

Amendment to Cooperative Agreement 685-A-00-06-00061-00  
with Christian Children's Fund (CCF)

The original Cooperative Agreement covers the following malaria activities in the regions of Kaolack, Kolda, Louga, Thies, and Ziguinchor:

- Training of community-based health workers to ensure proper treatment and case management of malaria using artemisinin-based combination therapies (**ACTs**).
- Social mobilization, community health worker training, and promotion to ensure that women attend prenatal care and receive at least 2 doses of intermittent preventive treatment (IPT) from the nearest qualified provider.
- Promotion and public education about all malaria prevention and the services available, including but not limited to insecticide-treated bednets (**ITNs**); treatment of fever; prevention of malaria in pregnancy; and vector control including re-treating bednets, eliminating standing water in local environments, etc.
- ITN re-treatment in communities as needed.

Under the President's Malaria Initiative (PMI) in Senegal, USAID will provide Christian Children's Fund with funding (as available) to expand coverage of these interventions nationwide. These funds are to be used to accelerate and expand coverage with these interventions at the community level in all functional health huts\* in all districts in the five original regions. This Cooperative Agreement is further amended to include the same malaria interventions in all functional health huts\* and communities in all districts in the regions of Diourbel, Fatick, Matam, Saint-Louis, and Tambacounda.

In addition, USAID will support periodic distribution of free ITNs to vulnerable groups. CCF will work with other organizations as appropriate to promote and accompany these campaigns. Such mass distributions will happen no more than once per year, with the first one scheduled to occur as part of the National Micronutrient Days campaign in Spring 2007. In addition to the regions listed above, support for this activity will also include the four peri-urban districts of Dakar.

\*A functional health hut is defined as 1) a trained community health worker present 2) a structure, and 3) receives outreach activities by the chief nurse of the health post who provides some degree of supervision to the community health worker.

CCF will use the approaches and methodologies outlined in their original Cooperative Agreement application.