

The media archive database of Médecins Sans Frontières / Doctors without Borders (MSF)

MSF's new media server can be found at <http://media.msf.org>

This database of digital assets contains MSF's international collection of photos, video and audio recordings. As of December 2011, it contains:

- 80,000 photos, dating back to 1968
- 800 video productions, most produced after 2007
- 200 audio productions, most produced after 2007

New material is being added all the time, as well as archive material of historical and institutional interest.

The database is for all MSF Staff, in the field and in offices worldwide. It was created to help us share resources, and make our material as accessible as possible across the movement.

It is also available, in a restricted form, to non-MSF staff such as members of the media, researchers, staff of other NGOS, academics and students.



Introducing Médecins Sans Frontières (MSF) media archive website

access to over 80,000 photos and XXX videos. New material added weekly, from both video/photo professionals and staff members.

The homepage gives you access to some of our most recent packages:

The Focus: the week's top story for MSF

Featured packages: recent or relevant packages from a variety of MSF topics.

Recent Photos: our most recent images, based on creation date

Recent videos: our most recent footage, based on creation date

MY LIGHTBOXES | CART (0) | DOWNLOADS | Bruno

Advanced Search

THE FOCUS

17.09.2013 Edit

Swaziland, Born HIV Free

In Swaziland, 26 per cent of the population aged between 15 and 49 is HIV-positive.

In 2007, Swaziland approached Médecins Sans Frontières (MSF) to ask for help in the fight against HIV and Tuberculosis and MSF started a project with the Ministry of Health (MoH). In February 2013 in Swaziland, MSF started rolling out an innovative approach called PMTCT B+ with HIV-positive pregnant and breastfeeding women.

Swaziland - Born HIV-free

Magyagya Zwane, a MSF Community Expert Patient, explains his experience. "It's very simple for me to encourage a person testing for HIV. I always tell the people to look at me; I'm healthy, I'm living okay, so it is very easy to convince them. Once a person has tested, I always refer them to the clinic for their next steps."

SWAZILAND | 01.03.2013

FEATURED PACKAGES

CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC | 17.07.2013 Edit SYRIA | 15.07.2013 Edit CHAD | 15.05.2013 Edit SOMALIA | 14.08.2013

RECENT PHOTOS

DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO | 05.11.2013 LEBANON | 23.09.2013 | 23.09.2013 | 23.09.2013

RECENT VIDEOS

24.09.2013 | 19.09.2013 HAITI | 16.09.2013

my lightboxes
view and manage your lightboxes

cart: request multiple images at once. View and manage contents in your request cart

downloads: view and manage your order history. Orders are organised into those pending authorisation, authorised for download, previous downloads and rejected orders.

your account: update your account details, date format and reset your password.

search: enter your search term or image number into the box to begin your search

Search

Our media archive offers a variety of search functionality, whether you are initiating a search or wanting to refine your results.

The search box appears at the top right of all pages, enabling you to run search easily from wherever you are.



Advanced Search

The Advanced Search function can be accessed by clicking the link just below the search box and includes functions to help filter your search by date range, country, keyword, picture orientation, photographer, etc. You can also save searches and set the sort order for your search results.

malari

- Malaria**
- Malaria Drug**
- Malaria Medicine**
- Malaria Net**
- Malaria Rapid Diagnostic Test**
- Malaria RDT**
- Malarial Net**
- Anti-malarial**
- Antimalarial Medicine**
- Falciparum Malaria**
- Global Fund to Fight AIDS Tuberculosis and Malaria**
- Severe Malaria**
- Uncomplicated Malaria**
- Vivax Malaria**

When typing in the search field, a number of suggested search terms will appear that correspond to our captions and keywords. Keywords are applied to all of our images to enable better searching. (*)

For example, if you type *malaria*, you will see the relevant search terms: *malaria, malaria drug, malaria medicine, malaria net*, etc. You can either choose one from the list or continue writing your own search terms.

