THE SYSTEM HAS BEEN DESIGNED FOR REPORTING OF GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION IN THE FIELD, WITHOUT THE USE OF A GPS.

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TO REPORT YOUR POSITION:

- Locate the square cell you are in on the map using estimated distance and direction from a known point such as a Clinics, schools or settlements as a guide.
- Note that the alpha-numeric reference code (e.g. NA-38-134)
- Note the numeric reference of the square cell
- Note the alphabetic reference of the square cell.