

Against Malaria Foundation

LLIN Distribution Programme – Detailed Information



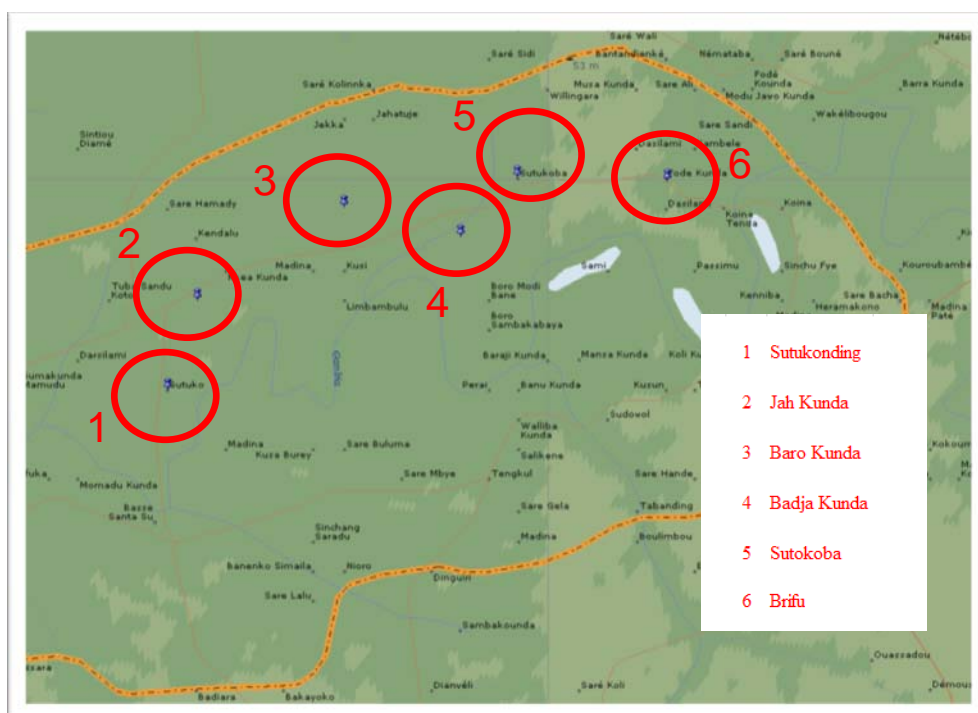
Summary

# of LLINS	Country	Location	When	By whom
19,200	The Gambia	Wuli District	June 2010	Suto Yediya & Peace Corps

Further Information

1. Please describe the specific **locations & villages** to receive nets and the number to each? Please provide longitude/latitude information. (Important note: If the distribution is approved, approval will be for the nets to be distribution to these specific locations. Location changes will only be considered, and may be refused, if due to exceptional/unforeseen circumstances.)

We will be providing a blanket distribution for the entire Wuli district.



Please see the attached information for the names of villages, expected number of nets and contact information for the distribution.

