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Mapping of cholera hotspots in Nigeria: Methods, outcomes and challenges

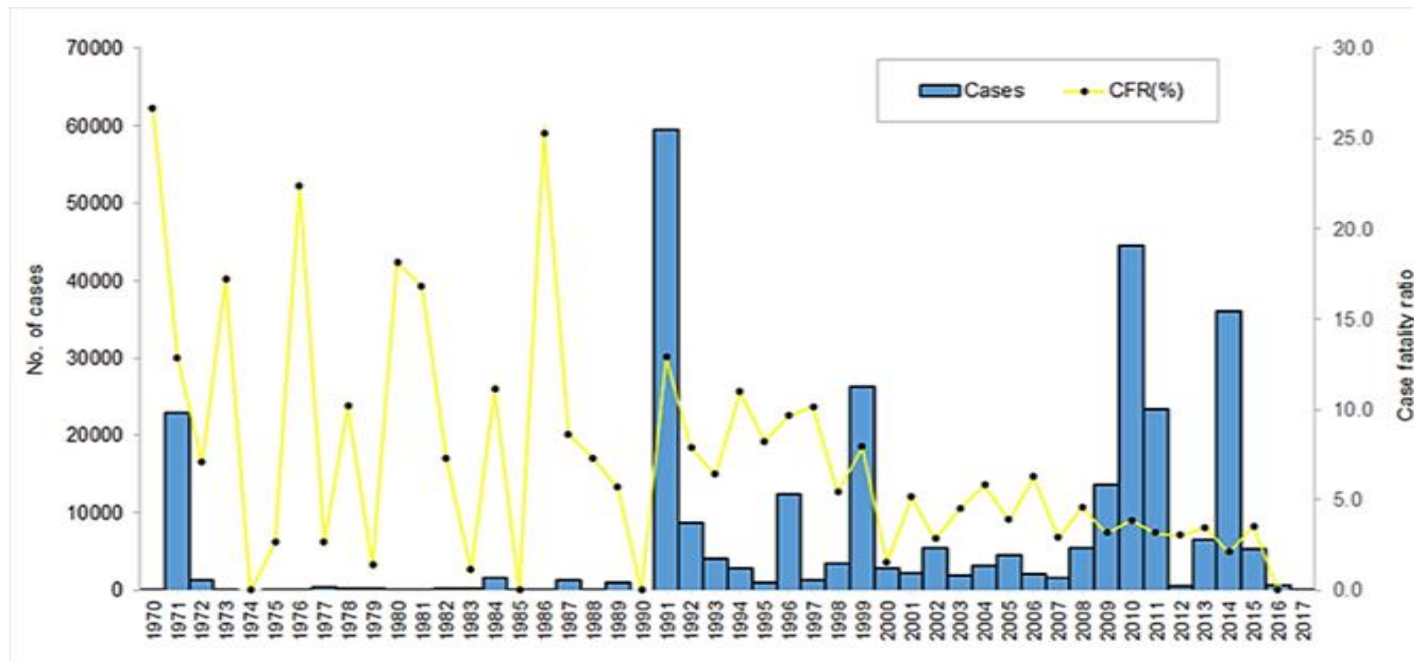
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Cholera burden in Nigeria



- Endemicity of cholera in Nigeria



- 2018 outbreak: >40,000 cases and 836 deaths
- Targeting cholera hotspots with proven interventions is effective

Partners and data sources



Partners —a collaborative and multi-agency effort

- Nigeria Centre for Disease Control (NCDC)
- World Health Organization
- Nigeria Primary Health Care Development Agency

Data sources

- **NCDC**
 - Routine data collected via the IDSR platform and line-list, 2012—2017
 - Data at the LGA level, standardised for statistical analysis and mapping
- **National Population Commission**
 - Projected population figures for each LGA, 2012—2017

Mapping indicators



Cholera burden: mean annual incidence

Frequency of cholera outbreak

Contribution to first 50% of all reported cholera cases

Severity of cholera outbreak

WaSH conditions

Nature of settlements of the LGA

Ongoing cholera transmission

Final score: Weight of an indicator × LGA's score for an indicator

Mapping outcomes (1/1)



Cholera hotspots, 2012-2017

- **83 LGAs** as cholera hotspots
 - Home to 23 million people –12% of Nigeria’s population
 - 84% of total cholera cases (n=61,436) recorded nation-wide

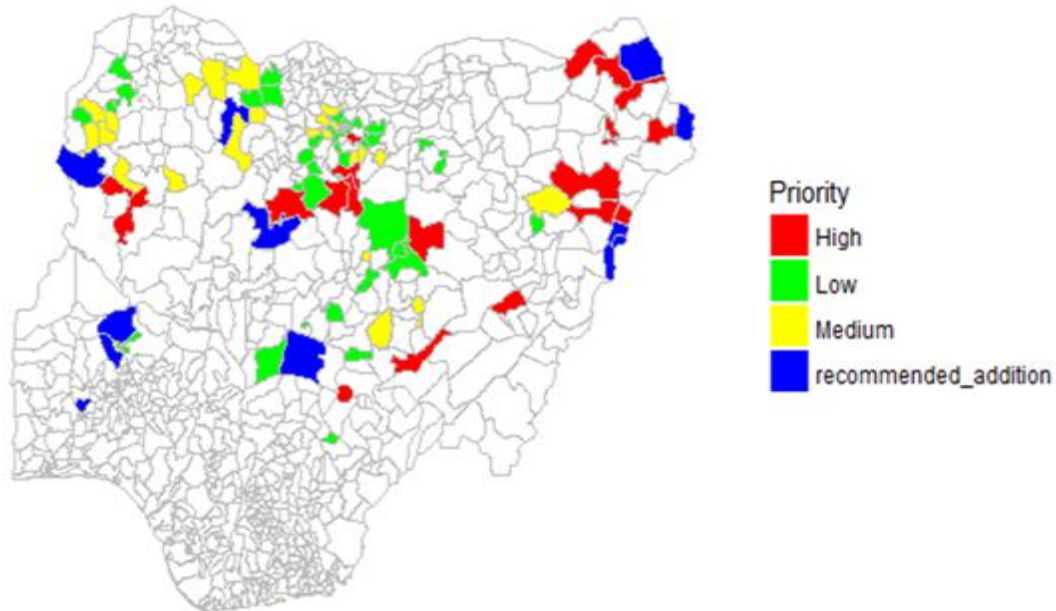
Validation and prioritisation of hotspots

- A *participatory* stakeholders’ meeting on 17 July 2018
- Consideration of additional contextual indicators: **security, flooding, and accessibility**
- Inclusion of additional 13 hotspot LGAs

Mapping outcomes (1/2)



- **96 LGAs** of 15 States were classified as cholera hotspots
- LGA rankings and targets for interventions (e.g. OCV):
 - Group 1 –High priority LGAs
 - Group 2 –Medium priority LGAs
 - Group 3 –Low priority LGAs



Challenges



Stability of hotspots

Depth of a LGA setting (micro-hotspot?)

Limited WASH and socioeconomic data

Diagnostic accuracy

Conclusion



- Mapping cholera hotspots in Nigeria was an important step towards attaining the Global Roadmap Strategic goals.
- Identified gaps need to be addressed for optimum outcomes.
- Lessons learned here will be useful in addressing these gaps.



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