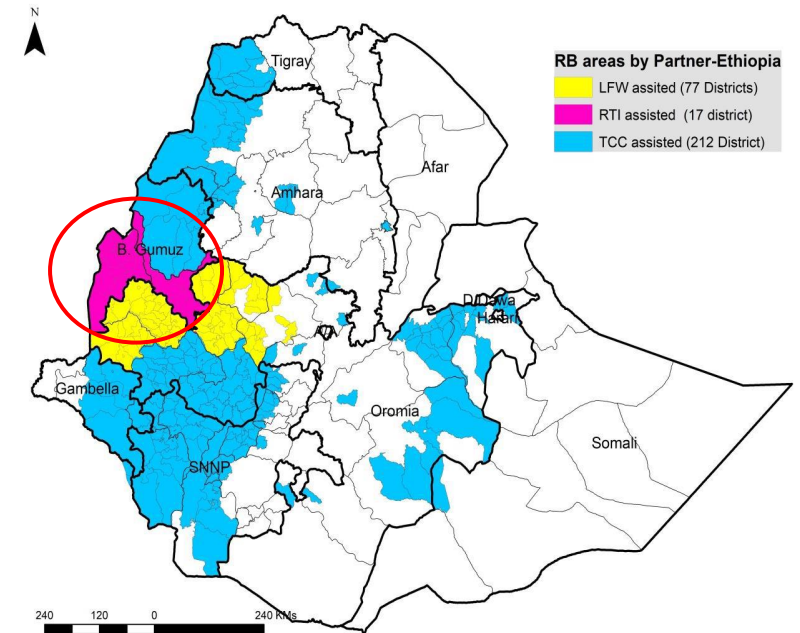
Overview of Onchocerciasis in Ethiopia

- Total population: **117,271,469**
- Population at risk for OV (2024): **23,830,102**
- Act|East supports for **94 districts + 3 camps**
- RTI, TCC & LFTW are the partner supporting OV elimination.



Overview of OV in the Benishangul Gumuz Region

- OV MDA conducted in 17 woredas and 3 refugee camps
- Treatment for OV began in 2013
- Treatment impact assessments were not done
- Parts of the region are difficult to access because insecurity
- Some parts of the region have mining areas with large mobile community.



Difficult to provide adequate supervision during the MDA

Adapted SCT for enhanced supervision and real time data for decision making

- Ethiopia has used paper-based SCTs for many years; however,
 - Delayed report and
 - Delayed action were common challenges
- In 2023, the following SCT adaptations were implemented
 - **EDC platform** for near real time availability
 - **Dashboards** that are easily shared with decision makers
 - **Additional questions** to ensure inclusive MDA distribution
 - Marital status, education, occupation, disability status

Implementation of the SCT using EDC

Where:

- In 5 selected woredas of Asossa Zone- BG region- Ethiopia

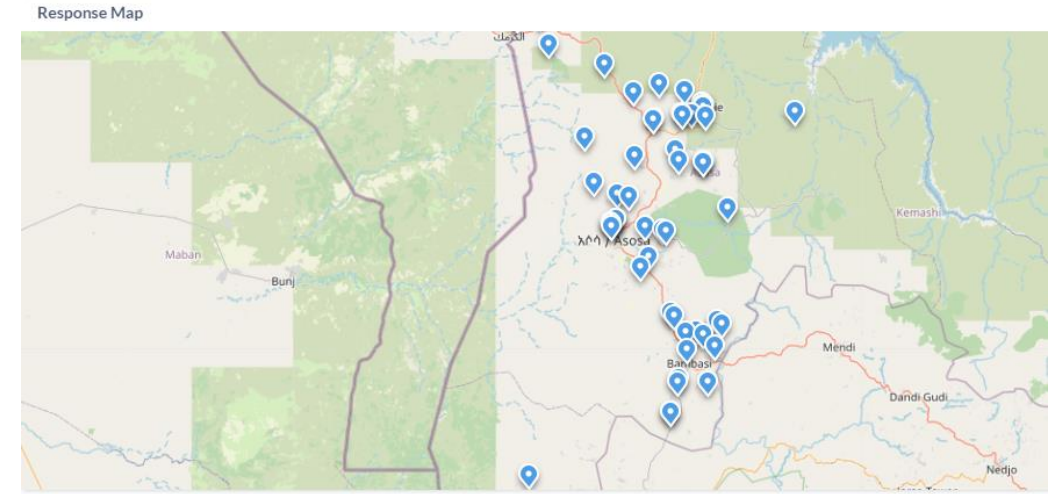
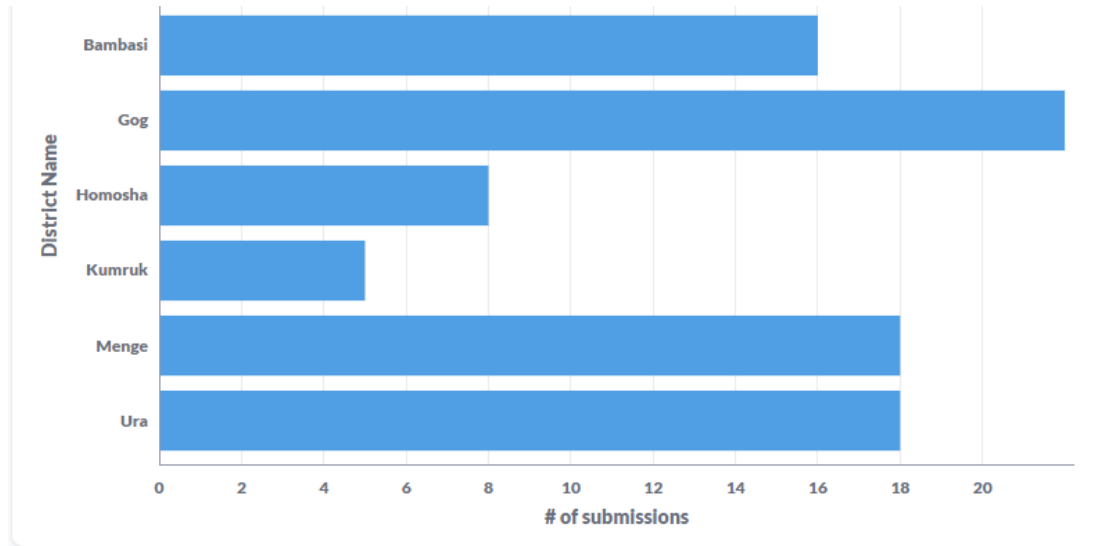
Who:

- Selected supervisors who have previous exposure to both ODK and OV MDA supervision
- Personal phone used by health center and woreda health office supervisors
- Supervisors were oriented on the SCT questions at the end of MDA training

Monitoring:

- RTI in country, HQ and RHB leaders and NTDs focal points had access to the server and SCT dashboard
- Report sent to the regional MDA taskforce on daily basis

SCT dashboards allow decision makers to monitor results in real time

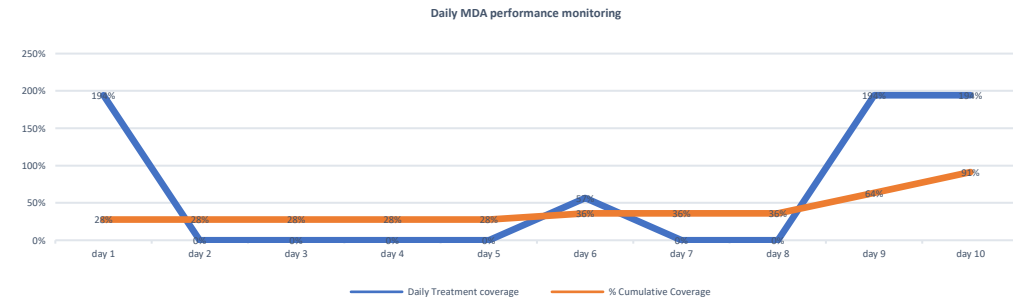


Supervision Area Coverage

Today	Recorder	Supervisor	Region	District	Disease Label	Participants Count	Hh Absent	Treated Num	Coverage Per	Coverage Good	Coverage Inadequate	Coverage Bad
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January 1, 2024	13			4	Oncho	20	1	17	85	0	1	0
January 2, 2024	17			5	Oncho	20	0	16	80	0	1	0
January 2, 2024	32			1	Oncho	20	0	18	90	0	1	0
January 2, 2024	19			3	Oncho	20	0	18	90	0	1	0
January 3, 2024	32			1	Oncho	20	0	17	85	0	1	0

Adapted SCT integrated into the existing daily data monitoring strategy

- Data is aggregated daily into the data monitoring tool
- Starting on Day 4, SCT results are also entered
- Regional health bureau, zone health departments meet daily to any updates.
- Results are communicated to local supervisors by phone and telegram.



S. N	List of District	Target	Daily Target	Total persons	Coverage in %	Total Number	Total Number	% Coverage	Total Number of SCT Planned in the woreda	Ng of SCTs done with Good coverage SCT (19-20)	Ngf kebeles with cannot conclude coverage Good SCT- (14-18)	Ng of kebeles with with inadequate coverage SCT (0-13)
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3	Homosha	0	0		#DIV/0!			#VALUE!				
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5	Kumruk	0	0		#DIV/0!			#DIV/0!				
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Almost all woredas had supervision areas that required intervention during the MDA

Supervision Areas

Woreda	Total # Supervision Areas	Good Coverage	Cannot Conclude	Inadequate Coverage	% of Supervision Areas with "cannot conclude" or "inadequate" coverage (requires action)
Bambasi	25	22	3	0	12%
Homosha	10	5	4	1	50%
Kumruk	8	5	2	1	38%
Menge	19	18	1	0	5%
Asosa town	5	5	0	0	0%
Oura	23	20	3	0	13%

MDA Adaptations to address areas of low coverage

- Relocate supervisors to under supervised areas
- Start mop-up activities
- Send additional medication to address stock issues.



Photo credit: Hirpa Abdi (RTI _ Ethiopia) Zonal NTDs focal providing feedback to the district supervisors in Asossa zone_BG region

Successes

- Identification of low coverage and under supervised areas.
- Access to results that are easily communicated to supervisors daily.
- Use of tool has contributed to improved coverage.

Lessons and Challenges

- Limiting the number of questions included in the tool is important for keeping the interviews short.
- Lack of mobile network in some remote areas leads to delayed reporting.
- Interruption of daily monitoring activities in some woredas due to competing activities.

Next steps

- Continue to advocate for the importance of the adapted SCT for program improvement.
- Build in additional time during the MDA training to ensure supervisors are properly trained on the tool.
- Include as part of review meeting discussion to identify any barriers for utilization.



