Malaria and Pregnancy

Selected Resources for More Information

Organizations

Malaria is a key priority for the World Health Organization (WHO), which provides fact sheets and other materials. Visit <www.who.int/health-topics/malaria.htm> for general information; <www.who.int/tdr/diseases/malaria> for research projects and data; <www.rbm.who.int> to learn more about WHO’s global “Roll Back Malaria” initiative; and <www.whoafr.org> for specific information on Africa. Or contact:

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1211 Geneva 27, Switzerland
Tel: (41) (22) 791.21.11
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Email: info@who.int

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Harare, Zimbabwe
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Fax: (263) 479.01.46 or 479.12.14
Email: regafro@whoafr.org

The United Nations Children’s Fund (UNICEF) operates an extensive program on controlling malaria, particularly among children and women. For general information on UNICEF activities on malaria, visit <www.unicef.org/programme/health/malaria/malaria.htm> or email media@unicef.org. Or contact regional offices:

UNICEF, Eastern and Southern Africa
P.O. Box 44145
Nairobi, Kenya
Tel: (254) (2) 621.234
Fax: (254) (2) 521.913 or 622.678
Email: nairobiro@unicef.org

UNICEF, West and Central Africa
Boîte Postale 443
Abidjan 04, République de Côte d’Ivoire
Tel: (225) 20.213.131 or 20.208.100
Fax: (225) 20.227.607 or 20.210.579
Email: nyhq@unicef.org

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) conduct and monitor research and fieldwork on malaria. Information on the disease (including in pregnancy) and links to research articles are available at <www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dpd/parasites/malaria>. Or contact:

Office of Health Communication
National Center for Infectious Diseases, CDC
Mailstop C-14, 1600 Clifton Road
Atlanta, GA 30333 USA
Email: ncid@cdc.gov
The Malaria Consortium brings together experts from numerous disciplines and countries to work to develop and implement strategies for malaria control. The Consortium designs, reviews, and evaluates malaria programs, information and drug distribution systems, laboratory services, and treatment policies. For more information and publications, visit <www.lshtm.ac.uk/itd/dcvbu/malcon> or contact:

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The Malaria Foundation International (MFI) and Scientists for Health and Research for Development (SHARED) operate an extensive Web site to foster global networks on malaria. The site contains information on the disease, research and program initiatives, and literature, as well as a directory (alphabetical by country) on people, projects, and organizations. Visit <www.malaria.org>. To find out more about the work of MFI/SHARED, contact:

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Greenwich, CT 06830 USA  
Tel: (1) 203.862.4037  
E-mail: Kathryn.Nason-Burchenal@malaria.org

The Multilateral Initiative on Malaria (MIM) is an alliance of organizations and individuals that aims to maximize the impact of scientific research against malaria in Africa, through promoting capacity building and facilitating global collaboration and coordination. Visit <mim.nih.gov> for general information and the MIM Communications Network site at <www.mimcom.net> for links to malaria research articles and publications. Or contact:

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P.O. Box CY 1122, Causeway  
Harare, Zimbabwe  
Tel: (263) (4) 73.00.11 or 73.79.89  
Fax: (263) (4) 79.36.34 or 72.01.10  
Internet: www.gta.gov.zw/health.html

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**Macha Hospital Malaria Research Institute**  
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**Articles**


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