



**Agenda for 1-day Training of PPMVs on Ensuring Good Quality Malaria Medicines  
Akwa Ibom State, Nigeria**

**May 2016**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Facilitator</b>
09:00 - 9:30 am	Registration, Welcome, Introductions, Expectations, Norms, Objectives.	HC3
09:30 - 10:30 am	Presentation followed by Q&A: Malaria and its treatment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What causes Malaria and how is it prevented?</li> <li>• Myths and misconceptions</li> <li>• Signs and symptoms</li> <li>• FMOH recommendations for diagnosis and treatment of fever and Malaria—stress diagnostic testing and using ACTs</li> </ul>	NMEP
<b>10.30 to 10:45 am</b>	<b>Tea Break</b>	
10:45 - 11:45 am	Presentation followed by Q&A: Substandard and counterfeit malaria medicines <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prevalence</li> <li>• Consequences</li> <li>• Actions taken by NAFDAC and NMEP to reduce the risk of SSFFC malaria medicines</li> </ul>	HC3
11:45 - 12:45 pm	Presentation followed by Q&A: What consumers can do to protect themselves from substandard and counterfeit malaria medicines: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Buy from licensed PPMVs or pharmacies</li> <li>• Check ACT packet for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ NAFDAC number</li> <li>○ Expiry/Manufacture date</li> <li>○ MAS scratchpad</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Scratch and text number to confirm</li> </ul>	HC3
12:45 - 1:30 pm	Exercise: scratching the MAS pad	HC3
<b>1:30 -2:30 pm</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	
2:30 - 3:30 pm	Presentation followed by discussion: The Good Quality Malaria Medicines Campaign and how PPMVs can participate and help protect their customers from SSFFC malaria medicines: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Buy from wholesalers or pharmacies/not open markets</li> <li>• Ensure ACTs have scratchpads, NAFDAC numbers, are not expired</li> <li>• Allow customers to scratch and text BEFORE buying ACTs</li> <li>• Report poor quality medicines to NAFDAC</li> <li>• Report suspicious activities to MAD Hotline</li> </ul>	NMEP
3:30 – 4:30 pm	Distribute stickers, posters, booklets and explain how to use them and evaluation.	HC3
<b>4:30 pm</b>	<b>Closing and Adjourn</b>	