Advanced Search

DOCUMENT TYPE - Select all / De-select all
 PHOTO AUDIO VIDEO ALBUM
 STORY

URN / IDENTIFIER

FREE TEXT

PHOTOGRAPHER / CAMERAMAN

KEYWORDS :

EXCLUDED KEYWORDS:

COMMISSIONING SECTION

All

COPYRIGHT

USAGE RIGHTS

All

CONTINENT

All

REGION / COUNTRY

All

COLOUR

- ALL
- Color
- Black And White

ORIENTATION

- ALL
- Landscape
- Portrait
- Square
- Panoramic

PUBLICATION HISTORY

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

LANGUAGE VERSION

All

RANKING

ORIGINAL FORMAT

All

TYPE OF PRODUCTION

PRODUCTION QUALITY

All

DATE TAKEN

From
To
dd mm yyyy

clear

DATE RELEASED

From
To
dd mm yyyy

clear

Refine your search results

You can filter your results post-search. Enabling you to drill down to find exactly what you are looking for.

REFINE SEARCH

ALL RESULTS (5488)

AUDIOS (7)

PHOTOS (5241)

VIDEOS (195)

ALBUMS (17)

STORIES (28)

CATEGORY

- HEALTH (2894)
- LOCATION (1522)
- NUTRITION (914)
- COMMUNICATION (866)
- LOGISTICS (571)
- CONFLICT (422)
- ACTIVITY (385)
- SOCIAL CRISIS (264)
- EMOTION (167)
- MSF PUBLIC INFORMATION (34)
- POPULATION AND PEOPLE (1)

USAGE RIGHTS

- MSF Digital Publications (875)
- MSF Publications (867)
- Fundraising (837)
- Social Media (603)
- External Media (500)
- Advertising Campaign (240)
- Wires (35)
- TV Broadcast (5)
- Not To Be Used (3)

CONTINENT

- Africa (3956)
- Asia (702)
- Middle East (218)
- South America (86)
- Central America (83)
- Oceania (45)

your search terms will be displayed across the top of the results page, with the number of results for each media type displayed in the Refine Search filter column to the left. By default, this will be set to All Results for each search, but you can filter this to just view photos, videos or audio. The number in brackets is the number of search results that will be displayed if the filter is selected.

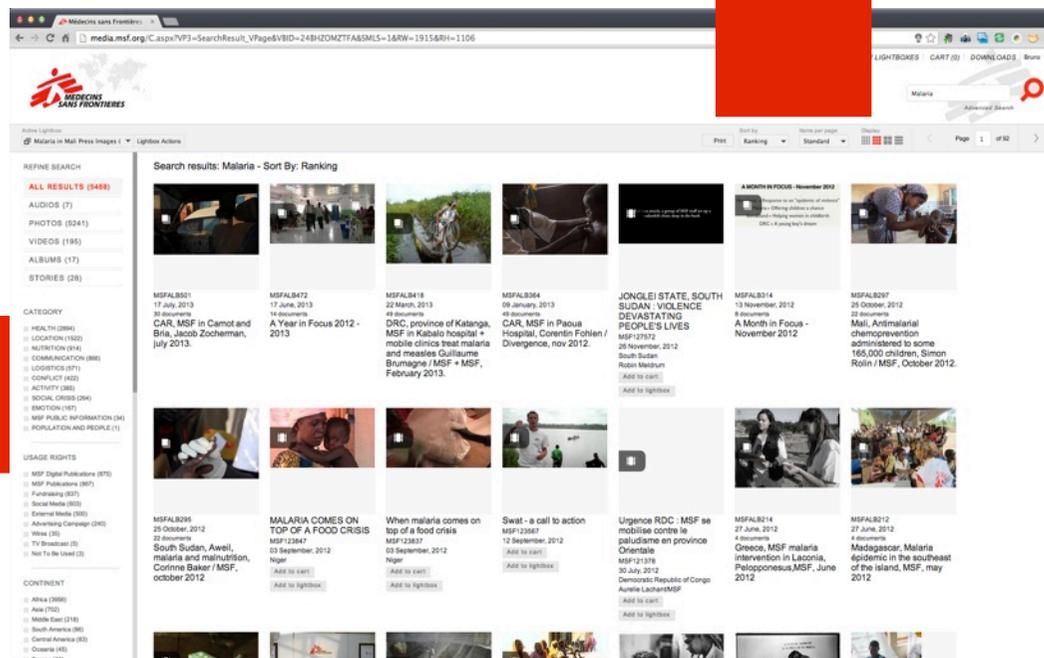
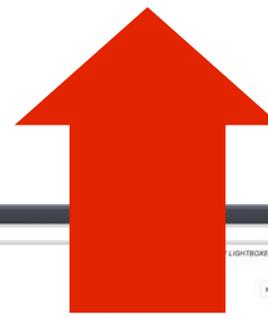
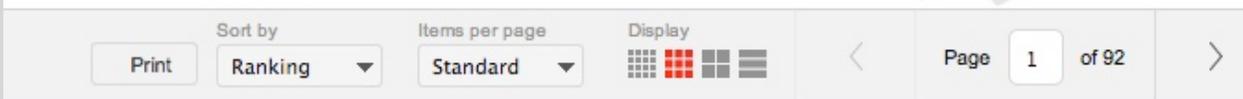
There are also a number of other search filters to help refine your search by Category, Continent, Country, Photographer, etc.

Sorting Your Search

The Sort Order of picture results can be displayed from Newest to Oldest or by Ranking, which is a sort order determined by our editors to show the best images rather than the latest. You can change your sort order at any time

Display Layout

To change the layout of your results, click the Display link at the top of the results page at any time and you can choose the grid size of search results or rather display them as a list.



Keyword Thesaurus

Keywords are a powerful tool which can be used to pinpoint the image you're looking for

| CATEGORY | SAMPLE TERMS |
|-------------------------|--|
| Humanitarian Crisis | Natural Disaster (earthquake, hurricane, mudslide,..) Nutritional Crisis (Famine, ..) Epidemic, .. |
| Conflict | Armed Conflict (guerrilla warfare,military intervention,..) Weapon (gun, explosive, ..), .. |
| Social Crisis | Violence, Prostitution, health care exclusion, .. |
| Health | Disease, medical condition, physical trauma, .. |
| Nutrition | malnutrition, nutritional survey, food, .. |
| Health Care, Healthcare | Patient, Medical equipment, medical facility, .. |
| MSF Action | medical action, distribute, research, .. |
| Logistics | transport, water and sanitation, construction, .. |
| Location | Inside, building structure, landscape, rural area, .. |
| People, Person | adult, family, child, migrant, .. |
| Activity | daily life, leisure, .. |
| Emotion | sadness, happiness, distress, .. |
| Social Action | civil unrest, activism, .. |
| Religion | Islam, praying, .. |
| Educational | education facility, teacher, .. |
| Livelihood | fishing, animal, .. |
| Organisations | United Nations Agency, ICRC, .. |
| Communication | meeting, presentation, media, MSF logo, .. |
| General Object | clothing, headwear, .. |
| Image Terms | close up, light source, colour, .. |

All new pictures and videos are keyworded upon upload to the system. A big part of our older, historical images have basic keywords attached to them, this part of our collection is being updated with more detailed keywords over time.

All packages are key worded too with the main themes, subject matter and country.

Packages

Pictures & videos often come in packages, grouped by theme or by reportage

In our database we group files into packages. There are currently two types of packages available: Albums and Stories.

It's important to understand the difference and how we agreed on using them. Both packages can be found/seen on the user side. Albums can be published on the homepage, Stories not. In fact, the different sections on the homepage are albums itself.

