

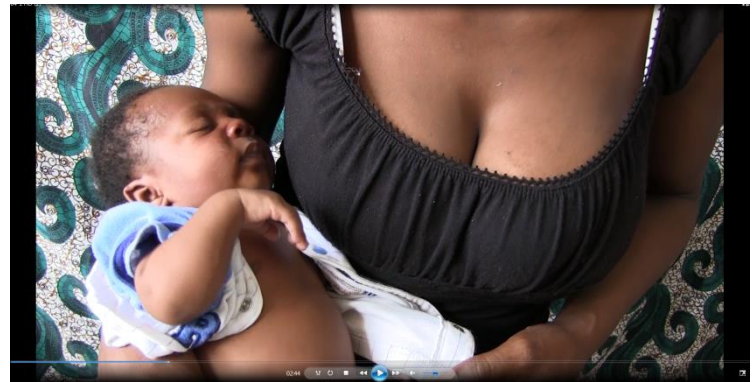


Caring for the Sick Child in the Community: Electronic Resource Package

Introduction

The story so far

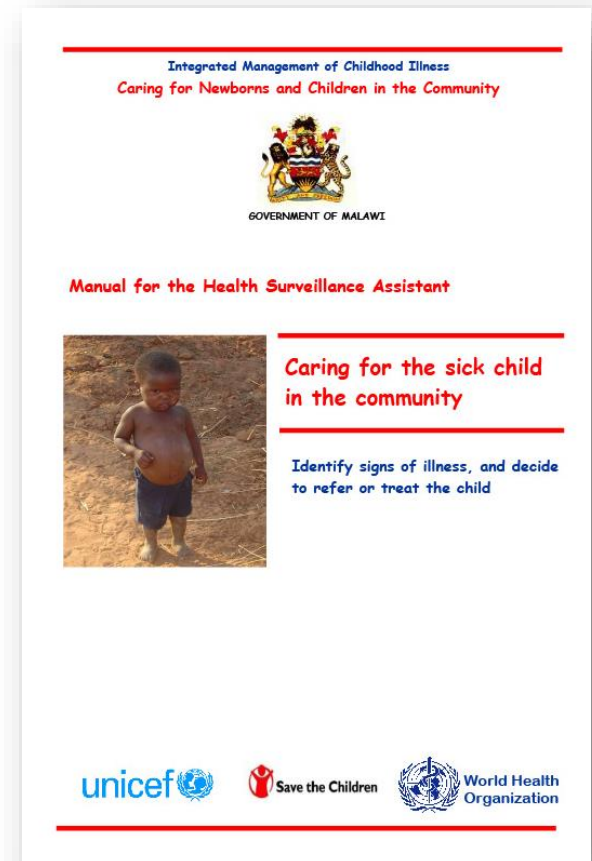
- Filmed in Malawi with real-life patients, families, caregivers and health surveillance assistants.
- Mirrors the Malawi training materials for ICCM
- Focus groups and interviews with health surveillance assistants and trainers shaped the materials
- Independently reviewed
- Will be available on DVD and as an open-access website



Aim

- Developed the video materials to be:-
 - High quality
 - Filmed in the Malawian context
 - Flexible
 - Adaptable
 - Fully compatible with Malawi ICCM manual

The materials are a tool to help learners and teachers... How can we use them for ICCM training, professional development, support supervision and reference?



Contents

- Introduction
- Course Objectives
- Welcoming the caregiver and child
- Identify problems
- Decide: refer or treat the child
- Treat children in the community
- If the child has a danger sign
- Use good communication skills
- Practise your skills in the community
- **Cases and Skills** section with further examples.

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CARING FOR THE SICK CHILD IN THE COMMUNITY

RESOURCE CARING FOR THE SICK CHILD IN THE COMMUNITY TOTAL TIME 6h 35m 20s

YOU HAVE COMPLETED **19%** OF THIS RESOURCE

YOU HAVE SPENT **3h 15m** USING THIS RESOURCE

YOU CAN NOW TAKE YOUR ASSESSMENT **N/A**

GO TO ASSESSMENT

PROGRESS

VIDEO LIBRARY

MODULES RECENTLY VIEWED UNVIEWED FAVOURITES

- Chapter 1: Introduction
- Chapter 2: Course Objectives
- Chapter 3: Welcoming the Caregiver and Child
- Chapter 4: Identify problems
- Chapter 5: Decide - Refer or treat the child
- Chapter 6: Treat children in the community
- Chapter 7: If the child has a danger sign
- Chapter 8: Use good communication skills
- Chapter 9: Practise in the community



Technical details

- Supports WHO/UNICEF manual as adapted for use in Malawi
- Medications
 - **Artemether-lumefantrine** (for malaria)
 - **Rectal artesunate** (for severe malaria)
 - **Amoxicillin tablets** (not co-trimoxazole) (for cough with fast breathing)
- Based on the Malawi manual
 - Uses **Malawian Sick Child Recording Form** and **vaccination schedule**
 - **All fever requires malaria test**
 - **Paracetamol** (for fever) (not in generic manual)
 - **Palmar pallor, red eyes** (not in generic manual)
- **DVD** (likely 2 discs) and **open-access internet**

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