Against Malaria Foundation

LLIN Distribution Programme – Detailed Information



Summary

| # of LLINS | Country | Location | When | By whom |
|------------|---------|-----------------------------|--------|---------|
| 350 | UGANDA | Fairway Childcare Centre | Mar 10 | ACDT |

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.)

This distribution will be at the Fairway Childrens Centre, a school/orphanage in Lutengo Village, approx 9km from Mukono Town in the Mukono District of Uganda.

Latitude 0.3533 Longitude 32.7553 (Mukono Town)

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

It is a rural area, exact numbers of the village population are not known, but the Centre caters for 600 children, 350 of which reside at the school for 10 months of the year. 480 of the children are identified as vulnerable/needy children.

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

This is a high risk area not just because of Uganda being a high risk country but because of the location & the conditions these children live in. It is a rural area prone to mosquitos.

4. Baseline malaria case information. How many <u>reported</u> cases of malaria and malaria deaths were there in this <u>specific</u> area in the most recent period available? We are looking for data from health clinics in the area. Month by month information is strongly preferred. We are NOT looking for regional level/national level information. Please cite your source. Baseline malaria case information forms the basis of comparison post-distribution.

According to the Rev Solomon, the Centre Director, they have an average of 10 cases of malaria per week at the Centre. Since the opening of the school in 2003, there are no reported deaths at the school due to malaria, but the Rev worries that in time this will occur.

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.

This area has been identified as an area in need of mosquito nets. This Centre was identified by the Ministry of Health

as an area of need. It was referred to us for support as it meets our criteria of helping children in Uganda.

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

According to Rev Solomon, & the Ministry of Health there have been no distributions in this area & it is therefore believed that there is no use of ITN's in this location. At the centre there are no nets at all in use.

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 Centre was referred to us by the Ministry of Health to receive help from the ACDT. The decision was made by myself Nikki Collinson in line with our mission statement of providing nets to children involved in Uganda.

8. Have you consulted with the country's National Malaria Programme 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.

I have been in contact with them in the past regarding our distributions & will be advising them of this distribution once it has been approved. They are fully aware of this distribution as they made the referral to us for support for the Centre.

9. 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.

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10. Please confirm the nets will be distributed free-to-recipients, a requirement for us to fund nets.

All nets will be distributed free to the recipients.

11. Please describe all pre-distribution activity, including how the size of the target group and number of nets required will be ascertained and how the local community and leaders will be involved in this phase of the work?

We have visited the Centre & ascertained the logistics & the number of nets required.

12. Please describe how the bednets will be distributed and by whom. Please give detail. Please indicate over what time period (typically, the number of days or weeks) the distribution will occur.

We (the ACDT) will be distributing the nets ourselves voluntarily to the children. This will take place on one day in March 2010.

13. Please describe the malaria education component of the distribution. Please give a detailed answer.

As part of this distribution, talks will be given on the benefits of using nets, the correct way to hang the nets, caring for your nets. We will be on hand to assist in the hanging of the nets & for any questions relating to malaria prevention.

14. Please confirm: a) you will conduct immediate post-distribution follow-up to assess the level of usage (hang-up %) of the nets; b) this take place within four weeks of the distribution; c) you will provide us with the findings.

We will be visiting the site 3 weeks following the distribution & we will provide you with the data.

15. Please confirm you will send a **Post-Distribution Summary** when the distribution is complete.**

You will receive a Post Distribution Summary.

16. Please confirm you will send us, post-distribution, at least 60 digital photos <u>per sub-location*</u>, taken at the distribution/s, to be added to our website as we report on the distribution to donors.**

As previous we will send you 60 plus photos of the distribution.

17. Please confirm you will provide at least 15 minutes video footage from each sublocation. It does not need to be 'broadcast' quality and can be taken with a handheld digital video camera.**

We will send you the required film footage.

18. Please confirm: you will carry out longer-term Post-Distribution Reviews (PDRs)** to assess the level of usage (hang-up %), correct usage and condition of the nets; b) this will take place 6, 18, 30 and 42 months after the distribution of the nets; c) you will provide us with the findings.

We will do this.

19. Please provide your name, role and organisation and full contact information.

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Ends— THANK YOU!

^{*}Sub-locations are mutually agreed and are typically a portion of the total distribution ie A 20,000 net distribution, for photo and video reporting purposes, might be divided into 5 sub-locations.

^{**}Information on the provision of photos, video, Post-distribution Summary and Post-Distribution Reviews is included in the attached document.