

Malaria GF Programme Community Dialogue / EVENT REPORT

Partner	ISDP	Venue	Galdogob
Facilitator(s)	Hodan Xasan Nuur & abdishakur A/Rahman	District	Galdogob
Date(s)	19/08/2023	# Of Days	One day
Type of Event	Community Dialogue	Training Other: (specify)	
Objective / Subject	Community Dialogue gathering		
# Of participants	40 participants were attended this meeting	# & type of facilities	Galdogob MCH

Description of methodology (methods, tools & material used, etc)

Introduction:

- Since 2015, ISDP has been implement a Malaria behavioural change communication program with the support of UNCEF/GF that is anchored on the Malaria Communication Strategy which aimed at supporting BCC for Malaria prevention, diagnostic and mitigation services in targeting population at risk in 4 districts in Mudug, 4 districts in Nugal and 7 districts Bari in Puntland. The ultimate result of this proposed project is to achieve by 2023, at least 85% of at-risk population in Puntland will adopt the chosen health seeking behaviour, demand malaria protection and treatment commodities as a right and use the available malaria prevention and treatment services.
- The proposed project activities will directly contribute to the Somali National Malaria Strategic Plan 2021 - 2025 taking in to account that Somalia is an oral society hence oral communication approaches with community dialogue being the preferred at community level with BCC as a key element of both prevention and case management.

Objectives of Community Dialogue session:

- to improve the health-seeking behaviour of the community with regards to public health facilities services, including increased use of LLINs.
- to increase the capacity of communities to fulfil their roles and responsibilities in Malaria prevention and control.
- to improve collaboration between the community and health workers in identifying issues related to Health service delivery and to improve action regarding constraints in access to or quality of care. Galdogob is one of districts under malaria elimination phase for Mudug region the ISDP with this importance the malaria BCC program Team was held community Dialogue session which were invited the influential people in the community such as women's association, youth association, religious scholars and community leaders at Galdogob. The facilitator met the community leaders of the galdogob town and discussed with them the participation of upcoming community dialogue on malaria prevention and control which will be held on 19th August 2023 at galdogob health center. They promised to select the people who will participate in this Dialogue session on malaria diagnosis, treatment, prevention and control. The 2nd day after welcoming the participants and encouraged them to take gain of this essential meeting of Community dialogue and ask them to discuss and share their experiences about malaria disease seeking Diagnosis, treatment and prevention measures at community level, and how they play an important role for community awareness on malaria diagnosis, treatment, prevention and control in their locations.

Dates when the meetings were held 19/08/2023, It was expecting 20 persons from social groups to be attending, but 40 persons were benefited this session. These included; women's groups, Youth, community committees including IDPs.

Methods

- Presentation IEC materials
- Brain storm
- Discussion

Any other materials shared during the meeting?

- Participants filled attendance sheet

Topics covered

- ✓ Community dialogue is a chance that draws participants from as many parts of the community as possible to discussion information face-to-face, share personal stories and experiences, honestly express perspectives, clarify viewpoints, and develop results to community concerns.

How to prevent Mosquito breeding sites in your Home/Village.

(No breeding sites - No Mosquito)

- To protect yourself from mosquito bites at home it is best to prevent mosquitoes getting into your house
- Always sleep under treated mosquito net.
- Maintain fly screens on windows, doors, vents.
- Remove stagnant water around the house so mosquitoes cannot breed.
- Change the water and brush the inside of Barkads and water barrels at least once a week.
- As little as one teaspoon or bottle cap of water standing for more than one week is enough for mosquitoes to breed and multiply.
- . These top mentioned topics has been deeply discussed during Community Dialogue session and after all participants agreed:

Deeply discussed topics:

- ✓ Increased knowledge among community members of signs, symptoms of malaria.
- ✓ Increased discussion about health beliefs, decision-making, gender roles, norms and values, leading:
- ✓ Increased acceptance of benefits of early treatment seeking behaviour. During the community Dialogue meeting participants explained that Community Dialogues helps dispel the misconception that Malaria illnesses were caused by Mosquito, as well as exploring the consequences of delayed treatment-seeking, and that as a result, complicated Malaria which is difficult to treat it.
- ✓ During the community dialogue, participants debated their role on preventing and controlling malaria in their area of origin. After discussion, they granted that they should take an important role to play on the fight against malaria in the community by raising public awareness in the public meeting including social groups meeting and advocating for the increasing utilization of health services.