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SCT/EDC orientation in Asossa_BG

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CES in districts conducting biannual trachoma MDA in Niger

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Enhanced MDA strategies in Niger in districts with persistent or recrudescant trachoma

Outline

- I. Trachoma epidemiological situation in Niger
- II. Persistent and recrudescient trachoma
- III. USAID Trachoma Learning Agenda and Deep Dive
- IV. Enhanced MDA strategies
- V. Results from MDA and CES
- VI. Next Steps

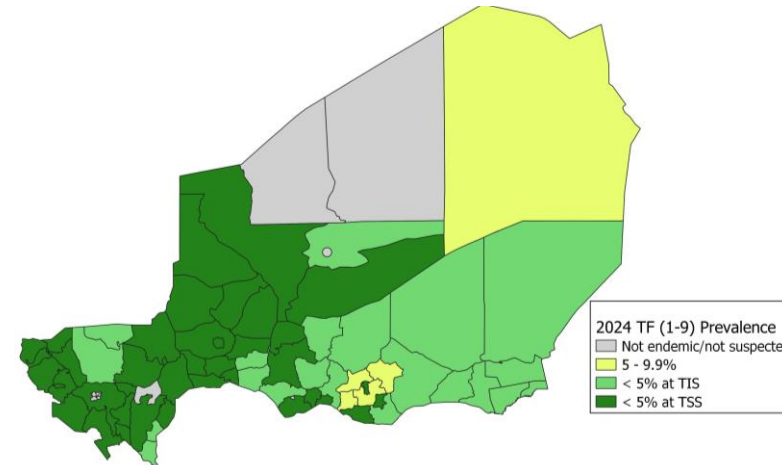
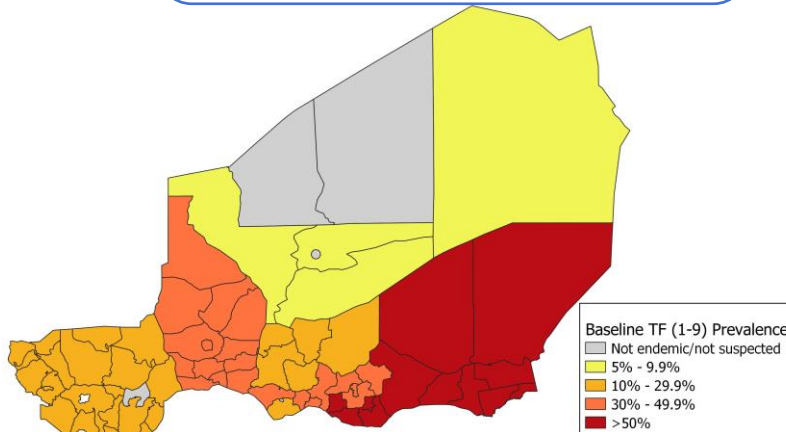
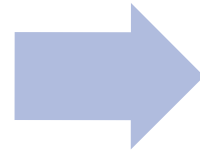
Trachoma Endemicity – Baseline and Current

Baseline (1999 – 2018)

- 62 of 72 districts endemic for trachoma
- MDA started in 2002

2024

- 56 full HDs have reached the threshold required to stop MDA
- 38 HDs with TF₁₋₉ <5% at TSS



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Persistent and Recrudescient Trachoma

Number of Districts			
TF ₁₋₉ ≥5% at baseline	TF ₁₋₉ <5% at TIS	Persistent (TF ₁₋₉ ≥5% at TIS ≥2x	Recrudescent (TF ₁₋₉ ≥5% at TSS)
62	56*	25	9

Potential contributing factors:

- High Baseline TF₁₋₉
- MDA coverage
- Survey quality
- Insecurity and population movement
- Redistricting
- Poor WASH access

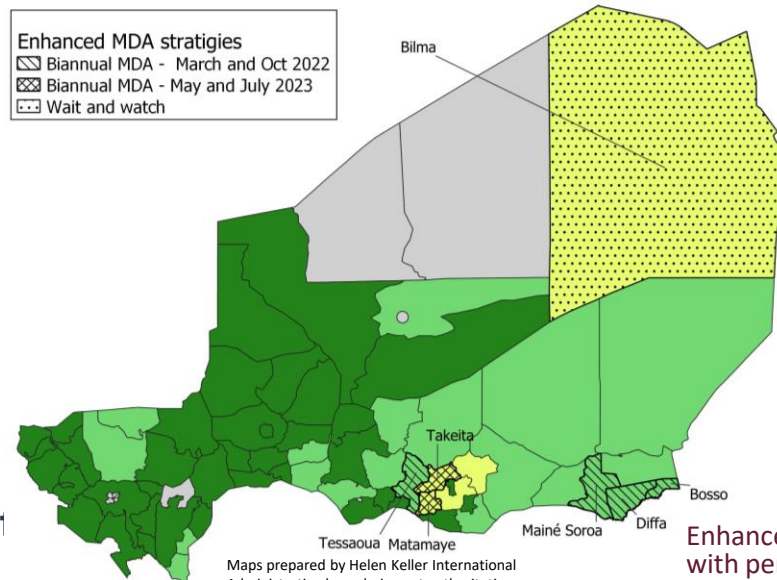
Enhanced MDA strategies

Biannual MDA

- Four persistent HDs in March and October/November 2022 (Diffa, Bosso, Mainé, Tessaoua1)
- Two recrudescent HDs (Matameye3, Takeita1) in May and July 2023

“Wait and watch”

- One persistent HD (Bilma) where TF was just over 5% during all three TIS conducted since 2017.



Enhanced MDA strategies in Niger in districts with persistent or recrudescent trachoma

Enhanced MDA strategies

- Continued emphasis on **program delivery improvements**:
 - Sub-district MDA data analysis
 - Supervisors Coverage Tool
 - Mobile strategy for hard-to-reach populations
 - Improved population estimates
 - Liaising with UNHCR re: refugees



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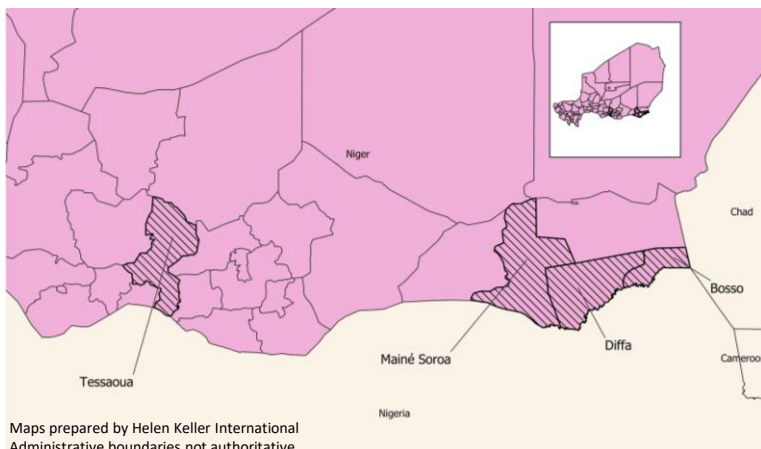


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Persistent Districts – Biannual MDA 2022



District	Baseline TF ₁₋₉ % (Year)	Number of TIS with TF ₁₋₉ ≥5%	TF ₁₋₉ % prior to biannual MDA (Year)
Bosso	37.0% (2005)	3	11.5% (2019)
Diffa	37.0% (2005)	3	11.5% (2019)
Mainé Soroa	54.8% (1999)	3	8.9% (2021)
Tessaoua	62.0% (2005)	3	6.68% (2021)

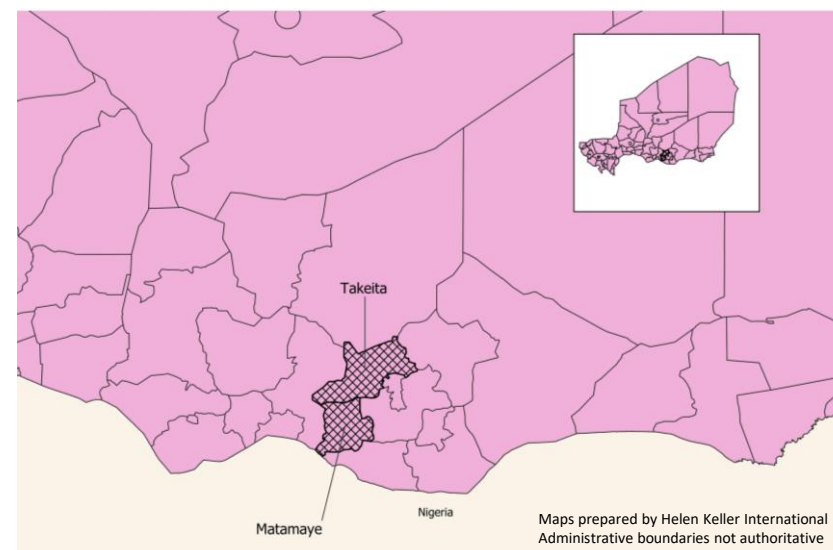
- MDA conducted in March 2022 and Nov 2022 targeting approx 946,525 people each round

- High baseline prevalence
- Insecurity
- Population movement

Recrudescence Districts – Biannual MDA 2023

District/EU	Baseline TF ₁₋₉ % (Year)	Number of TIS TF ₁₋₉ ≥ 5%	Number of TSS TF ₁₋₉ ≥ 5%	Most recent TF ₁₋₉ % (Year)
Matameye 3	63% (2005)	3	1	6.3% (2022)
Takeita 1	35.0% (2005)	2	1	9.08% (2022)

- MDA conducted in May 2023 and July 2023 targeting 202,096 individuals in Matameye 3 and 176,316 in Takeita 1
 - High baseline prevalence
 - Insecurity
 - Population movements - Nigeria



CES Methodology

- WHO Coverage Sample Builder (CSB) used to determine the number of clusters and households to be surveyed.
- Probability proportional to size estimated with segmentation
- In each EU, 30 clusters were randomly selected by the CSB, and 10 or more additional clusters were chosen to compensate for any sampling deficit.
- At cluster level (village), interviewers drew up a list of households with the help of community relays and village authorities. Households were selected on the basis of list A or list B supplied by the CSB.
- The study population - those present or absent during the MDA campaign in March 2022 or November 2022 (1st survey) and May and July 2023 (2nd survey).

