

7th October 2018

Dear Dr Elder

This month we had another good Outreach Clinic at Mkombe village and saw around 154 patients. One interesting case was of that a 3 year-old boy (Bright Kasamba) who presented with fever, rapid pulse, vomiting, convulsions and weakness for 2 days.

The boy had been kept at home because the parents didn't have the means of transport to hospital. They rushed the child to us when they heard that we were in the area and offering free treatment.

We examined the child and found that he had severe Malaria. We transported him to the Zoe Medical Centre in Lilongwe where he was given IV Artesunate, fluids, Diazepam, Paracetamol and some nutritional support. The boy has now been discharged on oral medication and his parents are very thankful for what we have done.

We extend our appreciation to you and all our partners in Australia for saving the life of this boy who could have died in the village for something that could otherwise be treated easily.

May God continue to bless you and your families.

Regards

Jack Etete