



Partnerships & Innovations for Community Health

Final Agenda

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MONDAY, MAY 6, 2019

8:30am – 9:00am	Registration and Breakfast
9:30am – 11:30am <i>Ballroom</i>	USAID's flagship Maternal and Child Survival Program's (MCSP) Harnessing the Power of Communities to Advance Equity and Primary Health Care for All Featuring MOH and MCSP Country perspectives and evidence; USAID, UNICEF, Financing Alliance for Health
	TECHNICAL WORKSHOPS
9:00am – 1:00pm <i>Cabinet</i>	Practical Approaches to Disability Inclusion in Healthcare Alessandra Aresu, Humanity & Inclusion; Leia Isanhart, Catholic Relief Services; Zinayida Olshanska, Light for the World Netherlands; Abia Akram, National Forum of Women with Disabilities, Pakistan; Andrea Pregel, Sightsavers (Moderator)
9:00am – 5:00pm <i>Judiciary</i>	FULL DAY Norms-shifting Interventions as Part of Community-based Health Projects: Considerations for Their Design and Evaluation Susan Igras; Institute for Reproductive Health, Laurie Krieger, Manoff Group; Joseph Petraglia, Syntegral; Armelle Sacher, Action Against Hunger; Halkeno Tura, The University of Iowa
4:30 pm – 5:30pm	WELCOME & ORIENTATION
<i>Ballroom</i>	Open to all, join CORE Group staff to learn about CORE Group's work, history, and what to expect at the May 2019 Global Health Practitioner Conference.
6:00pm – 8:00pm <i>Cabinet</i>	CORE Group Board of Directors Meeting

TUESDAY, MAY 7, 2019

8:30am – 9:00am	Registration and Breakfast
9:00am – 10:30am <i>Ballroom</i>	OPENING & KEYNOTE ADDRESS Welcome from CORE Group and Board of Directors Lisa M. Hilmi, CORE Group Executive Director CORE Group Board of Directors Chair KEYNOTE: Sasha Fisher, Spark MicroGrants
10:30am – 11:00am	Break <i>Expo Tables Open</i>
11:00am – 12:30pm	CONCURRENT SESSIONS
<i>Ballroom</i>	Better Together: Advocacy and Partnerships to Strengthen Community Health Crystal Lander, Living Goods; Mesfin Teklu Tessema, International Rescue Committee; Robert Newman, Aspen Management Partnership for Health (AMP Health); Lizah Masis, Financing Alliance for Health
<i>Cabinet</i>	Innovative, Community-based Strategies for Making Global Health and Development Programs more Inclusive of People with Disabilities

	Leonard Mbonani, Kuhenza for the Children; Amberle Brown, World Relief; Jessica Charles, Kupenda for the Children; Holly Nelson, Special Hope Network; Cynthia Bauer, Kupenda for the Children (Moderator)
<i>Judiciary</i>	Building Partnerships to Provide Nurturing Care for Small and Sick Newborns and Their Families Judith Robb-McCord, Every Premie-SCALE, Project Concern International; Neena Khadka, USAID’s flagship Maternal & Child Survival Program, Save the Children; Renee Perez, USAID’s flagship Maternal & Child Survival Program, Save the Children; Deborah Discenza, Premie World; Cori Mazzeo, USAID’s flagship Maternal & Child Survival Program, Save the Children (Moderator)
<i>Diplomat</i>	Social Accountability: Measurements and Momentum Allison Annette Foster, WI-HER; Eric Sarriot, Save the Children; Kristen Mallory, Children International; Ligia Paina, Johns Hopkins University School of Public Health; Beth Outterson, Independent
<i>Potomac</i>	Opportunities to Integrate and Optimize Community Health Workers in Health Systems: Global and Local Perspectives Leah McManus, HRH2030 Program, Chemonics; Isaiah Ndong, Chemonics; Nazo Kureshy, Office of Health Systems, USAID Bureau for Global Health; Halkeno Tura, Ethnic Minorities of Burma Resource and Advocacy Center (EMBARC); Rachel Deussom, HRH2030 Program, Chemonics (Moderator)
12:30pm – 2:00pm	Lunch <i>Expo Tables Open</i>
2:00pm – 3:30pm	NEW INFORMATION CIRCUITS
<i>Ballroom</i>	Attendees will be able to choose three tables to visit over the course of this plenary. These tables include new tools, innovations, projects, and topics shared interactively by various presenters.
3:30pm – 4:00pm	Break <i>Expo Tables Open</i>
4:00pm – 5:30pm	CATALYST SESSIONS
<i>Ballroom</i>	Innovative Financing Mechanisms and Effective Management of Risk for Partnerships in Global Health So O’Neil, Mathematica; Scott Higgins, Merck for Mothers; Priya Sharma, USAID Center for Innovation and Impact; Marcie Cook, Population Services International; Marissa Leffler, UBS Optimus Foundation; Shree Prabhakaran, Palladium; Christine Sow, Palladium (Moderator)
<i>Cabinet</i>	The Role of Gender and Religion in Social Behavior Communication in Muslim Societies Samuel Usman, CORE Group Polio Project Nigeria; Ahmed Ahrale, CORE Group Polio Project Horn of Africa (Kenya and Somalia); Roma Solomon, CORE Group Polio Project India; Lee Losey and Lydia Bologna, CORE Group Polio Project (Moderators)
<i>Judiciary</i>	Multisectoral Partnerships and Innovations for Early Childhood Development (ECD) Joy Noel Baumgartner, Duke University Evidence Lab; Maureen Black, RTI International; Mohammed Ali, Catholic Relief Services; Chessa Lutter, RTI International; Erin Milner, USAID; Cristina Bisson, RTI International (Moderator)
<i>Diplomat</i>	Do This, Not That: Surfacing Lessons for Social Accountability Design from Evaluations that show no health impacts Preston Whitt, Results for Development; Courtney Tolmie, Results for Development (Moderator)
<i>Potomac</i>	Artificial Intelligence and eLearning in Humanitarian Health Donald H. Bauman, Jr, Isabel Healthcare, Inc; Colleen Gallagher Thomas, Relief International; Grace McLain, International Rescue Committee; Mike OBrien, Relief International (Moderator)

