

TIWALERE II

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Journalists to appreciate Tiwalere II Project Overview

Start and End Dates: July 2016 – July 2021

Technical Areas

- Nutrition & Health for children under five; pregnant and lactating women; adolescent girls
- Agriculture & Livelihoods Development - production of foods rich in micronutrients and income generation
- Water, Sanitation & Hygiene (WASH)

Budget: US \$39.4 million

- Includes \$19.2 million leveraged from private sector



Results Framework for Activity

Goal: Improve the nutrition status of children under five years of age, pregnant and lactating women, and adolescent girls in twelve districts in Malawi by 2021

Key Result Area 1: Improved nutrition & health of 426,259 children under five years of age, 120,529 PLW & 129,656 adolescent girls (15-19 years old) by June 2021

IR 1.1 Feeding practices of children under five years of age & PLW improved

IR 1.2 Identification, prevention, and timely management of key childhood illnesses improved

IR 1.3 The health & nutrition status of adolescent girls (15-19 years old) improved

Key Result Area 2: Increased availability and access to foods rich in micronutrients & protein among 298,608 households with pregnant women and children under five (5) years of age by June 2021

IR 2.1 Production of foods rich in micronutrients and protein increased

IR 2.2 Household income increased

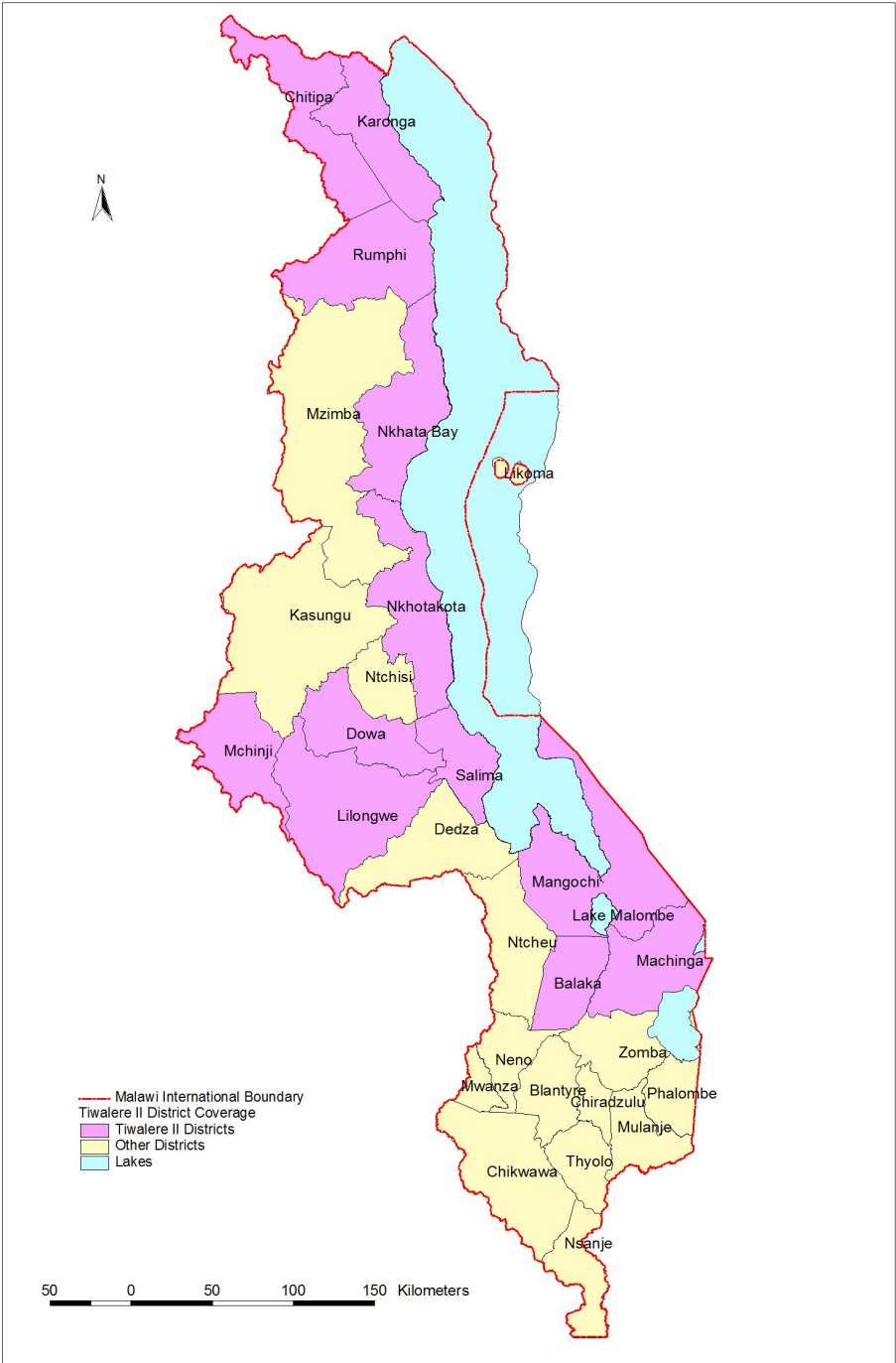
Key Result Area 3: Improved adoption of Essential Hygiene Actions (EHA) and increased access to safe water among 298,608 households with Pregnant Women and children under five years