Result

- Period: Dec22/Janv23 and November 2023
- Survey in all clusters (except N°12 Mainé - population in conflict/displaced zone)
 - Substitution of 14 clusters, including 11 in red zones and 3 with a lost population.
- 8,777 people surveyed
- Data collection through tablets and ODK/Ona platform
- Analysis - Stata, Excel, R

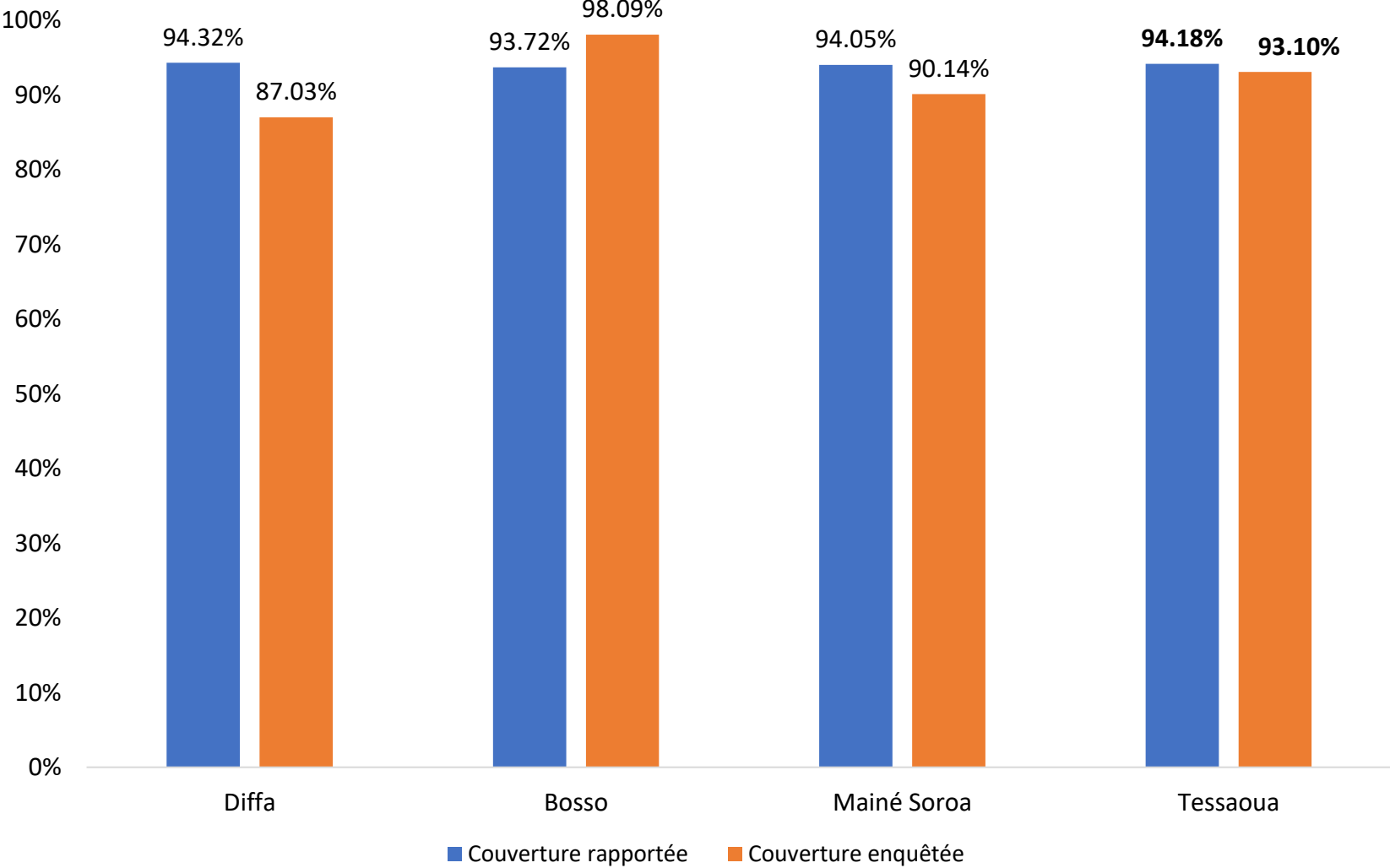
Coverage survey results

	Nb surveyed	Treated - R1		Treated - R2		Both rounds		Treated at least once		Not treated either round	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
TOTAL	8,777	7546	86.0%	7652	87.2%	7207	82.1%	7991	91.0%	786	9.0%

Reported vs Surveyed Coverage

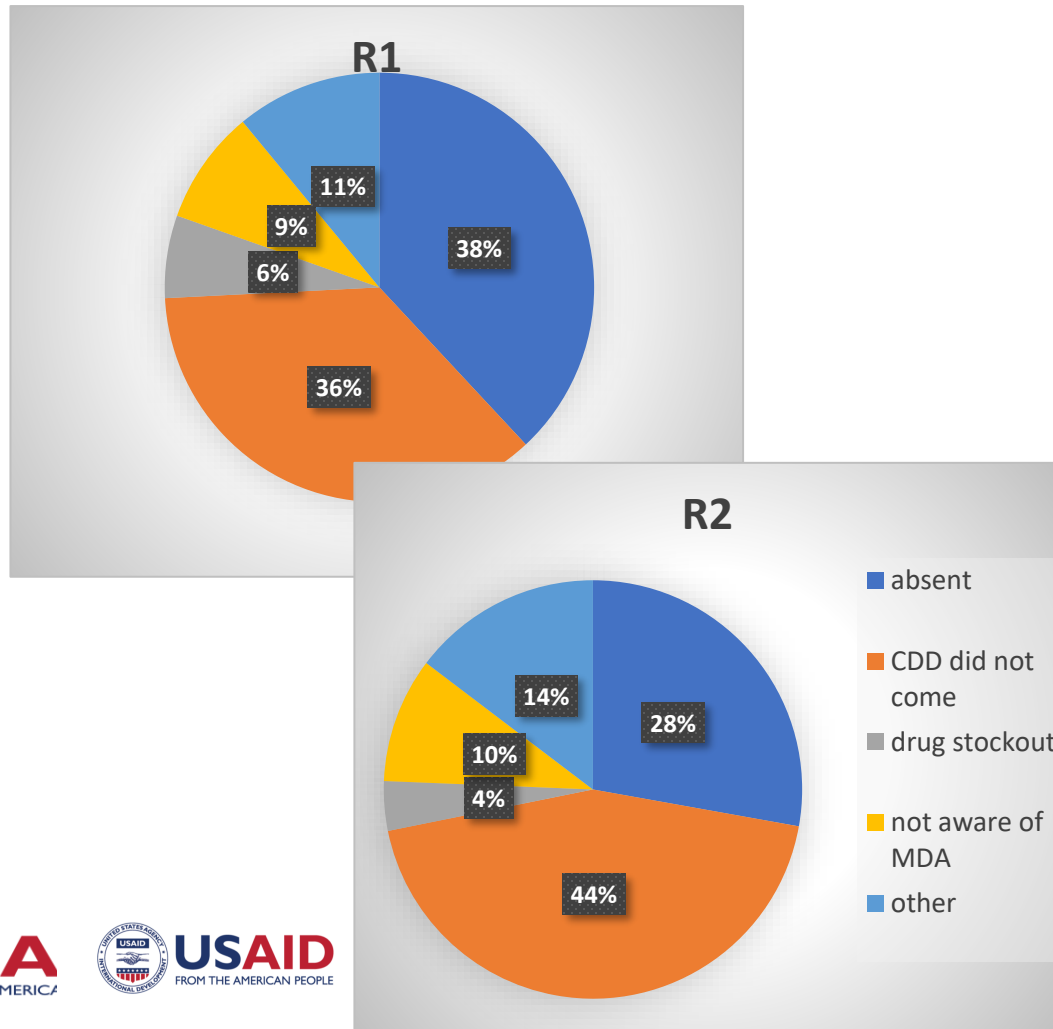
HDs / EU	MDA R1			MDA R2			Survey Period
	Period	Reported Coverage	Surveyed Coverage (95% CI)	Period	Reported Coverage	Surveyed Coverage (95% CI)	
Tessaoua EU1	Mar 2022	87.42%	87.85% (85.77-89.67%)	Dec 2022	94.18%	88.74% (86.74-90.47%)	Jan 2023
Diffa		95.42%	83.83% (82.15-85.38%)		94.32%	82.33% (80.61-83.93%)	
Bosso		96.67%	97.31% (96.24-98.09%)		93.72%	96.83% (95.7-97.68%)	
Mainé Soroa		95.36%	81.78% (79.5-83.86%)		94.05%	85.76% (83.68-87.62%)	
Matameye EU3		79.23%	90.58% (89.01-91.95%)		80.57%	92.54% (91.12-93.75%)	
Takeita EU1	May 2023	80.03%	85.81% (83.77-87.64%)	Jul 2023	83.08%	78.58% (76.24-80.74%)	Oct 2023

Comparaison des couvertures TDM TR au 2^e tour par DS (%)