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An album is a set of files that have a common element that requires them to be assembled in a package for easy access. This could be a set of photos, videos and audio files that are selected for use in a campaign or an emergency.

A story groups all the files from a single trip or reportage so they can easily be found. The purpose being mainly for archiving, this package contains just those photos and/or videos that were shot on a single trip by one cameraman/expat.

It's like a binder with the original slides, or a folder on a computer with all the files from a camera from a specific trip. A photographer/cameraman may have travelled multiple times to a certain project, documenting our work over time, but in that case each trip would be grouped into its own story.

The screenshot shows the MSF website search results for 'Malaria'. The page is titled 'Malaria in Mali Press Images 1 - Lightbox Actions'. The search results are displayed in a grid format, showing various images and videos related to malaria. The results are sorted by ranking. The first result is 'MSFALB001' with 17 photos, dated 17 July 2013, titled 'CAR, MSF in Camot and Bria, Jacob Zocherman, July 2013'. Other results include 'MSFALB016' (22 March 2013) about DR Congo, 'MSFALB004' (09 January 2013) about CAR, and 'MSFALB014' (13 November 2012) about JONKLEI STATE, SOUTH SUDAN. The page also includes a sidebar with 'REFINE SEARCH' and 'CATEGORY' filters, and a 'CONTINENT' filter at the bottom.

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Use the Lightbox Actions menu to view, resequence, request, empty, share or delete a lightbox.

when searching, use the drop-down list to select any of your lightboxes or create a new one.

Active Lightbox: My First Lightbox (3) Lightbox Actions

– CREATE NEW LIGHTBOX –
My First Lightbox (3)

ALL RESULTS (485)

PHOTOS (447)

VIDEOS (18)

ALBUMS (14)

STORIES (6)

CATEGORY

- HEALTH (220)
- LOCATION (153)
- NUTRITION (150)
- CONFLICT (132)
- ACTIVITY (127)

Search results: Malaria - Sort By:

Type to enter text

MSFALB501
17 July, 2013
30 documents
CAR, MSF in Camot and Bria, Jacob Zocherman, july 2013.

MSFALB4
17 June, 2013
14 documents
A Year in Focus 2012 - 2013

New Lightbox

LIGHTBOX NAME

NOTES

CREATE

Click add to lightbox to save a picture to the active lightbox. You can also download a low res comp image to use as a placeholder image.

23 April, 2013 South Sudan
23 April, 2013 South Sudan
23 April, 2013 South Sudan

Yida, refugee c malnutrition. MSF135490 03 May, 2013 South Sudan Yann Libessart

maternal and child care 583 2013 South Sudan Yann Libessart

Kenya Oiga Overbeek

South Sudan Yann Libessart

Hover over an image to see summary information and quick links to *Add To Lightbox* and *Add To Cart*.

or click to view more in-depth information and actions.

1 ... 36 37 38 ... 485

Less details

Add to lightbox: 'My First Lightbox' Add to cart

Request download Embed code

Download Comp (TR1)

MSF's HIV clinic in Homa Bay District Hospital

System Identifier: MSF134310

Date Taken: 24 March, 2013

Date released: 16 May, 2013

Countries: Kenya

Photographer / cameraman: Oiga Overbeek

Commissioning section: MSF-FRANCE

Copyright: Oiga Overbeek/MSF

Size: 5616px x 3744px (~2 MB) 47.5 cm x 31.6 cm (300dpi)

Special instructions: Do not crop or alter without permission of photographer.

