

S1 Table. Main characteristics of study participants.

Variable	Pre-MDA (N=99)	Post-MDA (N=112)	p[#]
Period	Nov 2015	May 2017	
Area, n (%)[*]			
Magude Sede	65 (68)	59 (53)	0.248
Motaze	13 (14)	23 (21)	
Panjane	6 (6)	9 (8)	
Mahele	3 (3)	7 (6)	
Mapulanguene	8 (9)	14 (12)	
Sex, n (%)^{**}			
Male	47 (48)	53 (48)	1.000
Female	51 (52)	58 (52)	
Age (years), mean (SD)^{***}	14.6 (11.8)	12.8 (17.3)	0.385
qPCR (parasites/μl), GM (SD)^{****}	90.3 (231.9)	117.4 (371.2)	0.515
Reported fever in the previous 24 h, n (%)^{*****}			
Yes	23 (23.2)	39 (34.8)	0.130
No	70 (70.7)	72 (64.3)	

GM, Geometric mean; SD, Standard deviation

[#]Student t (continuous) or Fisher exact (categorical) test

^{*} No data for 4 samples (Pre-MDA)

^{**} No data for 2 samples (Pre-MDA=1; Post-MDA=1)

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^{****} No data for 1 samples (Pre-MDA)

^{*****} No data for 7 samples (Pre-MDA=6; Post-MDA=1)