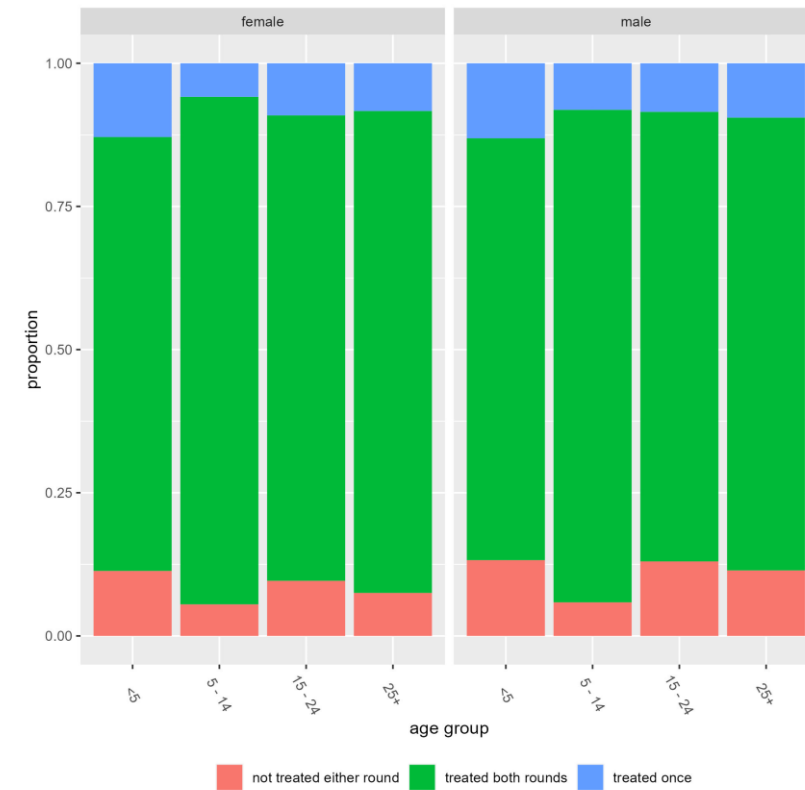


Biannual MDA Coverage Survey

Reasons for non-treatment



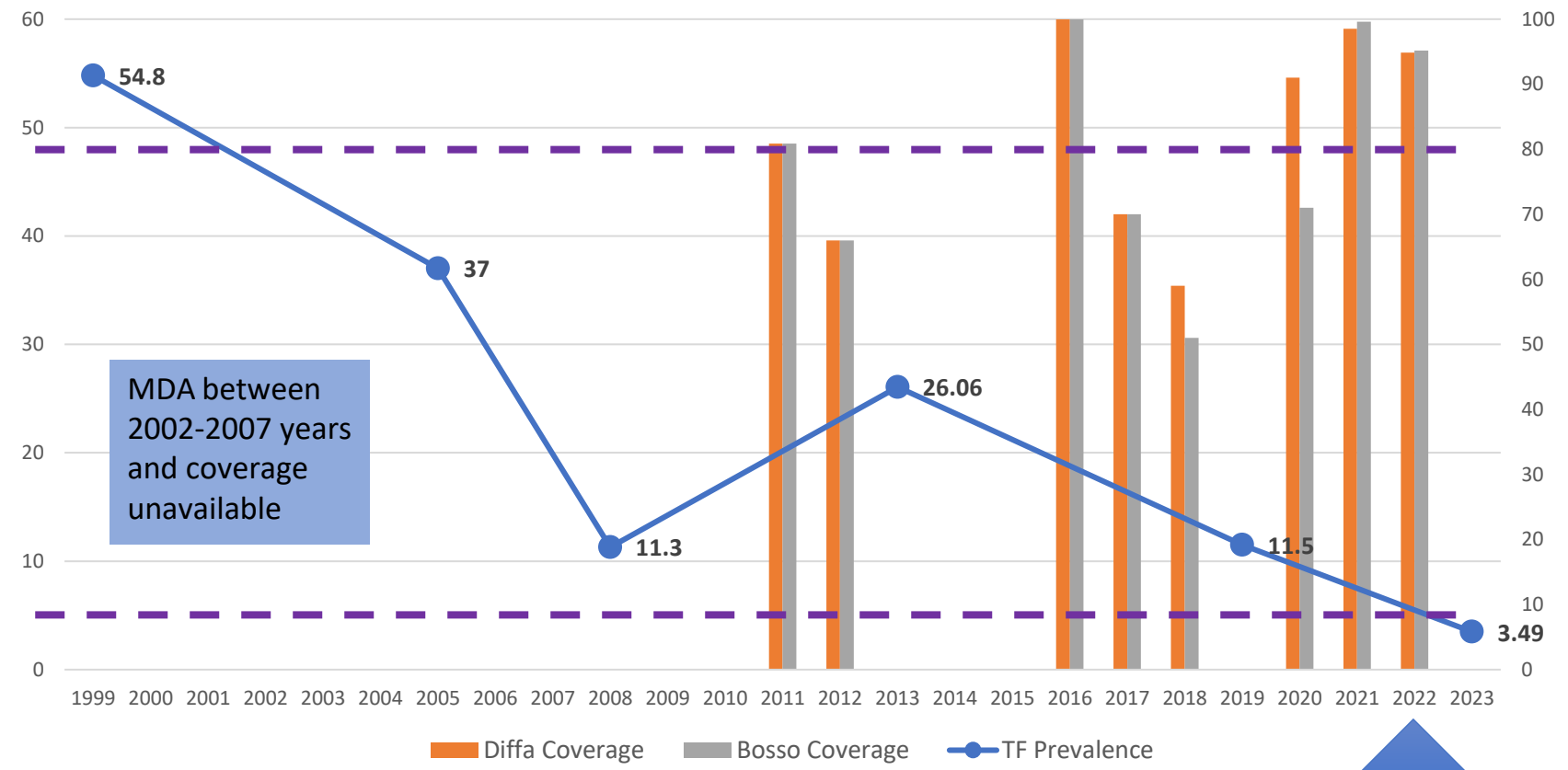
Proportion treated by age group and sex



CES results – Characteristics of non-treated individuals

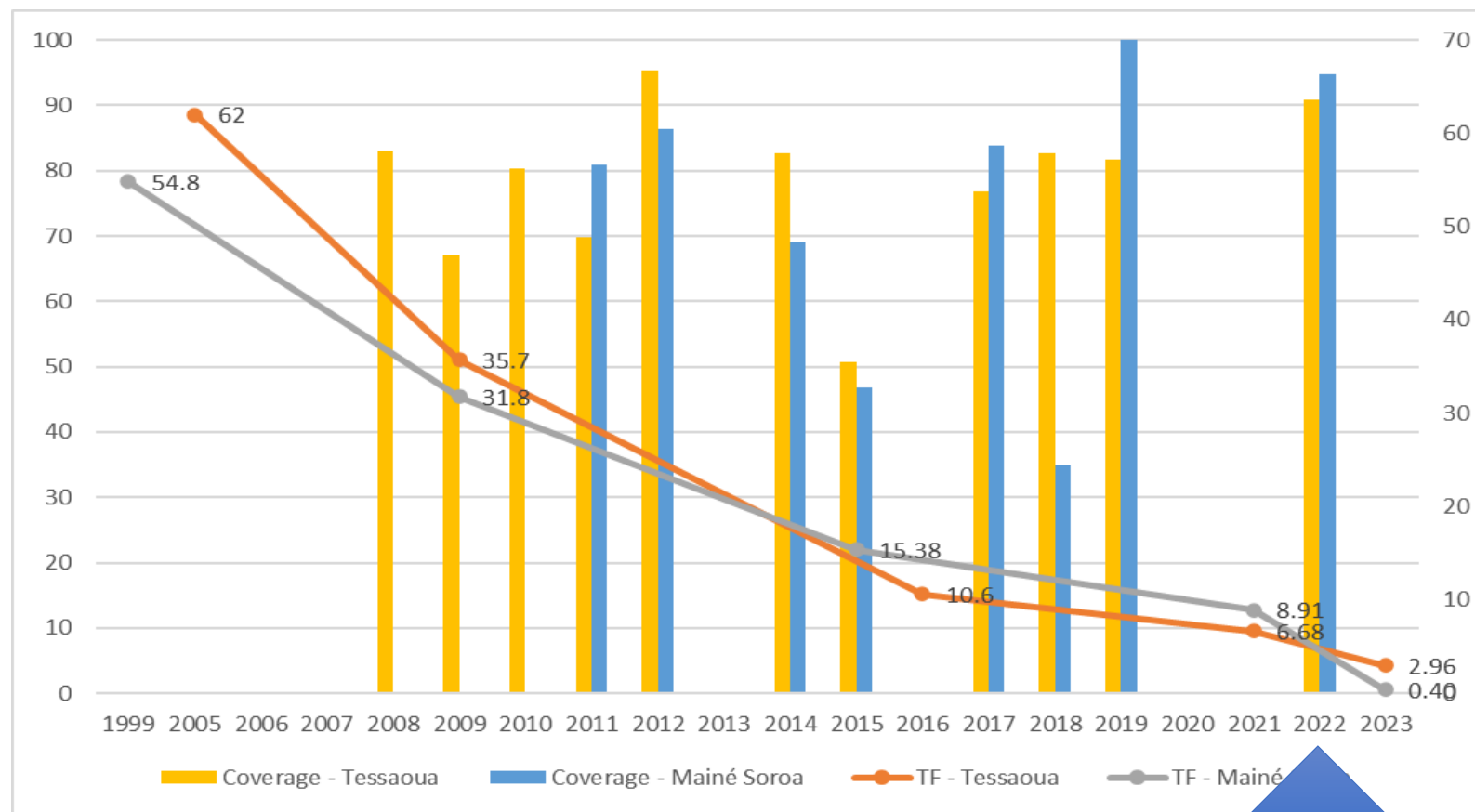
EU	Number surveyed (%)	% not treated either round	p value
TOTAL	8607	8.32%	
District			
Bosso	1301 (15.1%)	2% (1.34 - 2.96)	<0.001
Diffa	2053 (23.9%)	11.2% (9.89 - 12.67)	
Maine Soroa	1246 (14.5%)	11.56% (9.86 - 13.49)	
Tessoua	1128 (13.1%)	7.36% (5.93 - 9.08)	
Matameye EU3	1582 (18.4%)	4.55% (3.6 - 5.73)	
Takeita	1297 (15.1%)	12.41% (10.69 - 14.36)	
Sex			
Female	4330 (50.3%)	7.29% (6.54 - 8.12)	<0.001
Male	4274 (49.7%)	9.36% (8.51 - 10.28)	
Age			
<5	1300 (15.1%)	8.54% (7.1 - 10.2)	<0.001
5-14	2968 (34.5%)	5.69% (4.9 - 6.6)	
15-24	1442 (16.8%)	11.23 (9.67 - 13.1)	
25+	2897 (33.7%)	9.46% (8.43 - 10.6)	
Education			
Primary or less	6002 (69.7%)	8.61% (7.92 - 9.36)	0.051
Literate/Koranic School	2068 (24.0%)	7.11% (6.06– 8.32)	
Middle or higher	537 (6.2%)	9.68% (7.38 – 12.58)	

TF₁₋₉ Prevalence and Reported Coverage by Year - Diffa and Bosso



Two MDAs

TF₁₋₉ Prevalence and Reported Coverage by Year - Tessaoua and Mainé Soroa



Two MDAs

What do coverage surveys tell us about the biannual MDA strategy



- Preliminary evidence that the biannual MDA strategy is having its intended effect
 - <10% not reached at least once
 - Bosso, Diffa, Tessaoua, Maine Soroa all reported $TF_{1-9} < 5\%$ at TIS in 2023
- Certain populations have higher rates of non-treatment
- Absenteeism and CDD not coming account for almost 2/3 of the reasons for non-treatment

Coverage Evaluation Surveys: Uganda

Working Group Discussion



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Adapted CES for Enhanced Decision Making in Uganda

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The leadership from the Uganda MOH on all CES activities

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Challenges specific to **Moroto** and **Nabilatuk**

Adapted CES was conducted in **Moroto** and **Nabilatuk** in **August 2023**

- Areas of persistent or recrudescient transmission
- Home to mobile and migrant populations
- Lack of information on specific populations that may be missed during MDA: women of reproductive age, children, and youth

Nomadic pastoralist communities in *Ateker* corridor



Source: Humanitarian policy group:
https://www.preventionweb.net/files/24285_24285literaturereviewrread1.pdf

Survey Objectives

- i. To validate reported preventive Chemotherapy (PC) coverage for MDA held in June 2023.**
- ii. Identify environmental and individual factors associated with the results achieved during MDA**
- iii. Describe the characteristics of sub-populations who were not offered or did not swallow medicines during MDA**
- iv. Measure coverage in specific sub-populations**
- v. To understand relationship between receiving treatment, coverage and trachoma prevalence by examining eyes**

Adaptations



Additional questions

- Ethnicity
- Never treatment questions
- WASH
- School attendance
- Location where drugs were received



