

Preventive measures

- Elimination of waste water collection sources prevents breeding of mosquitoes.
- Pouring burnt motor oils in stagnant water pools prevents breeding of mosquitoes.
- Using mosquito nets/medicated bed nets while sleeping.
- Fumigating the house with neem leaves and applying neem oil on uncovered parts of body.



Your roles & responsibilities

Early detection

- Ensuring that all fever cases get the blood smear examination done by the ANM/MPW.
- Help the health worker in tracking the fever cases in your village.
- Help the community to access the health worker at the sub centre/village.

Treatment and referral

- To act as a depot holder for Chloroquine.
- As depot holder you should ensure enough stock of Chloroquine, especially in the monsoon & following months.
- Ensure that all smear positive patients get complete treatment by ANM/MPW.
- Sometimes malaria cases may be serious and to save the life of the patient you need to escort the patient to nearest health facility.
- Serious malaria patients may have any of the following symptoms:
 - Patient is abnormally sleepy, difficult to wake or confused.
 - Patient is unable to stand or sit.

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Educate the community about the preventive measures as discussed earlier.