Constraints

Most of participants are women the men are invited but they not participate the meeting due to high expectation

Recommendations

ISDP continue the community awareness on malaria Diagnosis, Treatment, prevention and control

Photos taken during community dialogue session



Community Dialogue.

Date: 19/8/2023

List of Participants.

SN	Name	position	Gender	Tell	Signature
1	Dahabo xarxa xashi	Salama	F	6492988	Dahabo
2	Faadhuno Mada ^{umje}	Salama	F	792142	Faadhuno
3	Aminu xuseen cali	Sayidka	F	6430753	Aminu
4	Maryam Axmed xarxa	Wadojir	F	7740525	Maryam
5	Maryam Axmed xarxa	Wadojir	F	7740525	
6	Axado Faqwi 2 mada salama		F	6560820	Axado
7	Sawdo yuseef cali salama		F	5859949	Sawdo
8	Aminu yacqub kama	Daryal	F	6128574	Aminu
9	Axmed Elqadir alqani	Sayidka	M	8603719	
10	Saminu Cali ibrahim	Sayidka	F	4002028	Saminu
11	Sahro max'ed cali	Sayidka	F	4002479	Sahro
12	Cadwo max'ed cali	Horseed	F	7876264	Cadwo
13	Yurub Cali cali	Sayidka	F	6544052	Yurub
14	Sawdo Axmed max'ed		F	63511618	Sawdo
15	Maryam Axmed max'ed	Horseed	F	7715089	Maryam
16	Xaawo umme farax	Wabari	F	7664344	Xaawo
17	Faadhuno Cali Cali	Wadojir	F	7628040	Faadhuno
18	Shukri max'ed amir	Wabari	F	7497477	Shukri
19	Maryam isaaq max'ed	Salama	F	7517029	Maryam
20	Nadiifo Cali xirsi	Sayidka	F	7214121	Nadiifo
21	Faxiyo shide beegow	Salama	F	7148811	Faxiyo
22	Kaafiyo Cali max'ed	Salama	F	6831498	Kaafiyo

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23	Fariyo max'ed Astuur	Horseed	F	7924304	JAR Xigo
24	Shayicri Ashir max'ed	Horseed	f	5994048	Shayicri
25	Caasho Cali max'ed	Sagda	f	6.093570	CAASHO
26	Faahimo Gabiilxalam	Sagda	f	6996516	Sagda
27	Sadiyo Cali Nuur	Horseed	F	899499	Sadiyo
28	Muxubo Aadan Farax	Wabari	F	7277937	Muxubo
29	Sadiyo Cali Liban	Salama	F	NO	Sadiyo
30	AXmed Iidle Cali	Horseed	m	NO	AXmed
31	Fartuun Siid Xaashi	Wabari	F	7702820	Fartuun
32	Cimraan AXmed afgadir	Wabari	m	5101705	Cimraan
33	Muxubo AXmed Warsame	Wabari	F	7746245	Muxubo
34	Sadiyo Shagane Nuur	Sayidka	F	6126949	Sadiyo
35	Aniso Ilyas cllaahi	Na'ar	F	NO	Aniso
36	Hodan Xasan Nuur	Sayidka	F	5616661	Hodan
37	AXmed afgadir Aadan	Sayidka	m	7558877	AXmed
38	Caasho Xasan Nuur	Dalbila	F	5101112	Caasho
39	Ifraax cllaahi Nuur	Howwaday	F	7365972	Ifraax
40	Ridwaan Xasan Nuur	Dalbila	F	7644072	Ridwaan