Unique sampling – inclusion of additional clusters

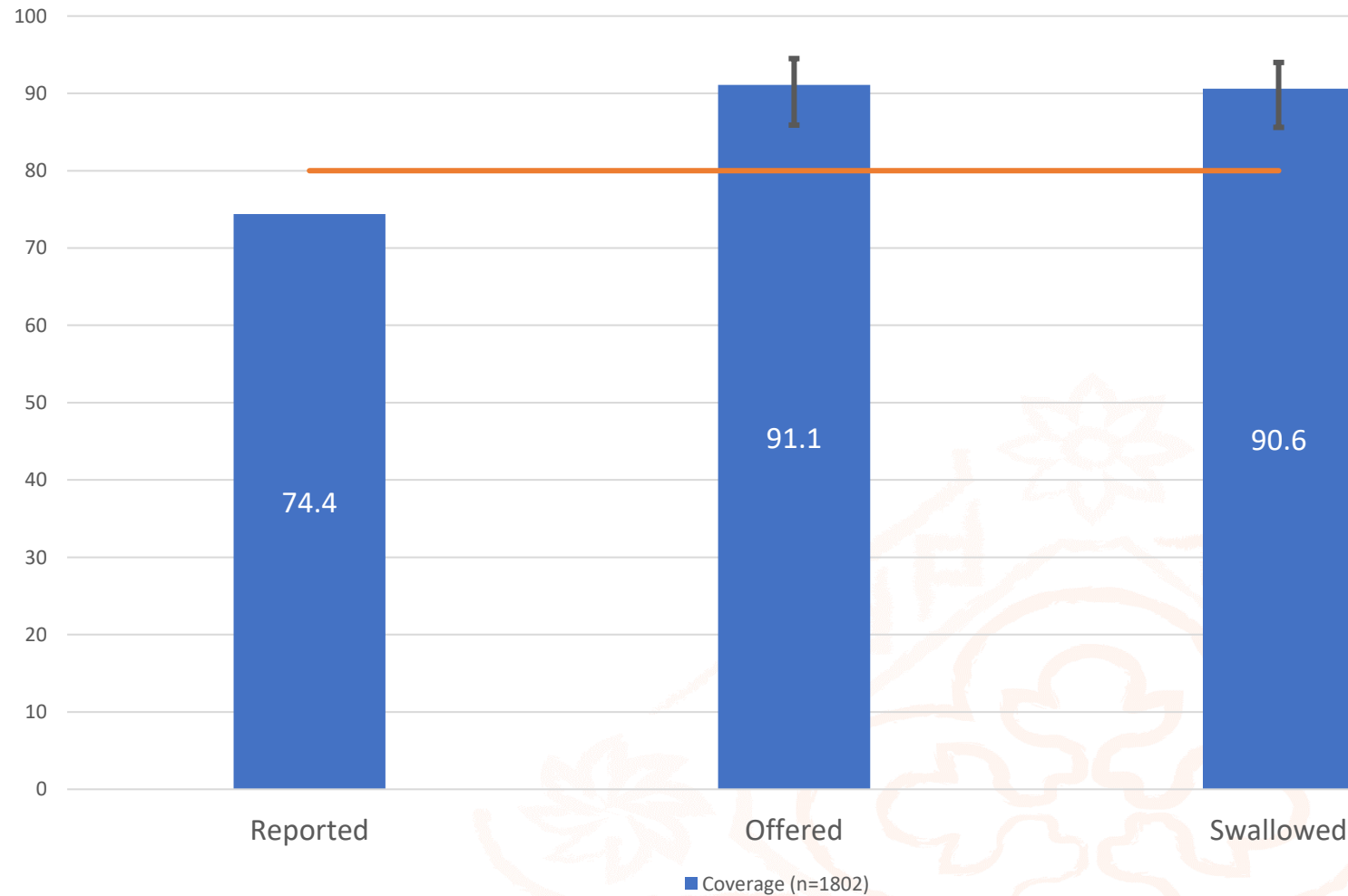
- Clusters with kraals purposively selected (5 from each district)



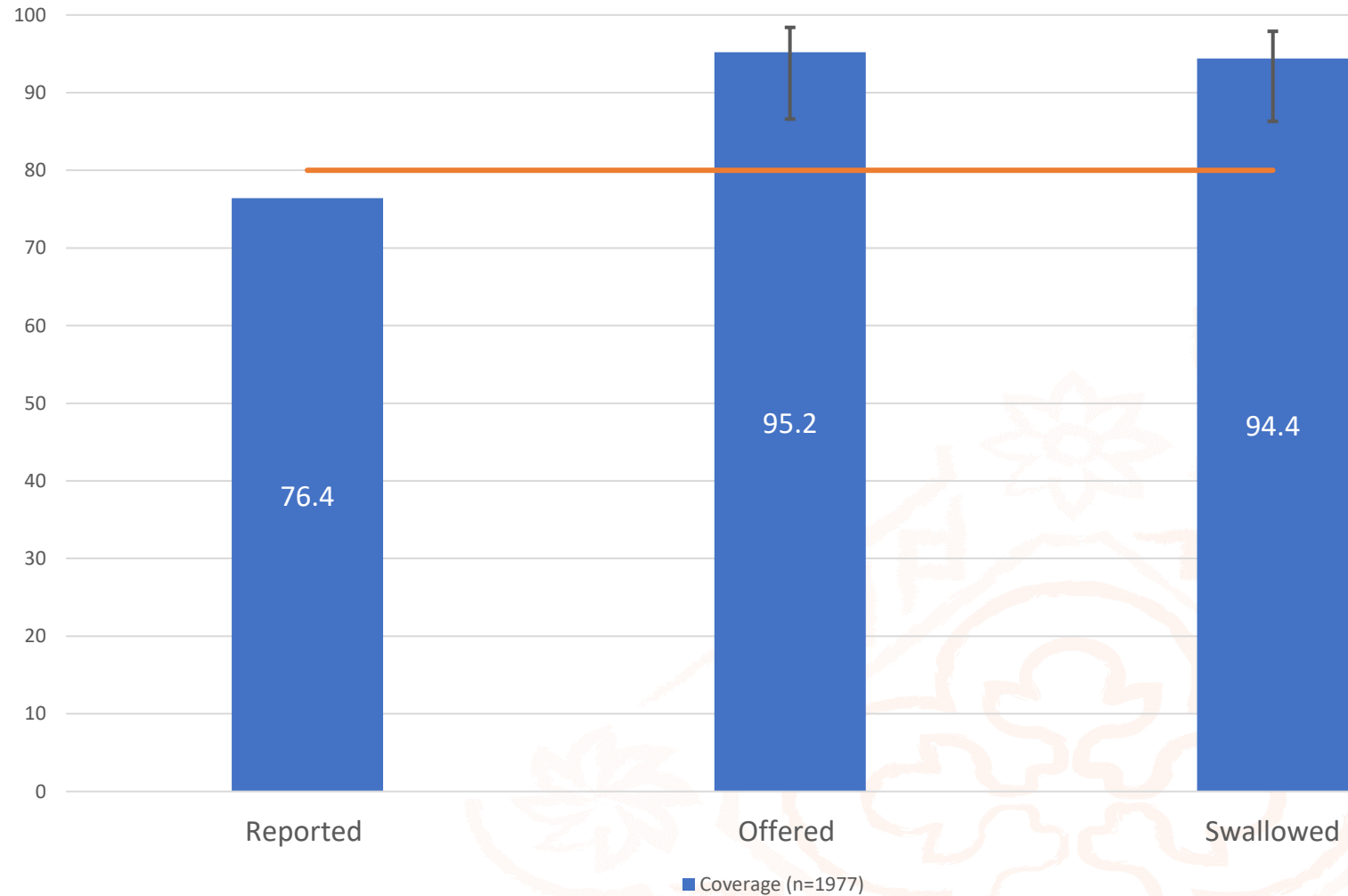
Disease measure

- TF grading of children 1-9 years of age
- Graders previously certified through Tropical Data

