

6th INDEPTH AGM
Conference Programme

17-22 September 2006. Palm Beach Hotel, Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso

Theme: *Developing Scientific Capacity for Health Surveillance and Response in the Developing World*

Sunday 17 September				
14:00 – 18:00	Field visits to DSS sites. <i>INDEPTH-sponsored delegates have the choice to visit either Ouagadougou DSS or Sapone DSS (30-min drive from Ouagadougou). Choice of site must be emailed to the AGM coordinator by Friday xxx September. Self-funded participants wishing to be on the field visits should contact the AGM coordinator Dr. Diadier Diallo – d.diallo.cnlp@fasonet.bf for information.</i>			
Time	Title	Speakers	Chair	Rapporteur
Monday 18 September				
08:30 – 10:30	Plenary 1: Opening Session			
10:30 – 11:00	Networking break			
11:00 – 13:00	Plenary 2: INDEPTH Network Activities			
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch			
	Parallel Sessions – Plenary			
14:00 – 16:00	Plenary 3: DSS supporting public health policies		James Phillips	Shashi Kant
14:00 – 16:00	Plenary 4: Approaches to reducing cost of DSS / Technical innovations for DSS practitioners		Bruce Macleod / Kobus Herbst	Martha Lemnge
16:00 – 16:30	Networking Break			
16:30 – 17:30	Parallel Sessions – Working Groups			
18:00 – 20:00	Reception			
Tuesday 19 September				
08:30 – 10:30	Plenary 5: EAGLES Symposium HIV Series 1		Tilahun Yilma	Rhian Twine
	EAGLES symposium 1 <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Keynote Address: HIV/AIDS research in Africa – Overview, gaps and what next. 2. AIDS in developing countries: the scale of the problem and why more knowledge on pathology is needed 3. Recent patterns of mortality by age in Tanzania: An 	Ronald Galiwango (Rakai DSS, Uganda) Senait Ashenafi, (Addis Ababa, Ethiopia) Robert Mswia and Tukufu		

	<p>investigation of the impact of HIV/AIDS on mortality</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. The DSS uniqueness for conducting HIV and AIDS controlled trials in urban areas in Africa. 5. Biomedical research on HIV/AIDS: challenges, opportunities and solutions 6. Mucosal vaccines for HIV/AIDS within European networks 	<p>Zuberi (ACAP) John Kebaso (Nairobi DSS) Hans Wolf (RIMMH, Regensburg, Germany)</p> <p>Aldo Tagliabue, CHIRON, Sienna, Italy.</p>		
10:30 – 11:00	Networking Break			
11:00 – 13:00	Plenary 6: EAGLES Symposia HIV Series 2		Hans Wolf	Tom Williams
	<p>EAGLES symposium 2:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strategies to Enhance the Safety and Efficacy of Live Recombinant Vaccine 2. Factors influencing attendance of a voluntary counselling and testing (VCT) programme among pregnant women residing in Dikgale DSS, South Africa 3. Evaluation of a community-based VCT programme in a rural Ugandan community 4. Reaching the poorest with HIV/AIDS VCT services 5. Orphanhood in Kilifi DSS, a rural community in Kenya 6. DISCUSSION - What are the most important priorities? What needs to be done by whom? 	<p>Tilahun Yilma, UC Davis, California, USA.</p> <p>Marianne Alberts (Dikgale DSS) Joseph Matovu (Rakai DSS) Sally Mtenga (Ifakara DSS) Evasius Bauni (Kilifi DSS)</p>		
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch			
	Parallel Sessions - Plenary			
14:00 – 16:00	Plenary 7: HIV Series 3 – INDEPTH/EAGLES proposals		Michael Bennish	Tom Lutalo
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Introduction – background, activities, objectives 2. <u>Draft Proposal 1</u>: Population-based determinants of success and socioeconomic impact of ART rollout 3. <u>Draft Proposal 2</u>: Impact of HIV on socioeconomic measures 	Michael Bennish		

14:00 – 16:00	Plenary 8: The special role of DSS		Rainer Sauerborn	Issa Nébiéi
16:00 – 16:30	Networking Break			
16:30 – 17:30	Parallel Sessions – Working Groups			
	I. HIV/AIDS II. Asia/Oceania	Convener: Michael Bennish Conveners: NTK Chuc / Siswanto Walipo		
18:00 – 20:00	Dinner			
Wednesday 20 September				
	Parallel Sessions – Plenary and Roundtable			
08:30 – 10:30	I. INDEPTH Business – Executive Director’s Annual Report and Board election		Steve Tollman	Osman Sankoh
10:30 – 11:00	Networking Break			
	Parallel Sessions – Roundtable and Plenary			
11:30 – 13:00	Plenary 9: Reproductive Health		Nocola Meda or Cheikh Mbacke	Seth Owusu-Agye
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch			
14:00 – 15:30	Plenary 10: DSS and measuring progress toward MDGs		D. de Savigny	Baya Banza
14:00 – 15:30	Plenary 11: Measuring mortality and morbidity of poverty-related diseases		Siddhi Hirve	Patricia Akweongo
15:30– 16:00	Networking Break			
16:00 – 17:30	Parallel Sessions - Working Groups			
	I. Meeting the MDGs at INDEPTH Sites	Convener: Jim Phillips		
	II. Reproductive Health	Convener: Nyovani Madise		
18:00 – 20:00	Dinner			

Thursday 21 September				
08:30 – 10:30	Plenary 12 : Malaria Clinical Trials		Marcel Tanner or Daniel Chandramohan	Bernhards Ogutu
10:30 – 11:00	Networking Break			
11:00 – 13:00	Parallel Session : Working Groups			
11:00 – 13:00	I. Malaria Group	Convener: Fred Binka		
11:30 – 13:00	II. Technical Innovations and Reducing DSS cost	Convener: Bruce Macleod		
11:30 – 13:00	III. Workshop for young scientists	XXX		
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch			
14:00 – 15:30	Plenary 13: Data Quality, Analysis and Sharing		Jane Menken	Honorati Masanja
15:30 – 16:00	Networking Break			
16:00 – 17:30	Parallel Sessions – Plenary and Working Groups			
16:00 – 17:30	Plenary 14: Mental Health		Ouango J G?	Victor Doku
16:00 – 17:30	I. Working Group: Data quality, analysis and sharing	Convener: Kobus Herbst		
16:00 – 17:30	II. Working Group: Mortality levels, patterns and trends – 2nd Edition of INDEPTH Monograph	Conveners: Osman Sankoh / Ayaga Bawah		
18:00 – 20:00	Dinner			
Friday 22 September				
08:30 – 10:00	Plenary Session - Mixed Bag		Alex Ezeh	Sanjay Juvekar
10:00 – 10:30	Networking Break			
10:30 – 13:00	Plenary Session – Working Groups Feedback and Closing		Steve Tollman	Ayaga Bawah
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch			