

## LISTEN TO ALOE BLACC AND DO THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES:

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### CIRCLE THE CORRECT OPTION (*said / told*) AND TICK THE THINGS HE SAID:

- a. He **said / told** he **wanted** to share with **us** his support for Malaria No More UK.
- b. He said he had been inspired to Champion the cause against malaria when he went to Ghana.
- c. He **said / told** he **had witnessed** firsthand how the disease **wreaked** havoc on millions each year.
- d. He **said / told** he had met a young father like himself who had had to spend six months of his salary to heal his child.
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- h. He **said / told** us to join him in the fight against malaria.

## 2. DISCUSS THESE QUESTIONS WITH YOUR PARTNER:

\*What do you know about malaria? Where does it usually take place? How deadly is it?  
Have you ever supported any charities? If so, which ones? And why?

\*Click on the following link to get more information about malaria:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zJfzXH9Y9VM>

## 3. LOOK AT THE STATEMENT IN EXERCISE 1 AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS BELOW:

- a. How and when does the tense of the verb usually change when the reporting verb (**said, told, encouraged**) is in the past?
- b. Which tenses stay the same because they cannot change from direct to reported speech?  
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- c. What happens when the reporting verb (**says, tells, etc.**) is in the present?
- d. Read the following sentence and answer the question: Why does the tense of the verb in the reported speech stay the same if the reporting verb is in the past?

*"The climate of Ghana is tropical." - He **said** that the climate of Ghana is tropical.*

## NOTES

**ma·lar·i·a** / məleəriə \$ -ler- / noun [ uncountable ] a disease that is common in hot countries and that you get when a type of mosquito bites you

— malarial adjective :

malarial fever

**wreak** / rik / verb

1 wreak havoc/mayhem/destruction (on something) to cause a lot of damage or problems :  
These policies have wreaked havoc on the British economy.

### **Just how deadly is malaria?**

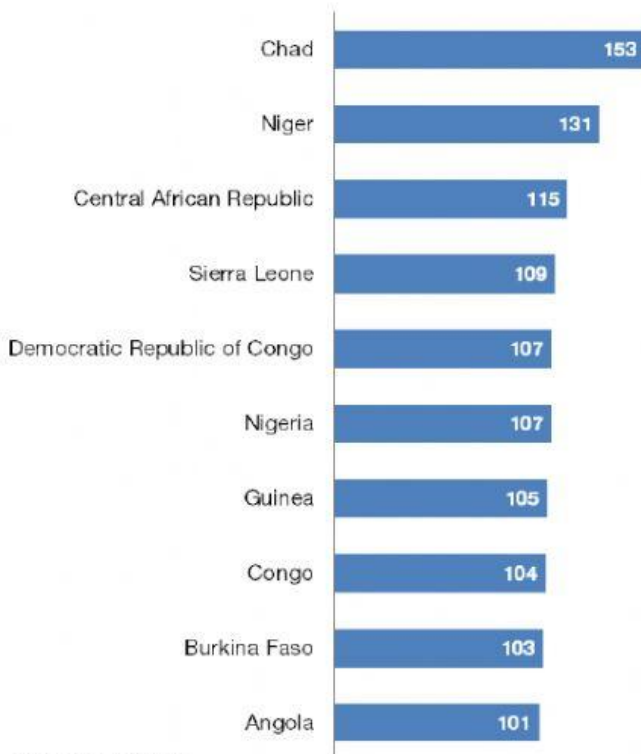
The world's [first malaria vaccine](#) has been approved by the European Medicines Agency. It's called Mosquirix and is the result of a partnership between pharmaceuticals giant GlaxoSmithKline (GSK) and the PATH Malaria Vaccine Initiative, with support from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, that started in 2001 and builds on GSK research going back 30 years.

Trials of Mosquirix have involved more than 16,000 young children, 13 African research centres and eight African nations. Cases among infants (from 6-12 weeks) fell by more than a quarter after three doses. Cases among children aged 5-7 months fell by nearly a half. The vaccine will now be reviewed by the World Health Organisation, which has promised to make a decision by the end of the year.

GSK will make no profit from Mosquirix and says it will price the vaccine at cost plus 5%, a margin it will reinvest in malaria and other tropical-disease research.

Malaria infects around 200 million people a year, the vast majority of them in sub-Saharan Africa.

