Who We Are
The Fleming Fund is the world’s single largest Official Development Assistance (ODA) investment in global AMR surveillance.

It is a £265 million UK aid programme supporting up to 24 low- and middle-income countries (LMICs) to generate, share and use antimicrobial resistance (AMR) data.

The Fleming Fund is a UK Department of Health and Social Care (DHSC) programme made up of a Country and Regional Grants and Fellowships Programme managed by Mott MacDonald, and a variety of Global Projects, managed directly by DHSC.

Country Context
The Malawi AMR National Action Plan (NAP), published as the National AMR Strategy, runs from 2017 to 2022 and provides the operational detail to the HSSPII strategy outline, and is also a response to the global WHO efforts to reduce the impact of AMR.

More information about Malawi and its work on AMR can be found on the Fleming Fund website at: https://www.flemingfund.org/countries/malawi

Our Grants

**COUNTRY GRANT**
Country Grantee: The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Sub-grantees: Lilongwe University of Agriculture & Natural Resource
Value: £3,395,845
Duration: Jan 2020 – Aug 2021
The grant’s objectives include strengthening One Health governance and strengthening AMR surveillance systems in the human and animal health sector.

**FELLOWSHIP SCHEME**
Number of fellows: 5
Host Institution: African Society for the Laboratory Medicine
Value: £480,000
Duration: Jun 2019 – Apr 2021
The scheme supports the professional development of senior scientists, epidemiologists and clinicians across AMR One Health disciplines.
REGIONAL GRANTS

Gathering Historical AMR Data
Grantee: African Society for Laboratory Medicine
Value: £3,159,259 (total across multiple countries)
Duration: Nov 2018 – Jul 2021
This grant supports the collection and analysis of historical AMR data across key Fleming Fund countries to provide early information for policy making.

External Quality Assurance- Africa
Grantee: African Society for Laboratory Medicine
Value: £4,511,176
Duration: Oct 2019 – Dec 2021
This grant supports the development of external quality assurance practices in laboratories around Asia which ensures confidence in laboratory testing results.

Policy, Practice & Advocacy
Grantee: International Vaccine Institute
Value: £2,715,217 (total across multiple countries)
Duration: Sep 2019 – Nov 2021
This grant supports data sharing for global AMR planning and advocacy to provide policy makers with evidence to make robust, data-based policy recommendations.

GLOBAL PROJECTS

Global Research on AMR (GRAM): This grant supports a global exercise studying the burden of AMR, run by University of Oxford.
Value: £6,200,000 (total across multiple countries)
Duration: Jan 2016 – Jun 2021

OIE Grant: This grant invests in developing One Health guidance on antimicrobial use, supports countries to feed into the global AMU animal database and helps improve awareness and understanding of AMR and alternatives to antimicrobial agents.
Value: £5,000,000 (total across multiple countries)
Duration: Jan 2016 – Mar 2021

WHO Substandard & Falsified Medicines: This grant supports the assessment of substandard and falsified medicines and their origins. Malawi has also conducted sample surveys of antibiotics to identify the quantity substandard and falsified antimicrobial medicines.
Value: £4,000,000 (total across multiple countries)
Duration: Jan 2018 – Mar 2022

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