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Introduction

From MDGs to SDGs

MDGs 2000-2015

- 8 “half-way” goals
- Aid focused – from rich to poor countries
- Created through a top-down process
- Addressing symptoms of poverty...
- Narrow and incomplete

SDGs 2015-2030

- 17 interconnected “zero-based” goals
- Universal goals for all countries
- An inclusive participatory processes
- ...plus issues of peace, stability, human rights and good governance
- More comprehensive and multi-faceted
Trends in Childhood Deaths
Deaths per 1,000 live births

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2003 KDHS | 2008-09 KDHS | 2014 KDHS
Trends in Maternal Deaths

Trends in Maternal Deaths per 100,000 live births

- 2003 KDHS: 506 deaths
- 2008-2009 KDHS: 488 deaths
- 2014 KDHS: 362 deaths

Total maternal deaths: 6000 deaths
Total maternal deaths: 4000 deaths
• 950,000 patients on treatment

• 50% ↓ of new infections among children (13000 - 6500)
• 90% of patients getting cured (80% for MDR)
• Kenya surpassed WHO target of 75%
Malaria Prevalence by Zone

Percent children age 6 months to 14 years who tested positive for malaria by microscopy

Kenya 8%

Highland epidemic 3%
Semi-arid, seasonal 1%
Lake endemic 27%
Low risk <1%
Coast endemic 8%
Investments

• Kenyan Health Infrastructure increased dramatically from 3,200 to 10,000 between 1997 and 2015

• 48% of Health facilities are privately owned while 52% are public – strong private sector engagement

• Total Health Expenditure (THE) increased only marginally from 5.1% in 2001 to 6.8% in 2013

• Out of pocket (OOP) expenditure reduce from 51% in 2001 to 32% in 2013 driven mainly by development partners funding
Enabling Policies and strategies

- Policies and strategies – ERS, Kenya Vision 2030, NHSSP II (Reversing the Trends),

- Institutional arrangements – Strong partnership arrangements (SWAP, coordination mechanisms and Code of Conduct)

- Donor funded programmes in key areas such as RMNCAH, EPI, HIV/TB and Malaria

- Strong focus on health systems strengthening
Opportunities for research in SDGs Era
Key Elements of SDGs

- **PEOPLE**
  End poverty and hunger in all forms and ensure dignity and equality

- **PLANET**
  Protect our planet’s natural resources and climate for future generations

- **PARTNERSHIP**
  Implement the agenda through a solid global partnership

- **PEACE**
  Foster peaceful, just and inclusive societies

- **PROSPERITY**
  Ensure prosperous and fulfilling lives in harmony with nature

Sustainable Development
Amref Health Africa’s Core SDGs
Priority Research Areas

• Bottom up innovative models for health care financing e.g. M-Hakika

• Chronic diseases and NCDs

• HIV/AIDS/TB and malaria research

• Reproductive, maternal, newborn, child and adolescent and youth health research

• Social determinants of health research

• Technology and innovations in education and training of community health & extension workers - Leap
Conclusion

• SDGs present an opportunity of sustaining the achievements on MDGs and bringing on board non communicable and chronic diseases

• SDGs are more inclusive and integrated, including providing for inter-sectoral linkages, strong private sector, civil society and academic research institution

• SDG 3 is the only goal on health, but it covers all aspects of human health at all ages and is a pre-condition, an outcome and indicator of sustainable development