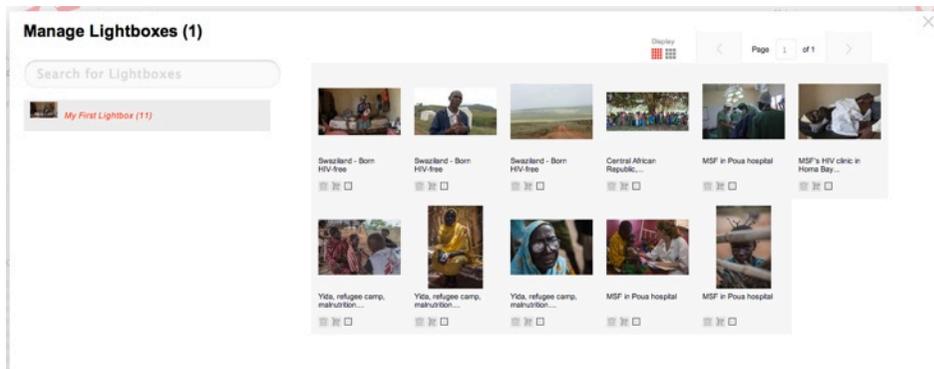
Ranking: Best Archive

Usage rights: External Media, Fundraising, MSF Digital Publications, MSF Publications, Social Media

Keywords: HIV/AIDS, Hospital, Hospital Bed, Lying Down, Medical Consultation, Patient, Portrait, Woman

Manage your pictures

From your lightbox you have complete control of your picture selections



- + Create new
- Rename
- Email
- Share
- Re-sequence assets
- View in main screen
- Copy to Cart
- Copy selected to...
- Copy all to...
- Empty
- Delete
- Batch delete lightboxes

Manage your selection by adding and removing images

Email images

Request images

Instantly share your lightbox by emailing your search results to a colleague, either as a link or a slideshow. Alternatively, you can send it to yourself and manage distribution from your own email account.

Use sharing options to collaborate in real time within a lightbox.

Email Photos

FROM

TO

Enter email addresses separated by comma (,)

SEND A COPY TO MYSELF

SUBJECT

John Johnson just sent you an image selection from Médecins sans Frontières.

TITLE

My First Lightbox

MESSAGE

You received a selection of Médecins sans Frontières images from John Johnson.

Please click on the following link to see the selection.

[LINK]

Best Regards.

TEMPLATE

Thumbs grid (Medium)

CANCEL PREVIEW SEND

Request and Download a Single Picture

When you've made your selection, requesting your picture is quick and easy

To request and download a single image/video, click *request* *download* on the picture/video panel.

Search results

MSFALB472
17 June, 2013
14 documents
A Year in Focus
2013

Malaria in Mali
2007
MSF26939
11 November, 2007
Mali
Bruno De Cock
Add to cart
Add to lightbox

Malaria in Mali, November 2007
MSF26943
11 November, 2007
Mali
Bruno De Cock
Add to cart
Add to lightbox

MSPST0249
21 September, 2012
7 documents
Preventive strategy against malaria (Seasonal Malaria Chemoprevention)

Less details

Remove from lightbox: 'Malaria in Mali, November 2007' [Press Images](#) [Add to cart](#)

[Request download](#) [Print](#) [Embed code](#) [Edit](#)

[Download Super high resolution \(TRX\)](#) [Download Comp \(TR1\)](#)

Malaria in Mali, November 2007

System Identifier: MSF26962

Code: 41286

Date Taken: 11 November, 2007

Date released: 11 November, 2007

Country: Mali

Photographer: Cameraman: Bruno De Cock

Commissioning organization: MSF-BELGIUM

Copyright: Bruno De Cock

Size: 3456x * 2304px (~1 MB)
29.2 cm * 19.5 cm (300dpi)

Ranking: Best Archive

Usage rights: External Media, Fundraising, MSF Digital Publications, MSF Publications, Social Media

Keywords: Falcipterum Malaria, Malaria, Medical Consultation, Medical Facility, National Staff, Rapid Diagnostic Test

[Expand keywords](#)

Simon Rolin
Add to cart
Add to lightbox

An authorization panel will then appear. Select the specific details related to the intended usage of the image.

Clicking Request Authorization sends your request to one of our representatives who will review your request and validate/reject it depending on the license of the image/video in question.

Some of our images that are linked to a press release are available for direct download. These videos or images have a *download super high resolution* link

Order

AUTHORIZATION REQUIRED

PLEASE SPECIFY USAGE FOR THE REQUESTED ASSET

Non-MSF Use

WHAT TYPE OF USE?

Editorial

Authorization required

PROJECT

Article on Malaria

DESCRIPTION

to be published in our daily newspaper

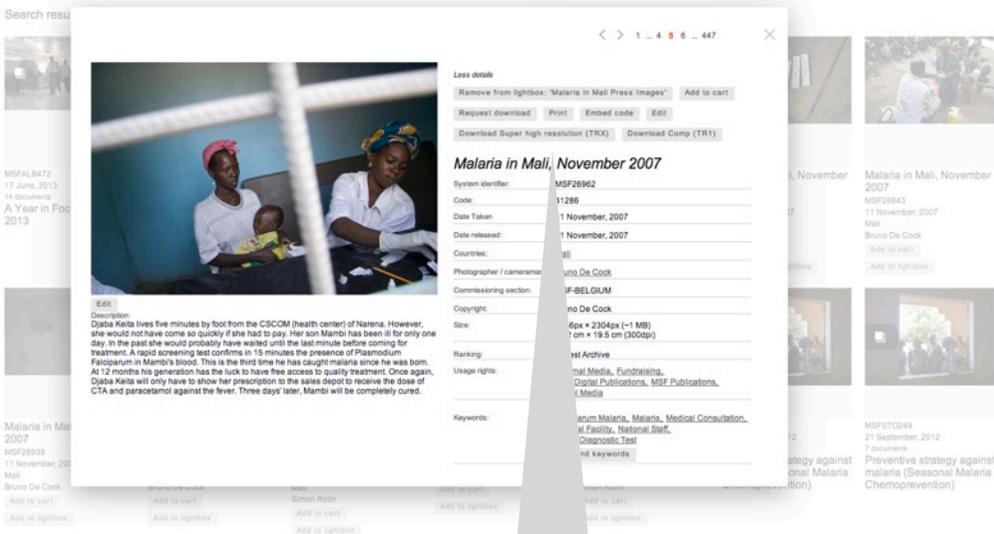
REFERENCE

The Daily News, newspaper, print and online

[REQUEST AUTHORIZATION FOR THIS ITEM](#)

Request and download multiple pictures

The Cart enables you to request multiple images/videos at once



You can add pictures and videos to your cart from search results, packages and lightboxes.

- a. You can move images to your cart by clicking the *add to cart* link under each image
- b. Alternatively, you can add the entire content of a lightbox by clicking *Copy to Cart*
- c. You can review the content of your cart at any time by clicking *Cart* on the main menu

MY LIGHTBOXES | **CART (3)** | DOWNLOADS | Bruno ▾

When requesting an image in your cart, you will need to select the specific details relating to the intended usage of the image.

An authorization panel will appear. By selecting *Request Authorization* one of our representatives will review your request

To save you time when requesting multiple images with the same usage, you can select *Copy to All Items*. Once validated, your requested images will be downloaded in on or more zip files.

3 items in My Cart | EMPTY CART | ORDER ASSET BY ASSET NUMBER

AUTHORIZATION REQUIRED



PLEASE SPECIFY USAGE FOR THE REQUESTED ASSET

Non-MSF Use

WHAT TYPE OF USE?

Editorial

Authorization required

PROJECT

Use of photos in Newspaper

DESCRIPTION

To use with a special feature on Malaria

REFERENCE

The Daily Newspaper

COPY TO ALL ITEMS

REQUEST AUTHORIZATION FOR THIS ITEM

We will get back to you shortly

INCOMPLETE



PLEASE SPECIFY USAGE FOR THE REQUESTED ASSET

Malaria in Mali, November 2007

MSF26961

11 November, 2007

Mali