## Malaria deaths per 100,000 people

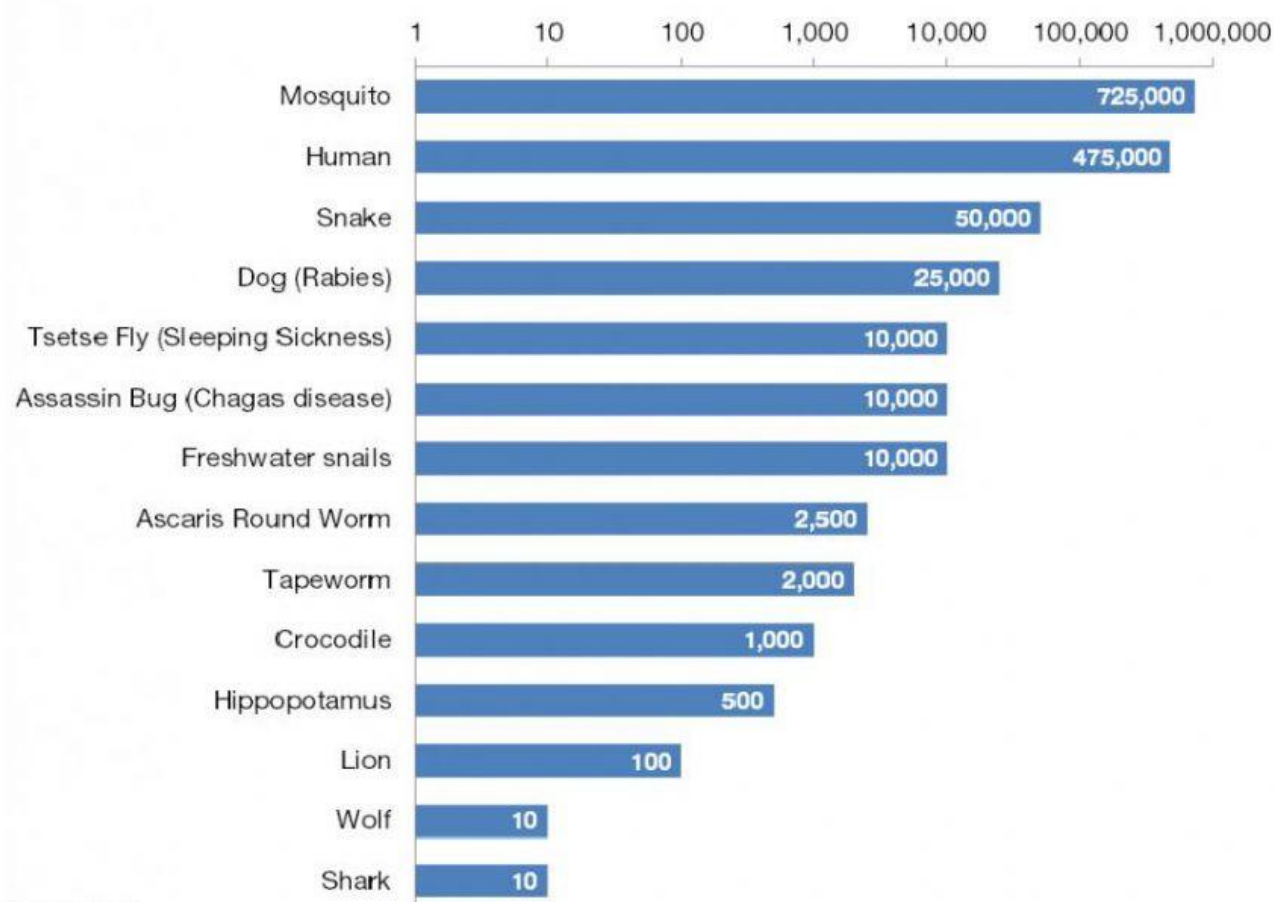


Source: UN, October 2014

Malaria is transmitted by the biting of mosquitoes, and the symptoms usually begin 10-15 days later. In severe cases it causes seizures, coma and death. More than 80% of malaria fatalities are of children under five.

The lack of a vaccine hitherto has made mosquitoes the deadliest animals on the face of the earth.

# Number of people killed by animals per year



Source: IMHE

**Have you seen?**

[How to win the fight against malaria](#)

[How can the Asia-Pacific region eliminate malaria by 2030?](#)

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**...COULD..., .....WOULD....., .....SHOULD....., .....MIGHT.....**
- c. What happens when the reporting verb (**says, tells, etc.**) is in the present? **WHEN THE REPORTING VERB IS IN THE PRESENT SIMPLE OR PRESENT PERFECT, THE TENSE OF THE VERB USU. STAYS THE SAME.**
- d. Read the following sentence and answer the question: Why does the tense of the verb in the reported speech stay the same if the reporting verb is in the past? **Bec. The statement is something which is still TRUE.**  
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