# Achievements & Way Forward for VCWG

# VCWG 2015

- Review
- Issues
- Elections
- RBM Task Force
- Future of VCWG

# Tools

- LLIN durability – data generation
  - Causes of holes
  - “RD” – resistance to damage

- Data Quality Task Force - good practice in field data

- Improved IRS

# GPIRM Implementation

- Ento surveillance
  - resistance monitoring
  - human resources

- Data Quality Task Force - good practice in field data

- GCDPHP
- PAMCA

- Cochrane reviews
- Multi-sectoral Approach
  - UN-Habitat & UNEP
- World Malaria Day

# Conclusions

- No funding!
  - 180 x $250 = $ 45,000
- funded research – Networks, Durability
  - VCWG for consultation, endorsement, dissemination, branding
- Mostly ‘upstream’ work

# Topical Issues

- GPIRM
  - monitoring
  - product choice
- LLINs
  - Durability
  - Continuous Distribution
  - Gaps in coverage
- IRS (incl combinations)

# The evidence base for VC as a whole

- The ITN trial evidence is 20 years old!
- Things have changed – resistance etc
- Estimates of impact (e.g. 4.3m deaths prevented) still use these assumptions
- Importance of vector control (>90% ??)

# Long Term Issues

- Resistance?
- Stabilizing elimination in Africa?
- Integration of VC
- Multisectoral

# Elections

- Comments on last time?
- “Core members” system
- Next time?

# Task Force on RBM - 1

- Halima Mwenesi & Kent Campbell
- Aims:
  - define role of RBM
  - define role of Board
  - define role of RBM mechanisms
- Started Sept ’14, reports May ‘15

# Task Force on RBM - 2

- MDGs → SDGs
- GFATM – broader goals
- End of planned life of
  - Special Envoy's Office
  - ALMA

# Task Force on RBM - 3

Their question to us:

Based on the challenges you anticipate in the fight against malaria after 2015….

… what are the top 3-5 things a global partnership could do to help?

- ????
- ????
- ????
- ????

# Way Forward for VCWG

- Technical “Annual General Meeting” for VC community
  - academia + private sector = majority
  - self-funding

- Implementation support
  - No TA mechanism
    - no $$
    - no-one to organise/supervise (more important)
    - SRN – HWG – AMP