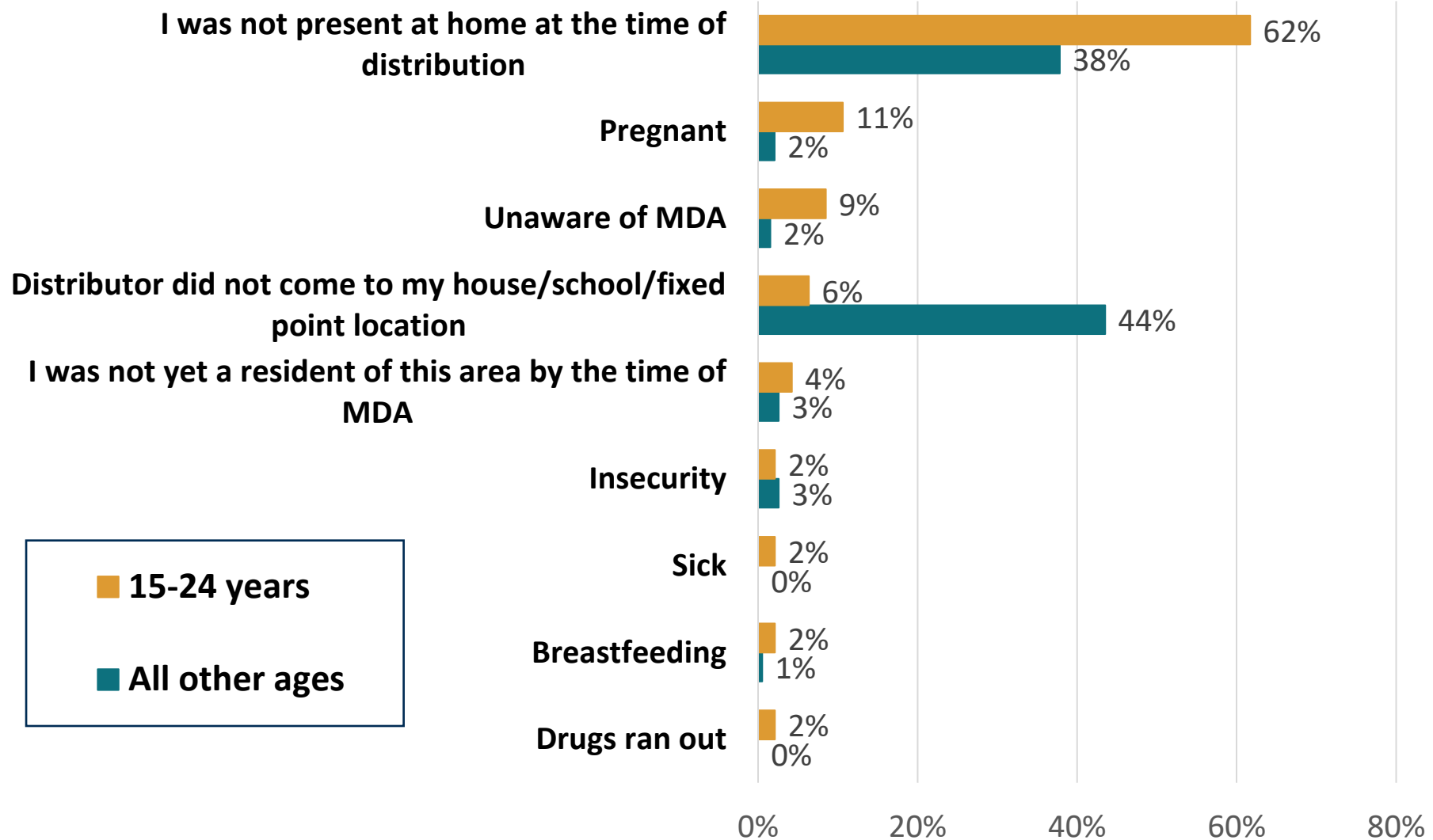
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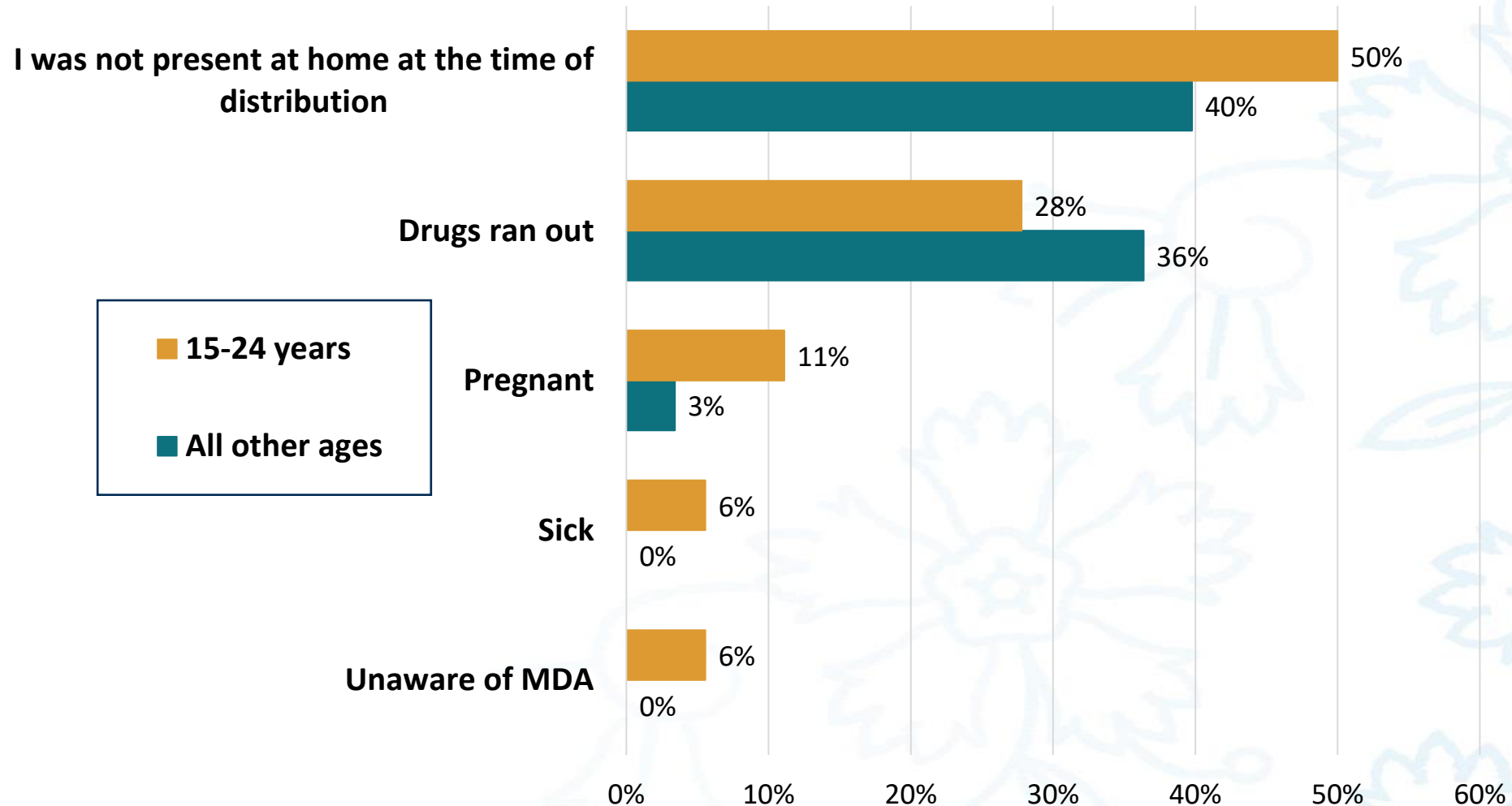
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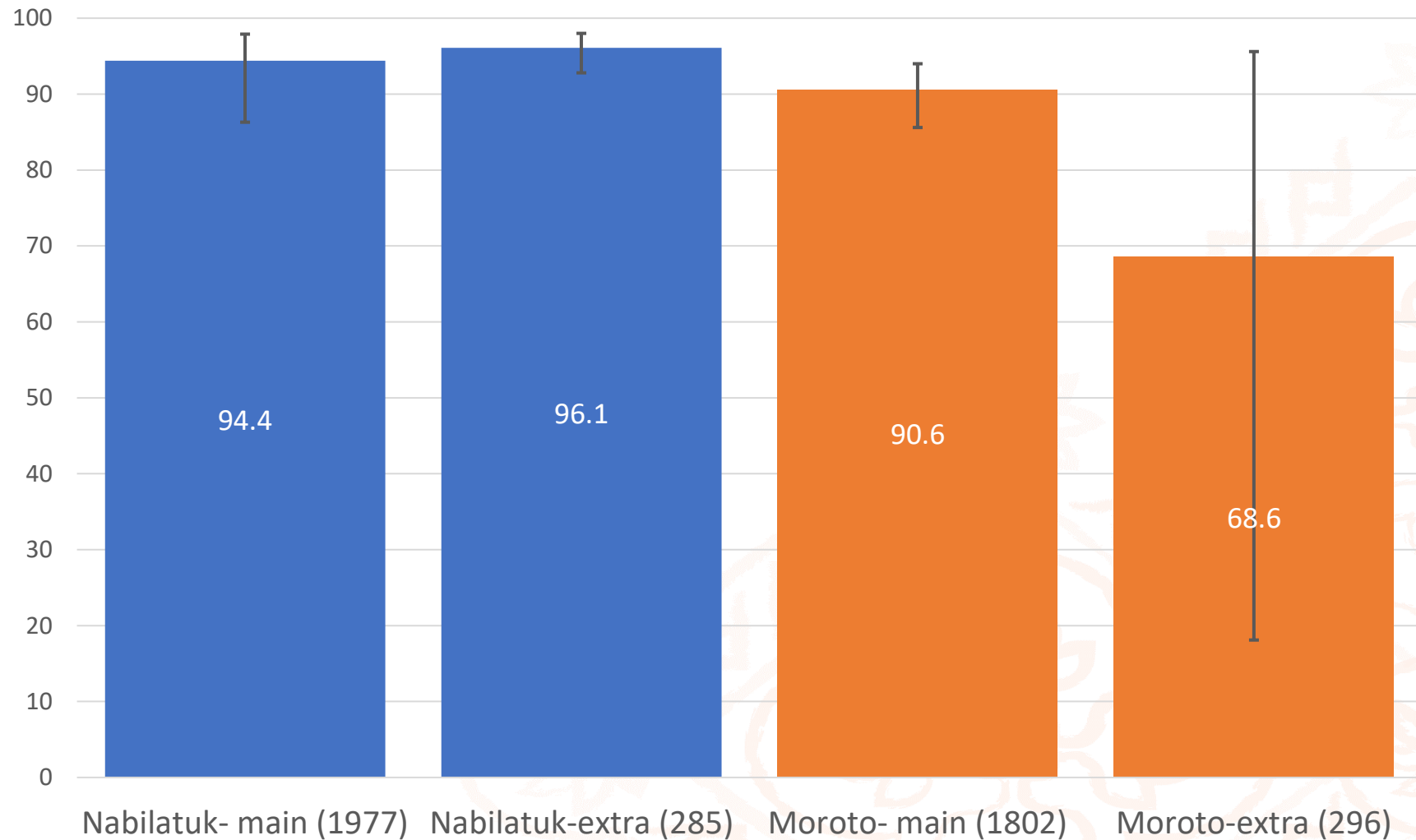
Youth report “not present at home” as reason for not taking MDA in Moroto



Youth report “not present at home” as reason for not taking MDA in Nabilatuk



Similar coverage between the random sample and purposively selected kraals in Nabilatuk; lower coverage in kraals in Moroto



Did you receive, or were offered, the drug in a kraal, settlement, or mobile community?

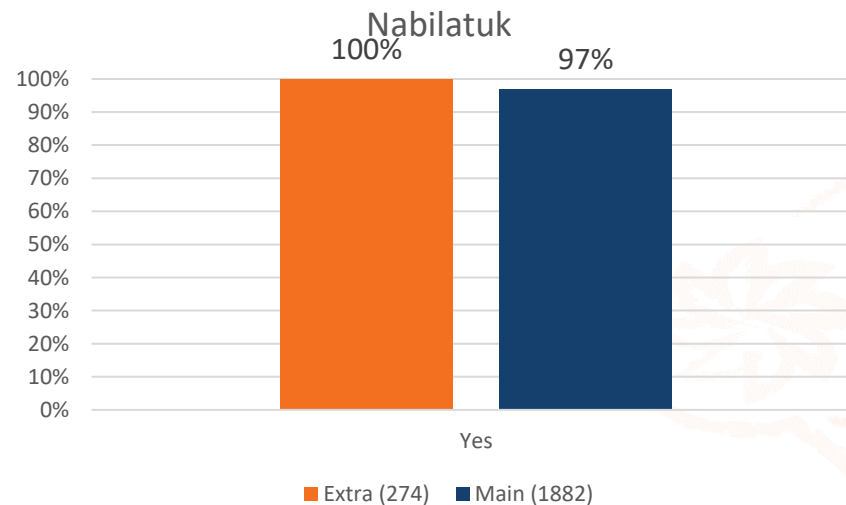
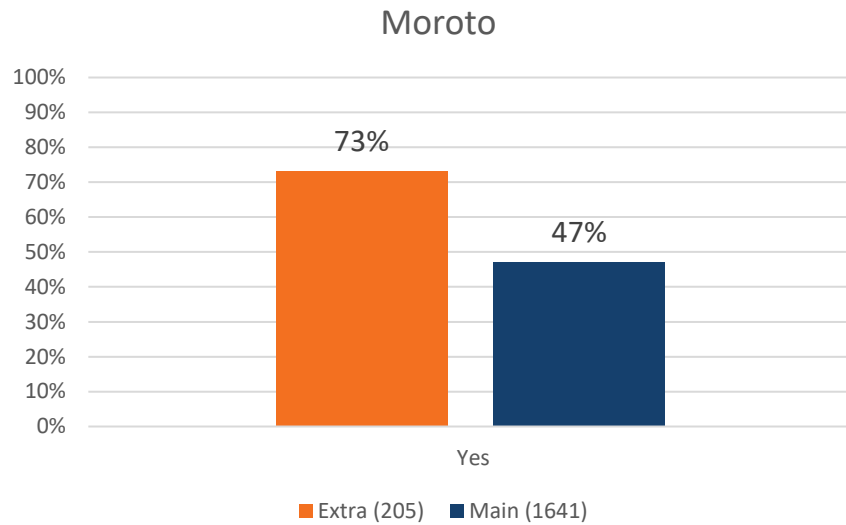


