

MALARIA: The Basics

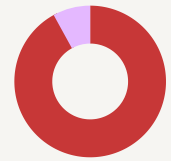


Malaria is a **life-threatening** disease transmitted by **mosquitoes**.

↳ the **Female Anopheles** mosquito
known as the **vector**

In 2017, there were:

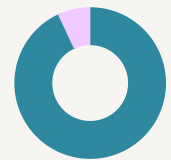
219,000,000
cases of malaria



92% in Africa

&

435,000
malaria deaths



93% in Africa

Funding:

Funding for **vector control** and malaria elimination reached

\$3.1BN
in 2017

Vector Control:

Insecticide-treated mosquito net (ITN)

About **half** of people at risk of malaria in Africa were protected by one in 2017.

Indoor residual spraying (IRS)

Only **3%** of people were protected by IRS in 2017, a decrease from 5% in 2010.

To learn more about malaria, and the global effort to fight it, visit:

WWW.FIGHTMALARIA.CO.UK



Fight Malaria uses the power of podcasting to connect the dots between the global efforts to fight malaria.

Statistics: World Malaria Report, 2018

Mosquito Graphic: Charlotte Hemingway, Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine.