

Rotarians Against Malaria



Rotary Global Grant
#GG1866289
Timor Leste

Rotary

Australian Districts



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WORLD COMMUNITY
SERVICE**

Timor Leste

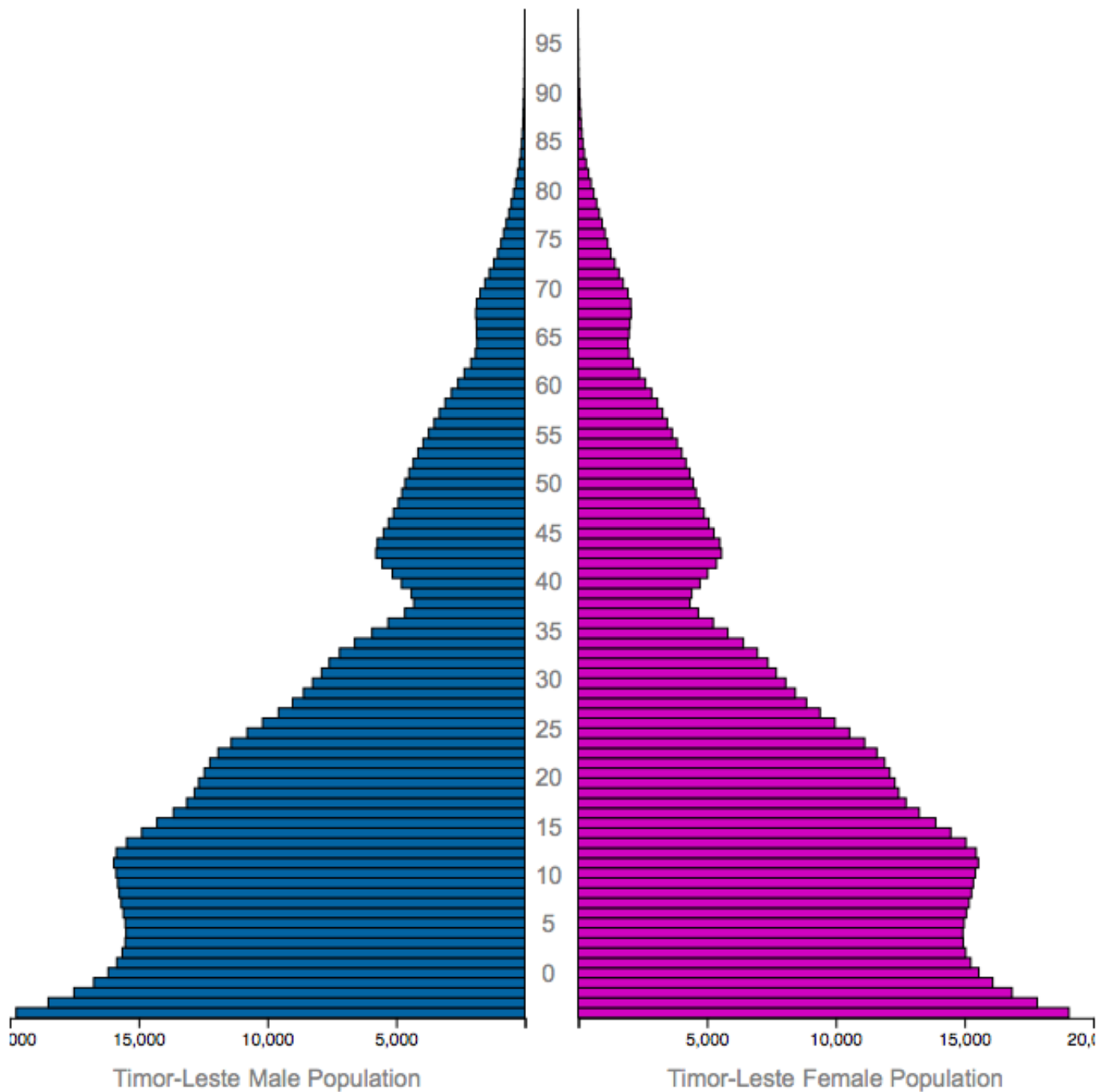
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Country information

- 1,3 million in January 2017
- 13 administrative districts
- Independence from Indonesia in 2002
- Internal conflicts and displaced populations
- In 2013, 37.7% children <5 years -underweight