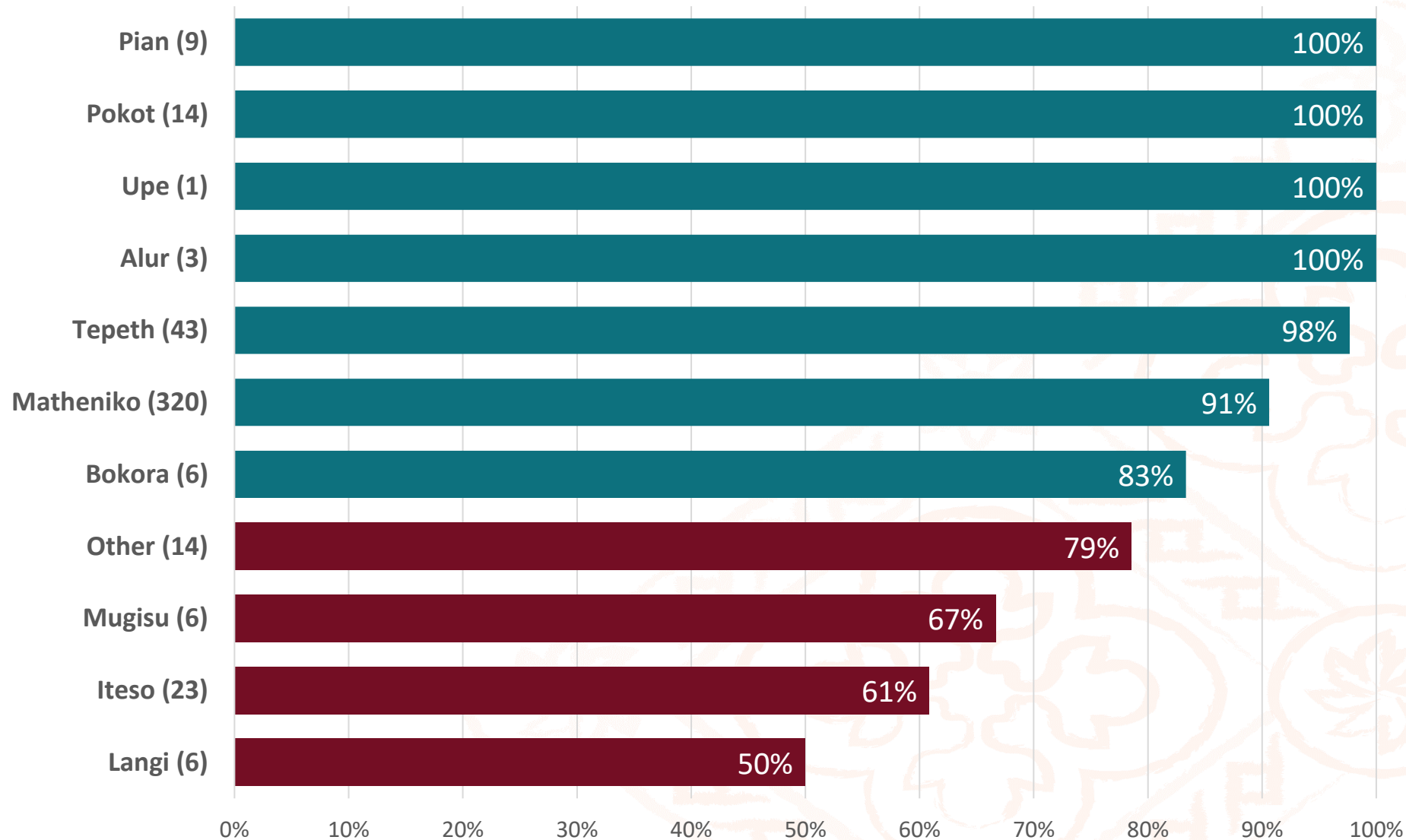
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Most people from the **purposely selected clusters** received medication in a mobile community.

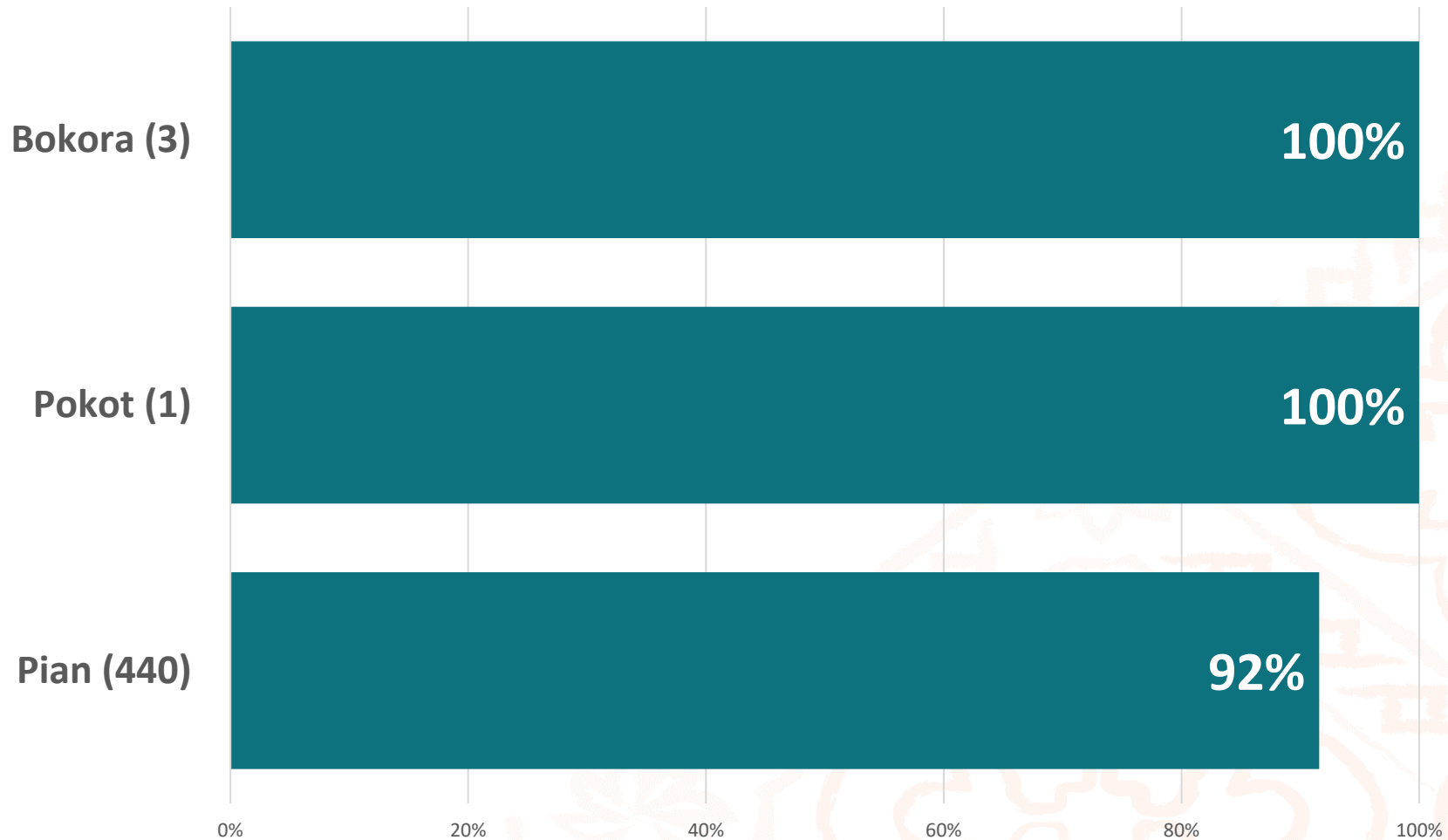
TR Prevalence in Children 1-9: increased odds for children that do not attend school, were not treated during the MDA, and live in Moroto.

Potential risk factors		Number of Children Examined	Children with TF	Proportion with TF	Univariate analysis			Multivariate analysis		
					Odds Ratio	95% CI	p-value	Odds Ratio	95% CI	p-value
Age (per year increase)					0.8	0.6-0.9	0.003	0.7		0.002
Sex	Male	917	11	1.2%	1.0					
	Female	889	15	1.7%	1.4	0.6-3.1	0.387			
Ethnicity	Others	81	1	1.2%	1.0					
	Pian	1055	5	0.5%	0.4	0.0-3.3	0.381			
	Tepeth	83	3	3.6%	3.0	0.3-29.5	0.346			
	Matheniko	587	17	2.9%	2.4	0.3-18.2	0.401			
Attended school	Yes	496	1	0.2%	1.0					
	No	1,310	25	1.9%	9.6	1.3-71.2	0.027			
District	Nabilatuk	1054	5	0.5%	1.0					
	Moroto	752	21	2.8%	6.0	2.3-16.1	<0.001	3.6	1.1-9.2	0.034
Treated	Yes	1,683	14	0.8%	1.0					
	No	123	12	9.8%	12.9	5.8-25.5	<0.001	8.4	3.1-23.2	<0.001
Access to water source	< 30 minutes	1117	5	0.4%	1.0					
	>30 min upto 1 hour									
	1 hour or more	430	11	2.6%	1.8	0.7-2.8	0.001	6.9	2.3-20.7	0.001
Latrine	Present	443	5	1.1%	1.0					
	None	1363	21	1.5%	1.4	0.5-3.7	0.529			

Moroto's sample was widely Matheniko women, with a larger variety than Nabilatuk. Several of these ethnic groups **did not reach adequate coverage (80%)**



Nabilatuk Sample was widely Pian Women, but all minority identifying ethnicities had adequate coverage



Recommendations for Future MDAs



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- Rigorous data quality checks during MDA.
- Targeting youth to be CDDs and reach out to other youth
- Reaching out to kraals
 - One Health integration with veterinary personnel
 - Include kraal leaders in sensitization and advocacy
- Integration of TT screening, case finding, and surgeries
- Joint collaborations with partners during micro planning
- Cross border collaborations and synchronized/joint MDA



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Wrap up Day 3

Burkina Faso team

- Dr Brahim Traore
- Dr Nikiema Sombénéwindé Alex
Bienvenu
- Dr Nassa Christophe

Les travaux de la troisième :

Débuté par une introduction de l'équipe des facilitateurs sur les objectifs et l'agenda de la journée. Le rapport de la deuxième journée fut présenté par l'équipe du Mali à la suite de l'introduction.

Au cours de cette journée ,4 sessions ont été déroulées :

Session 1 : les bases de données sur les MTN :

- Présentation sur les types de bases de données intégrée sur les MTN utilisées dans la gestion des données : (i) CNID (BDIM), (ii) CHIP/ESPEN, (iii) DHIS2 et (iv) Base de données sur Excel

Travaux des groupes sur les bases de données :

(i) Quelles sont les forces et les faiblesses relatives aux bases de données sur les MTN qui ont été discutées ?

(ii) Quel modèle souhaiteriez-vous mettre en œuvre et (iii) pourquoi ?