	2009 Projected Population	Bednets Needed	Actual Allocation	PCV Name	Local Contact Name	Local Contact Position	Local Contact Phone #
Village name							
Taibatu	1496	748		RA	Mamadi Camara	Community Health Nurse	
Sutukonding	1,757	879		RA	Mamadi Camara	Community Health Nurse	
Kerewan	1,019	510		RA	Mamadi Camara	Community Health Nurse	
Hamdalai	106	53		RA	Mamadi Camara	Community Health Nurse	
Peral Mamady	531	266		RA	Mamadi Camara	Community Health Nurse	
Banni	423	212		RA	Mamadi Camara	Community Health Nurse	
Madina Koto	149	75		RA	Mamadi Camara	Community Health Nurse	
Sare Demba	83	42		RA	Mamadi Camara	Community Health Nurse	
Farato	192	96		RA	Mamadi Camara	Community Health Nurse	
Sare Dumfoja	135	68		RA	Mamadi Camara	Community Health Nurse	
Yarobavel	236	118		RA	Mamadi Camara	Community Health Nurse	
Subtotal	6,127	3,064	3,100				
Kolibantang	473	237		ZR	Kitim Kanagi	Community Development Assistant	
Njakoi Madina	922	461		ZR	Kitim Kanagi	Community Development Assistant	
Sambagabudeh	91	46		ZR	Kitim Kanagi	Community Development Assistant	
Sare Teneng	77	39		ZR	Kitim Kanagi	Community Development Assistant	
Sare Daddei	45	23		ZR	Kitim Kanagi	Community Development Assistant	
Sare Pateh	91	46		ZR	Kitim Kanagi	Community Development Assistant	
Tuba Vuli	576	288		ZR	Kitim Kanagi	Community Development Assistant	
Tuba Woppa	303	152		ZR	Kitim Kanagi	Community Development Assistant	
Kuwonkundung	231	116		ZR	Kitim Kanagi	Community Development Assistant	
Tuba Burag	197	99		ZR	Kitim Kanagi	Community Development Assistant	
Sare Ngaba	199	100		ZR	Kitim Kanagi	Community Development Assistant	
Jah Kunda	997	499		ZR	Kitim Kanagi	Community Development Assistant	
Kularg	86	43		ZR	Kitim Kanagi	Community Development Assistant	
Sare Hamadi	216	108		ZR	Kitim Kanagi	Community Development Assistant	
Sinchu Koli	292	146		ZR	Kitim Kanagi	Community Development Assistant	
Fadia Kunda	533	267		ZR	Kitim Kanagi	Community Development Assistant	
Church Collg	32	16		ZR	Kitim Kanagi	Community Development Assistant	
Sare Kali	14	7		ZR	Kitim Kanagi	Community Development Assistant	
Subtotal	5,375	2,688	2,700				
Sare Ngai	942	471		BL	Niamara Jawneh	Sec. General of Youth Group	220 9868882
Sare Belali	122	61		BL	Niamara Jawneh	Sec. General of Youth Group	220 9868883
Sankabary	103	52		BL	Niamara Jawneh	Sec. General of Youth Group	220 9868885
Jeka Madina	57	29		BL	Niamara Jawneh	Sec. General of Youth Group	220 9868886
Darman	257	129		BL	Niamara Jawneh	Sec. General of Youth Group	220 9868887
Limbanbulu Bambo	414	207		BL	Niamara Jawneh	Sec. General of Youth Group	220 9868888
Limbanbulu Yamadou	433	217		BL	Niamara Jawneh	Sec. General of Youth Group	220 9868889
Kuzi	179	90		BL	Niamara Jawneh	Sec. General of Youth Group	220 9868890
Chamoi Bunda	715	358		BL	Niamara Jawneh	Sec. General of Youth Group	220 9868891
Chamoi Charlie	46	23		BL	Niamara Jawneh	Sec. General of Youth Group	220 9868892
Medina Saho	343	172		BL	Niamara Jawneh	Sec. General of Youth Group	220 9868893
Baro Kunda	1,137	569		BL	Niamara Jawneh	Sec. General of Youth Group	220 9868894
Jekka	235	118		BL	Niamara Jawneh	Sec. General of Youth Group	220 9868895
Gunjur Kuta	1,312	656		BL	Niamara Jawneh	Sec. General of Youth Group	220 9868896
Gunjur Kuta	259	130		BL	Niamara Jawneh	Sec. General of Youth Group	220 9868897
Mano Koto	184	92		BL	Niamara Jawneh	Sec. General of Youth Group	220 9868898
Subtotal	6,738	3,369	3,400				
Sare Gajo	52	26		LT			
Sare Kali		0		LT			
Sare Giddeh	130	65		LT			
Sare Gedeh	74	37		LT			
Sare Vuro	150	75		LT			
Mureh Kunda	548	274		LT			
Bantunding	890	445		LT			
Badja Kunda	4,482	2,241		LT			
Fata Tenda	62	31		LT			
Boro Fula Kunda	158	79		LT			
Boro Dampaha Kunda	287	144		LT			
Boro Modi Bane	225	113		LT			
Boro Kanda Kasseh	1,009	505		LT			
Subtotal	8,067	4,034	4,100				
Sutokoba	2,438	1,219		DH			
Boge Kunda	12	6		DH			
Sutokonding	1,757	879		DH			
Sare Keita	60	30		DH			
Sare Jarnu	58	29		DH			
Wellingara Yareh	503	252		DH			
Makama Sireh	995	498		DH			
Koli Kunda	288	144		DH			
Madina Nyantamba	74	37		DH			
Musa Kunda	114	57		DH			
Sare Bohum	620	310		DH			
Gubu Kunda	351	176		DH			
Subtotal	7,270	3,635	3,700				
Foday Kunda	788	394		DH			
Tabanding	203	102		DH			
Pasamassi	865	433		DH			
Eli Kunda	236	118		DH			
Dabo Kunda	63	32		DH			
Modu Jawo Kunda	173	87		DH			
Sakolley Kunda	64	32		DH			
Kanape	195	98		DH			
Wellingara Madi	110	55		DH			
Demba Kunda	87	44		DH			
Brifu	1,198	599		DH			
Kambebe	153	80		DH			
Sare Sandy	99	50		DH			
Subtotal	4,240	2,120	2,200				
	37,817	18,909	19,200				