Timor-Leste Population Pyramid 2019



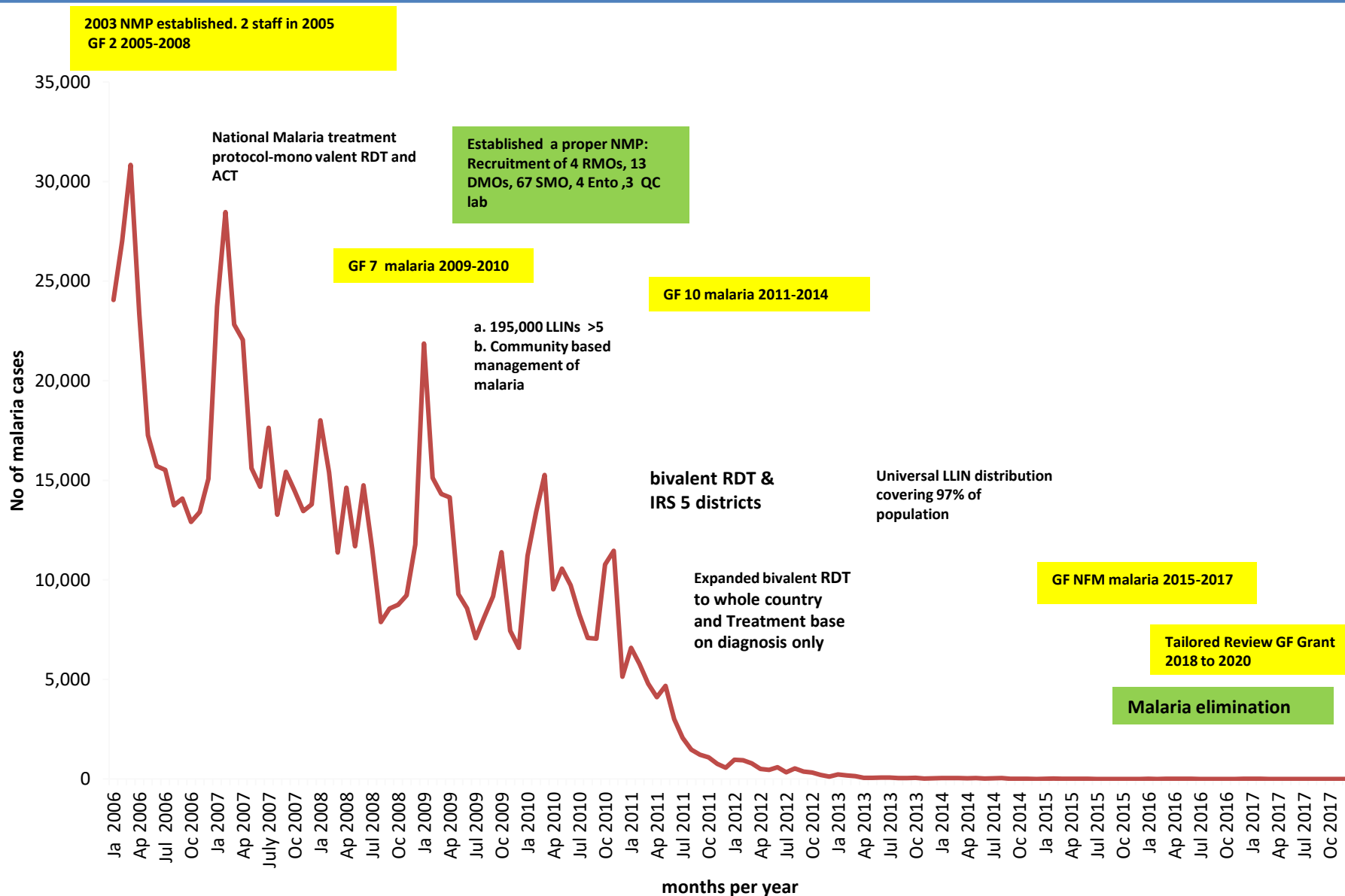
RAM in Timor Leste

- RAM commenced support for Timor Leste in 2006
- Donated 75,000 LLINs between 2006 - 2015
- Rotary Global Grant in 2014 & 2018

Needs Assessment for Rotary Global Grant

- Data for the Grant were obtained from:
 - RAM Volunteers visit in 2017
 - Dr. Merita, Head of Communicable Diseases Centre
 - Documents analysis e.g. National Malaria Strategic Plan for Malaria Elimination 2017-2021

Malaria cases and milestones of malaria programme in Timor Leste from 2016 to 2017 (per month)



2017 - Visit to a mass
distribution of
mosquito nets, Dili



2017 visit -
Atauro Island:
RAM
Volunteers
Team



Mass nets distribution: RAM Volunteers Team visit in 2017



What is the Grant?

- Grant title: Malaria elimination in border towns in Timor Leste
- Multi-district, humanitarian project
- Amount USD251,334
- 18 months duration
- Partners:
 - International Rotarians (D9830)
 - Host Rotarians (D9550)
 - Corporating Organisation - National Malaria Program

Donations

- 15 Districts have pledged the District Designated Funds (DDF)
- 13 Rotary Clubs in D9800
- 1 Rotary Club Queenbeyan D9710
- 1 Rotary Club Deloraine D9830
- Matching funds from TRF

= **Total USD251,334**

What is it for?

- 40,000 long lasting insecticidal nets (LLINs) & 80 Hudson Sprayers for indoor residual spraying
- Training in community education and use of LLINs for community volunteers, midwives and Rotarians
- Beneficiaries: Pregnant Women and children under 5 years old

Grant Objectives

1. Contribute to preventing the re-introduction of malaria in vulnerable populations (pregnant women).
1. Increase community engagement in malaria elimination strategies through community education in project locations

2018 Advanced Site Visit by TRF Technical Cadre Dr. Noel Alidio



March 2019: Monitoring visit







**March
2019:
Monitoring
visit**





Monstiqum
Tazylo



LLIN/MILD

Long Lasting Insecticide
Full WHO Recommendation
Moustiquaire imprégnée
de pesticide longue durée
Recommandation
complète de l'OMS

Monstiqum
conventionnel



Olyset Net

Monstiqum

Monstiqum
conventionnel



Registered trademark of Insecta Chemical Co., Ltd.

Rotary



Districts 9830 & 9550

Ready to use.
Never needs re-treatment.
Wide mesh size for
improved airflow.
Net composed of tough fibre.

Prête à l'emploi.
Ne nécessite jamais de rétraitement.
Large mailles pour une
meilleure ventilation.
Moustiquaire composée de fibres résistante.

**July 2019:
Official
Handover
80 Hudson
Sprayers**

**National
Malaria
Program &
RC Dili
Lafaek**





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Lessons learnt

1. Build commitment from clubs and districts
2. Time consuming – be prepared for a long journey
3. Work closely with your District's TRF Director
4. Work closely with TRF and all Partners.
5. Build in sufficient funds for bank fees and exchange rate differences
6. Check & recheck MOU before signing by Government in host country
7. Support partners during Cadre's visit
8. Use Cadre inputs to improve project design