Malaria Prevalence

Percent of children age 6-59 months who tested positive for malaria by a rapid diagnostic test (RDT)



Malaria Prevalence by Region

Percent of children age 6-59 months who tested positive for malaria by a rapid diagnostic test (RDT).



Response rates and methodology

All children age 6-59 months living in households selected for the 2017 TMIS were eligible for malaria and anaemia testing. Malaria testing was done through rapid diagnostic testing (RDT). Anaemia testing was carried out using the HemoCue system. Of the 7,261 eligible children, 99% provided blood for RDT and 99% for anaemia.

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Ownership of ITNs by Residence

Percent of households with at least one insecticidetreated net.



Household Ownership of ITNs

Percent distribution of households



Trends in Household Ownership of ITNs

Percent of households with at least one insecticide-treated net (ITN)



One in five (20%) children under age 5 had fever in the two weeks before the survey

Trends in Use of ITNs

Percent who slept under an ITN the night before the survey.



Trends in Intermittent Preventive Treatment of Pregnant Women (IPTp)

Percent of pregnant women age 15-49 with a live birth in the two years before the survey who took:



2+ doses of SP/Fansidar (IPTp2+) 3+ doses of SP/Fansidar (IPTp3+)

4% of children age 6-59 months have low haemoglo-

bin (less than 8.0g/dl)

Treatment of Fever in Children

Among children under age five who had fever in the two weeks before the survey, percent who :

