Proposed Surveillance, Monitoring and Evaluation TEG

To advise MPAC/ GMP on matters related to malaria surveillance, monitoring and evaluation:

• to respond to latest MPAC recommendations on technologies and strategies for malaria control

• to enhance the guidance that WHO provides to Member States
Draft Terms of Reference SME TEG

Provide advice on:

1. Choice of indicators for monitoring the financing, coverage, quality and impact of malaria control interventions at national and global level
2. Strategies for obtaining, synthesizing and disseminating information on the indicators globally, including modelled estimates of intervention coverage and disease burden
3. Guidance that WHO provides on (i) surveillance of infections, cases and deaths and the use of data for decision-making (ii) establishing systems for monitoring programme financing and coverage (iii) evaluating the impact of malaria interventions and programmes
4. Evaluating the accuracy and integrity of SME data at national, regional and global level
5. Identifying gaps in evidence and suggesting priority research areas in the field of SME.
**Relationship with RBM Monitoring & Evaluation Reference Group**

- SME TEG discussed at MERG meeting June 2013
- ToRs circulated to MERG members who were invited to comment
- Comments from MERG members:
  - TORs should include a statement on monitoring the ability of the system to collect and use quality data
  - SME TEG should include expertise (i) in monitoring behaviour change (ii) evaluation capacity building
  - WHO should ensure communication of SME TEG guidance to MERG
  - Key partners should be invited as observers at their own expense
  - ToRs should describe interactions/relationship with MERG
  - Would be good elaborate how TEG would interact with academic groups interested in SME (so that academia can understand what work is considered most relevant)
Next steps

- Listen to feedback from MPAC
- Call for membership
- Meetings tentatively scheduled for February 2014 (and August 2014) in conjunction with World Malaria Report 2014 meetings
SME TEG Membership

• Call for membership: Up to 15 members with expertise in:
  • monitoring finances
  • monitoring vector control
  • monitoring diagnosis and treatment
  • estimating and improving measurement of morbidity and mortality,
  • tracking progress of elimination
  • methodologies:
    • health management information systems
    • household surveys,
    • health facility surveys
    • demographic surveillance systems

Plus members working in NMCPs well versed in SME

Some of the same people as RBM Monitoring and Evaluation Reference Group (MERG)