RBM Partnership To End Malaria

The Lyon Commitment:

Malaria as a Pathfinder for One Health

"Today, we acknowledge that human, animal, and planetary health are inextricably interdependent. Malaria lies at the very intersection of health, people, and the planet. We recognize that climate change is fundamentally reshaping the landscape of disease, creating new breeding conditions and shifting vector distribution in unpredictable ways. When we degrade our environment, we exacerbate the risks posed by a warming world.

The RBM Partnership and its members hereby commit to the following:

1. **To operationalize the One Health approach:** We commit to ensuring that our members integrate One Health principles into all malaria strategies, recognizing that environmental protection and climate change adaptation are essential to ending the disease.
2. **To build country capacity:** We commit to supporting countries with the technical expertise and capacity building needed to lead their own intersectoral One Health responses—uniting policy makers, researchers, the private sector, and communities.
3. **To lead as a pathfinder:** We commit to using the decades of malaria infrastructure, especially our surveillance systems that track the link between health and climate change, as a roadmap to strengthen global health resilience.

Through coordination and intersectional action, we strive to end malaria and build a world where people and the planet live in harmony.

Now we can, now we must."