IR 3.1 Access to-and usage of safe water facilities & products improved

IR 3.2 The EHA are adopted by members of HH with children under the age of 5

TIWALERE II PROJECT COVERAGE AREA

1. Chitipa
2. Karonga
3. Rumphi
4. Nkhata Bay
5. Nkhotakota
6. Salima
7. Dowa
8. Lilongwe
9. Mchinji
10. Balaka
11. Machinga
12. Mangochi



What the Journalists needs to report exclusively

ILLUSTRATIVE ACTIVITIES

Key Result Area 1

- Nutrition Education for pregnant and lactating women and women with children under-2 through Care Groups
- Nutrition education for adolescent girls through Teen Clubs
- Increase Infant and Young Child Feeding and WASH-related maternal behavior change among depressed pregnant and lactating women through IPT-G
- Vitameal Distribution to 1,368 CBCCs targeting 94,943 children

Key Result Area 2

- Promote increased food *availability* and access at the household level focusing on nutrition sensitive agriculture using the **Lead Farmer Concept**. (This will be achieved through: small-scale irrigation and backyard gardens, *small-livestock production* , *fruit-tree production* & *Orange Fleshed Sweet Potato Production*)
- Promote household access to credit, savings, assets, income, food security (including improved nutrition) through **Village Savings & Loans Groups**

Key Result Area 3

- Improve access to – and usage of – safe water facilities and products through boreholes, water guard distribution, and water treatment training
- Facilitate the accelerated adoption of Essential Hygiene Actions through the use of community-led total sanitation, care groups, and clean baby friendly spaces

Joint Cooperation with key stakeholders

- Tiwalere II is implemented in collaboration with the Ministry of Health through the Department of Nutrition HIV & AIDS at national level and the District Nutrition Coordinating Committee (That includes staff from Min of Agriculture) at district level.
- Tiwalere II has adopted the Government of Malawi recommended Care Group Structure in its delivery of Nutrition education to care givers of under five children and Pregnant and Lactating Women.
- In implementation of the WASH component, Tiwalere II works closely with the Department of Water and District Health office.

Next Steps

- ❑ Disseminate Behavior Change Communication messages on Hygiene and Sanitation to 298,608 households with under five children and Pregnant & lactating Women.
- ❑ Commence the Interpersonal Therapy for Groups (IPT-G) study.
- ❑ Finalize the Gender Gap Study Report.
- ❑ Identifying and Assessing Irrigation sites for this winter season (June-August).



Collaboration with the Media

- Production of Radio Jingles with Tiwalere II messages to be aired on selected radios
- Documentation of take off activities radio programme
- Photo shoot that focuses on start-up activities & progress made in the first year
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- Towards the end of year one, project successes will be documented and published in local papers
- A documentation of successes in the first year to be compiled, printed and shared among partners
- Continuous Radio and TV programme production through out the lifespan of the project.

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