Session 2: Partage des données ESPEN avec les API :

- Les API servent à partager les données avec d'autres applications comme CHIP, DHIS2, Excel.
- La présentation a été suivie d'une démonstration d'importation de données disponibles sur ESPEN avec Excel en utilisant les API
- **Échanges:** Nécessité de former les acteurs car nouveauté pour les programmes nationaux, demande des clés d'accès API: transmission d'une demande à ESPEN, examen et réponse

Restitution des travaux de groupe de la session 1 sur les forces et les faiblesses des bases de données sur les MTN

- Les forces et les faiblesses de chacune de ces bases ont été passées en revue par les différents groupes. Il ressort qu'elles sont toujours utiles pour la gestion des données MTN à l'exception de la base CNID qui ne répond pas efficacement aux besoins des pays

Session 3 : Intégration des données des pays sur DHIS2 (1/2)

- Intégration des données MTN dans le système national de l'information sanitaire, pour une durabilité plus accrue de la lutte contre les MTN
- **Avantages :**
 - ✓ suivi des progrès,
 - ✓ mobilisation des ressources,
 - ✓ réduction de la charge de travail des équipes de suivi et évaluation, etc
- **Défis :**
 - ✓ le financement,
 - ✓ l'implication des parties prenantes,
 - ✓ la qualité des données,
 - ✓ l'intégration de toutes les données MTN

Session 3 : Intégration des données des pays sur DHIS2 (2/2) :

- Rôles des partenaires :
 - ✓ appui technique et financier,
 - ✓ appui à la coordination avec les parties prenantes
- Expériences des pays sur l'intégration des données MTN dans le DHIS2 :
 - ✓ Kenya,
 - ✓ Rwanda,
 - ✓ Burkina Faso
 - ✓ Ghana
- Points de discussions : Durabilité, intégration des données historiques et existence de modèles standards

Session 4 : ESPEN Collect:

- ✓ services ESPEN lance en 2018,
 - ✓ utilisé dans 31 pays
 - ✓ 200 enquêtes déjà réalisées
- Comment utiliser ESPEN Collect : soumission de requête, examen des requête, assistance (formation, conception des formulaires et de tableau de bord) collecte des données, suivi et élaboration des EPIRF
 - Points forts : soutien des partenaires, accessibilité aux pays, disponibilité des experts des maladies
 - Points faibles : personnel limité, insuffisance dans l'appui des pays,
- Travaux de groupe sur ESPEN Collect** : modèle de soutien, ce qui fonctionne bien et ce qui ne fonctionne pas bien, appréciation du service d'assistance aux enquêtes
- La journée a pris fin aux environs de 17 heures



Lunch break



Compte rendu succinct par pays reflétant le questionnaire : République Démocratique du Congo

Cameroun Team



Rapports des Données sur les MTN

- **Changements dans la soumission du JAP :**
 - La RDC mettra un accent particulier sur la ponctualité dans la soumission du JAP ainsi que sur la complétude et la qualité des informations soumises. Une réponse rapide sera apportée lorsqu'il est nécessaire de fournir des clarifications ou des informations supplémentaires.
 - Délai de soumission pour les différents rapports :
 - **JRF** : Dans les 3 mois suivant la mise en œuvre du dernier cycle MDA et au plus tard le 31 mars de l'année suivante.
 - **JRSM** : Au moins 9 mois avant la première date de MDA prévue.
 - **EPIRF** : Dès la fin d'une enquête spécifique, conformément aux recommandations de l'ESPEN.
- **Utilisation du Portail JAP :**
 - La RDC utilise déjà tous les aspects du JAP.
- **Analyse SWOT :**
 - **Forces :**
 - Navigation simple et fluide.
 - Mise à jour en temps réel du statut des soumissions.
 - Récupération complète des rapports.
 - Surveillance collaborative renforcée.
 - **Faiblesses :**
 - Absence de colonne sous-district pour le traitement focal de la schistosomiase.
 - Impossibilité de télécharger les fichiers en mode hors ligne.
 - Le canevas actuel du JAP ne reflète pas les nouvelles directives de l'OMS pour la schistosomiase.
 - Absence d'une colonne de décision sur l'EPIRF.
 - **Menaces :**
 - Forte dépendance aux ressources externes pour la mise en œuvre des TDM et des enquêtes.

Prévisions des Médicaments et des Commodités

- **Défis de Prévision :**
 - Aucune information spécifique n'est considérée comme difficile à obtenir lors de l'élaboration d'une prévision triennale.
 - Aucun indicateur n'est perçu comme incertain ou difficile à prévoir.

Intégration du S&E pour les MTN-PPC dans le SNIS

- **Logiciels Utilisés :**
 - **DHIS2, base de données NDT, Excel** : Utilisés pour la collecte des données de traitement, de morbidité, et des enquêtes. Ces systèmes génèrent les éléments nécessaires pour remplir le JAP.
- **Intégration avec le SNIS :**
 - Le système national d'information sanitaire et les partenaires d'appui sont les principales parties prenantes pour l'intégration.
- **Indicateurs MTN dans le SNIS :**
 - La RDC dispose d'une liste vérifiée d'indicateurs MTN pour les MTN-PPC, incluant des traitements MDA et des données de morbidité. Toutefois, le pays ne se repose pas uniquement sur le SNIS pour compléter les formulaires annuels de rapport.
- **Impact du S&E sur le Soutien Gouvernemental :**
 - L'intégration des indicateurs MTN dans le SNIS a eu un impact positif sur le soutien gouvernemental aux MTN.
- **Support et Intégration des Données Historiques :**
 - Besoin de mise à l'échelle de l'intégration des données dans le DHIS2 pour toutes les provinces, avec un renforcement des capacités et des équipements informatiques.
 - La RDC n'a pas prévu d'intégrer des données historiques dans le SNIS, mais pourrait envisager l'importation des données historiques de l'ESPEN via leurs API.



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Brief country readouts of reflecting Questionnaire: Sierra Leone

Sierra Leone Team





Data Workshop on Monitoring and Evaluation of PC-NTD Programmes

Questionnaire for Reflection
Sierra Leone Team

Forecasting Medicines and Commodities

- **Challenges in Forecasting:**
 - The most challenging aspect for Sierra Leone when forecasting a three-year MDA is accounting for population changes within the country.
 - Another challenge is unforeseen donor challenges in funding, which could affect the reliability of forecasts.
- **Uncertain Indicators:**
 - Indicators such as target population, reverse logistics, and coverage attainment are considered most uncertain or difficult to predict during the forecasting process.

Reporting NTD Data

- **Change in Submission Approach:**
 - Sierra Leone plans to transition to using an online, stand-alone document for JAP submissions, moving away from email submissions.
 - They have been uploaded to the portal but will begin doing so to streamline the process.
- **SWOT Analysis Findings:**
 - **Strength:** The JAP provides a clear opportunity for drug quantification.
 - **Weakness:** Pre-population of the JAP affects the accuracy due to population changes.
 - **Threat:** Delays in JAP approval can disrupt the timeline of activities.

Integration of M&E for PC-NTDs into HMIS

- **Current Database and Software Use:**
 - Sierra Leone uses an Excel workbook for government and the Neglected Information System (NIS) by Helen Keller International to manage their NTD data.
 - Data types collected include MDA data, people treated, survey data, health facility data, and MMDP data. The software can generate JAP reports.
- **HMIS Integration:**
 - Sierra Leone's HMIS is DHIS2-based, and key stakeholders involved in integrating NTD indicators include NTD supporting partners like WHO, HKI, and Sight Savers.

Integration of M&E for PC-NTDs into HMIS

- **NTD Indicators in HMIS:**
 - They have existing NTD indicators for PC-NTDs, including morbidity, MDA treatments, and MMDP. The government fully relies on the HMIS for annual reporting forms (JRF, EPIRF, TEMF).
 - Data is also collected in parallel to the HMIS.
- **Government Support and Impact:**
 - Integration of NTD indicators into HMIS has not yet significantly impacted government support for NTDs; the response was neutral.
- **Historical Data Integration:**
 - Plans are in place to integrate historical data into the HMIS through engagement meetings with all districts and soliciting support from partners. They are open to importing historical data from the ESPEN Data repository using APIs.



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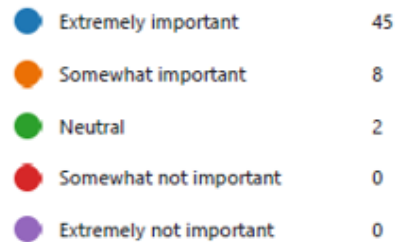
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Permanent Working Group Structure on M&E for PC-NTDs

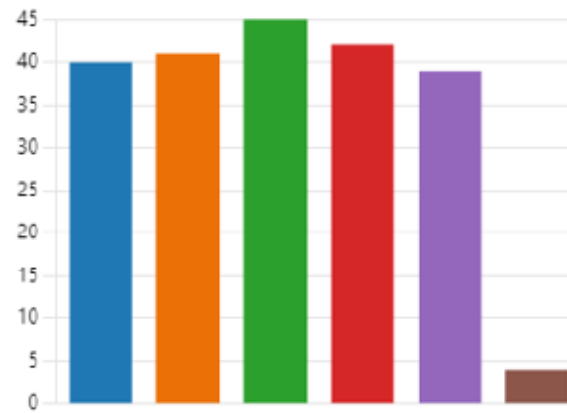
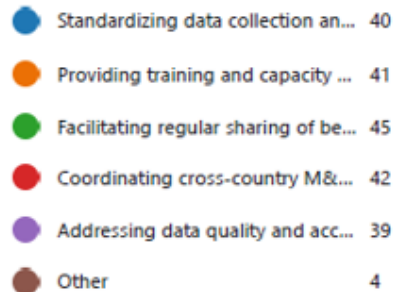


ESPEN is proposing the establishment of a M&E technical committee in response to persistent challenges of delayed treatment data submission and the misalignment between reported data and information within country health systems.

How important do you think it is to have a formal coordination structure for sharing M&E experiences and learning from each other among NTD stakeholders?



What key areas should this working group focus on to be effective? (Select all that apply)



Objective: Establish an ongoing, dedicated group focused on the global harmonization of M&E tools and processes with significant representation from major implementers to offer sustained advice and support.

The creation of a M&E Technical Committee is not just a procedural step; it represents a fundamental shift towards fostering a unified approach to data management across the spectrum of NTD interventions.

It is suggested that such a group could focus on 5 key areas while remaining flexible enough to adapt to a rapidly changing requirements of NTD programs.

1. Standardizing data collection and reporting methodologies
2. Coordinating cross-country M&E efforts
3. Providing training and capacity building
4. Addressing data quality and accuracy issues
5. Facilitating regular sharing of best practices

The establishment of such a group underscores WHO/AFRO's commitment to enhancing coordination mechanisms within the African region.

This approach not only aims to improve the quality and reliability of NTD data but also to elevate the effectiveness of interventions through improved decision-making and resource allocation.

The value of setting up a M&E Technical Committee lies in its potential to standardize data practices, ensuring that major implementers are not just participants but key contributors to the development of global data standards.

By centralizing efforts to harmonize data collection, analysis, and reporting methodologies, the working group aims to overcome the fragmented nature of current data practices, facilitating more coherent and effective responses to NTD challenges.

The M&E Technical Committee will need to:

1. Consolidate feedback from participants on the M&E Technical Committee roles, responsibilities and objectives.
2. Officially form the M&E Technical Committee with clear roles, responsibilities, and objectives.
3. Establish technical small working groups focusing on identified priority topics (i.e. harmonization demographics, DQA, etc.) and schedule regular meeting to work on these topics intended to develop blueprint documents on the concerned topics.
4. Schedule regular meetings to monitor the progresses of the individual working groups, discuss updates, challenges, and strategic directions for global data practices.
5. Release blueprints on the priority topics.
6. Revise the reports and blueprints developed by technical groups and disseminate them.
7. Develop an annual report on the working group's activities and its impact on PC-NTD programs globally.
8. Prepare and organize an Annual M&E Workshop



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Closing Remarks

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