

Maternity Services (AMOR)

This report highlights the child health and maternal services at the Amor Maternity Unit in Kasese and provides statistics for the services provided during the month of December, 2011.

The total number of babies born in the month of December 2011 is sixty nine (69) bringing to a total of **1,282** since the **AMOR Maternity unit** became operational in August 2009. The Maternity unit statistics for the Maternity unit have been summarized in figure 4 below.

Fig.4: Maternity and Newborn statistics for December, 2011

AMOR Maternity Unit statistics for December, 2011			
Total Admissions	80	Twin deliveries	0
Total # of babies delivered	69	Breech	0
Premature delivery	3	Neonatal deaths	1
Still births	2	Maternal deaths	0
Incomplete spontaneous abortions	0	Referrals	11
Prolonged labour	4	Haemorrhage	3
Hypertension	0	Delivery in-transit	5
Eclampsia	0	Delivery at home and seen at Maternity unit	4

- 60 deliveries born in December, 2011 at Kasese AMOR Maternity unit were conducted by skilled health workers (Nurse/Midwives). Five were delivered in transit while four were delivered at home by TBA.
- There was one neonatal death the month due to severe pneumonia.
- The month recorded five Christmas babies

Prenatal (Antenatal) Care & PMTCT

- A total of **81** pregnant women registered (new) and received focused antenatal care through Lifeline Malawi clinics in December, 2011.
- A total of 316 pregnant women accessed ANC services 103 of them registered for the first time and out of these 16 reported within 0 -12 weeks of their pregnancy, while 86 reported in the second trimester.
- 63 women received recommended 2 doses of Sulphadoxine Pyrimethamine (SP) tablets as presumptive Therapy for Malaria.
- 16 women received 0-1 dose of Tetenus Toxoid Vaccine (TTV) while 86 women received 2+ doses of TTV.

Family Planning

- A total of **111** clients accessed family planning services in December, 2011.
- The Majority (56) of clients chose depo- provera compared to 383 for last month.
- 1 pack of condom was distributed during the month a huge drop from last months 540, this is because there were no supplies from DDHO.

Under five Growth Monitoring and Immunisation Services

Growth Monitoring

- A total of 730 children accessed growth monitoring services at our static and under five mobile outreach clinics in Suza and Katalima zones where services were provided by Government HSAs with support from Lifeline. Thirty four (4.6%) of them registered low weight for their age and were recommended for Out-patient Therapeutic care.

Immunization

- A total of **496 doses** of antigens recommended for routine immunizations were given to children under the age of five through mobile and static under five clinics run by Lifeline Malawi in conjunction with Ministry of Health staff. In addition, 89 children received of Vitamin A supplements. **Table 5** gives aggregates of various vaccines.

Table 5: Immunization data for under-five children

Vaccine Antigen	BCG	POLIO	PENTA	MEASLES	TTV
Static Clinic (Katalima)	63	219	171	35	206
Outreach Clinic (Suza)	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	63	219	171	35	206