2. Is this an urban or rural area and how many people live in this specific area?

This is a rural region with a number of small and medium sized villages. The approximate population of the Wuli District is 37,817 (source: World-Gazetteer.com).

3. Is this a high risk malaria area? If yes, why do you designate it as high?

Yes. The Wuli district is among the most remote ("up country") areas of The Gambia, many hundred miles from the national capital (Banjul). Many villages are dozens of miles from the regional center, Basse Sante-Su, with derelict and often impassable roads separating the area from medical services. During the rainy season (June - October) there is significant pooling of water within and surrounding the villages, leading to a heavy mosquito burden. Based on the prevalence models from MARA/ARMA this is among the highest malarial risk areas in Sub-Saharan Africa. www.mara.org.za/pdfmaps/GamDistributionGrad.PDF

4. How many reported cases of malaria and malaria deaths were there in this area in 2005? If you do not have statistics please make a qualitative comment.

There is no hard data available for malarial prevalence or mortality in the Wuli District. Based on Global Fund data (<http://www.theglobalfund.org/programs/countrystats/?CountryId=GMB&lang=en>), the projected number of annual malaria cases in Wuli is 6,225. The projected number of annual deaths due to malaria in Wuli is 41 persons.

5. Is this distribution of nets 'blanket coverage' of an area/village or to a select/vulnerable group? If the latter, please describe this group.

Blanket coverage of a targeted district.

6. What is the existing level of ITN use in this area? Are there existing bednet distribution programmes in this area?

Based on discussions with local health workers and community leaders, there has not been a bednet distribution in Wuli recent memory. Less than half of the population sleeps under bednets and very few of these nets are insecticidally treated.

A recent well-publicised article in the British medical journal The Lancet hailed the increased use of LLIN's and malarial medications in The Gambia, but this article did not include medical data from the up-country regions of the country like Wuli, where medical supplies and personnel are few and far between.

<http://www.sutoyediya.org/uploads/1/8/1/4/1814544/lancet.pdf>

7. Why was the area/villages chosen for bednet distribution and who made this decision? Please provide the name, position and organisation of the person/s making the decision.

The decision to target the Wuli district was made by Suto Yediya in consultation with the National Malaria Control

Programme, United States Peace Corps administration and community organizations in Wuli.

