

Table 2 Categorization of districts based on reported malaria annual parasite incidence, 2004–08 (average for five years)

Endemicity: reported API ^a	Punjab	Sindh	Balochistan	KPK	FATA	AJK
Highly endemic: average five-year API > 5	None	Kashmore, Tendo Allahyar	Zhob, Panjgur, Kharan, Nushki, Gwadar, Kech, Ziarat, Jhal Magsi, Jafarabad, Sibi, Kohlu	None	Kurram, Khyber	None
Moderately endemic: average five-year API < 5	None	Mithi, Naushahro Feroze, Mirpur Khas, Umerkot, Khairpur, Badin, Nawabshah Sanghar	Qilla Saifullah, Bolan, Naseerabad, Loralai, Mastung, Chagai, Washuk, Khuzdar, Pishin, Musakhel, Barkhan, Awaran, Lasbela, Kalat	Buner, Lakki Marawat, Bannu, Tank, Hangu, Karak, Mardan, Malakand	Bajaur, Orakzai, Mohmand, South and North Waziristan	None
Low endemicity: average five-year API < 1	All districts of Punjab	Thatta, Shikarpur, Gotki, Dadu, Sukkur, Tando Muhammad Khan, Larkana, Hyderabad, Jamshoro, Jacobabad, Shahdadkot, Matiani, Karachi	Qilla Abdullah, Quetta, Dera Bugti, Sherani, Harnahi	Swat, Dera Ismail Khan, Charsadda, Batagram, Kohat, Nowshera, Dir Upper and Lower, Chitral, Swabi, Haripur, Mansehra, Abbotabad, Peshawar, Kohistan, Shangla	None	Poonch, Mirpur, Kotli, Muzaffarabad

^acases/1000 population/year.

API = annual parasite incidence.

KPK = Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.

FATA = Federally Administered Tribal Areas.

AJK = Azad Jammu and Kashmir.