Plasmodium falciparum parasites with histidine-rich protein 2 (pfhrp2) and pfhrp3 gene deletions in two endemic regions of Kenya

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Supplementary material

Supplementary Table S1. Data generated using RDT, *pfhrp2*, *pfhrp3* and parasitaemia (>5 parasites per microliter, n=91).

Model	Model comparison		Parameter estimates (Standard Error)			
	AIC	BIC	Intercept (a)	hrp2 (b)	hrp3 (c)	Parasitaemia (d)
Logit	34.22	44.22	-2.45	3.33	-0.03	0.72 (0.34)
			(1.47)	(1.21)	(1.36)	
Probit	34.36	44.36	-1.55	1.65	0.45	0.36 (0.17)
			(0.83)	(0.55)	(0.75)	
Complementary	32.74	42.74	-2.50	1.57	1.09	0.35 (0.16)
log-log			(1.08)	(0.55)	(0.73)	, ,

Analysis of the probability of RDT positivity as function of parasitaemia (in log scale), presence of *Plasmodium falciparum* histidine rich 2 and 3 (*pfhrp2* and *pfhrp3*) respectively) genes using different generalized linear models for binomial responses (logit, probit and complementary log-log). The general formulation of these models was the following:

$$g(x) = a + b \times hrp2 + c \times hrp3 + d \times log(Parasitaemia),$$

where hrp2 and hrp3 are binary covariates indicating the presence of pfhrp2 and pfhrp3, respectively, g(x) = log p/(1-p) (logit), $g(x) = \Phi(p)$ (probit), and g(x) = log(-log(1-p)) (complementary log-log). The coefficients a, b, c and d were estimated by maximum likelihood method using the glm function for R. Models were compared with each other via Akaike's information criterion (AIC) and Bayesian Information Criterion (BIC), where the best model for the data is the one with the lowest estimate for each measure.