The district was chosen because of its poor access to the regional and national health infrastructure and lack of a bednet distribution in the past several years. The district was also chosen for this first distribution by Suto Yediya/Peace Corps because we have local contacts with community leaders throughout Wuli that are excited for this project and willing to work to make it a successful endeavour.

Nfamara Jawneh/ Secretary General of the Barrow Kunda Beakanyang Kafoo (+220 986-8882).

8. Have you consulted with the National Malaria Programme in your country about this distribution and what was their response? Please provide the name, position and contact details of the person/s with whom you have liaised.

We have consulted with the program manager for the Gambian National Malaria Control Programme and he has enthusiastically pledged to collaborate with our efforts.

Dr. Malang Fofana/ Program Manager of The Gambian National Malaria Control Programme (+220 439-3051)

9. Please describe any pre-distribution activity, in particular how the size of the target group and number of nets required will be ascertained?

We have already opened channels of communication with village leaders and the health official posted in Wuli. About a month before we arrive with the nets, we will ask that preliminary information about the bednet distribution be given to villagers during the monthly maternal/child health clinic. We will develop an anti-malarial educational program prior to travelling to the Gambia that we will present prior to the actual distribution. This educational program will be primarily targeted towards the women in the village because of their role as managers of the household in Gambian society.

10. Please describe how the bednets will be distributed, by whom, whether distribution will be a focussed effort or part of a combined programme and if there will be an information/education component to the distribution? Please indicate over what time period (typically, the number of days or weeks) the distribution will occur.

The bednets will be delivered up-country from Banjul to Wuli via ground transportation that will be co-ordinated with help from the Peace Corps.. Prior to the distribution, an educational campaign will be conducted (see above). A brief census of the villages will be taken with the help of the local community health nurse and Peace Corps volunteer to determine how many bednets will be distributed to each household. On the day of the distribution a demonstration of the proper use of a bednet will be performed by a prominent villager as well as a lesson on the malarial infection cycle in the local language (Mandinka in most villages). Nets will be distributed with the goal of providing blanket bednet coverage for the district. The time period for all net

distribution activities (including pre and post-distribution education and information gathering) is approximately three weeks.

11. What [post-distribution follow-up](#) is planned to assess the level of usage (hang-up percentage) of the nets? How long after the distribution will this assessment take place? Will you provide us with the findings? What will you be able to do subsequently to increase net hang-up if relevant?

Several days after the distribution we will do a survey to determine the hang-up percentage of nets and provide further instruction on net maintenance. This 2010 distribution is the inaugural effort for Suto Yediya, and we plan on returning to the Upper River Division of The Gambia the following year. During our second distribution in 2011 we will return to Wuli to collect data on net use and to see if there was any change in malaria prevalence or mortality in the rainy season following our net distribution.

12. Please give the name and contact information for the (government) head of the [district health management team](#) for the/each area. Please ensure you include contact information.

Amadou Jallow, Community Health Nurse, Barrow Kunda Region
Barrow Kunda, Gambia, +220 992-3024

13. Please confirm the nets will be distributed [free-to-recipients](#), a requirement for us to fund nets.

Yes, the nets will be distributed free-to-recipients.

14. Please confirm you will send us, post-distribution, at least [40 digital photos per sub-location](#), taken at the distribution/s, to be added to our website as we report on the distribution to donors.*

Yes, we will send at least 40 digital photos from each sub-location.

15. Please indicate if you will be able to provide [video footage](#) from each sub-location. This is not mandatory but is preferred and aids reporting to donors and encourages further donor giving.*

Yes, we will send at least 5 minutes of video footage from each sub-location.

16. Please confirm you will send a [Post-Distribution Summary](#) when the distribution is complete.*

Yes, we will send a post-distribution summary documenting our distribution, education and follow-up activities.

17. Please provide your name, role and organisation and [full contact information](#).

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*Information on providing photos, video and a Post-distribution Summary is included in the attached document.