5:30pm – 7:30pm	Social Networking
Cesco Osteria	Join the CORE Group Community and other conference attendees at a Cesco Osteria (7401 Woodmont Avenue) for light hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 2019

8:30am – 9:00am	Registration and Breakfast
9:00am – 10:00am <i>Ballroom</i>	INNOVATION SPEAKER Dr. Mario Merialdi , Senior Director, Becton, Dickinson and Company (BD)
10:00am – 10:30am	Break <i>Expo Tables Open</i>
10:30am – 12:00pm <i>Ballroom</i>	PLENARY Playing in the Sandbox for Maximum Impact: Defining Collaboration Across Corporations, Governments, Private Sector, and Implementers Tara Hogan Charles, The Procter & Gamble Company; Scott Higgins, Merck for Mothers; Myroslava Tataryn, Wellspring Philanthropic Fund; Rob Tashima, VilCap Innovations; Janine Schooley, PCI (Moderator)
12:00pm – 1:30pm 12:15pm – 1:15pm <i>Ballroom</i>	Lunch <i>Expo Tables Open</i> CORE Group Membership & Business Meeting Open to all
1:30pm – 3:00pm	WORKING GROUP PLANNING SESSIONS
<i>Ballroom</i>	Community-Centered Health Systems Strengthening Working Group
<i>Cabinet</i>	Humanitarian-Development Task Force
<i>Judiciary</i>	Social & Behavior Change Working Group
<i>Ambassador</i>	Reproductive, Maternal, Newborn & Adolescent Health Working Group
<i>Diplomat</i>	Monitoring & Evaluation Working Group
<i>Severn</i>	Nutrition Working Group
<i>Potomac</i>	Non-Communicable Diseases Interest Group
3:00pm – 3:30pm	Break <i>Expo Tables Open</i>
3:30 pm – 5:00pm	CONCURRENT SESSIONS
<i>Ballroom</i>	Breaking Barriers to Improve Health and Nutrition: What It Will Take to Strengthen Health Services to Better Address Nutritional Status Smita Kumar, USAID; Sascha Lamstein, USAID Advancing Nutrition, John Snow Inc.; Mandana Arabi, JSI; Patti Welch, USAID's flagship Maternal & Child Survival Program, PATH; Justine Kavle, USAID's flagship Maternal & Child Survival Program, PATH; Cori Mazzeo, USAID's flagship Maternal & Child Survival Program, Save the Children (Moderator)
<i>Cabinet</i>	Moving Nutrition Innovation from Inception to Deployment to Scale Susan Abdel-Rahman, Children's Mercy Hospital; Kristen Mallory, Children International; Pamela Sheeran, Smile Train
<i>Judiciary</i>	Using Innovations and Partnerships in Digital Technologies to Strengthen Humanitarian Response Walter Kerr, Zenysis Technologies; Kim Shelsby, Chemonics; Tamara Goldschmidt, BAO Systems; Mai-Anh Hoang, Chemonics (Moderator)
<i>Diplomat</i>	Public-Private Partnership and Chronic Kidney Disease of Unknown Causes (CKDu) World Vision, PAHO, INSP (Mexican National Institute of Public Health), Sugar Mill
<i>Potomac</i>	Partnerships for Positive Change in the Era of Universal Health Coverage Mychelle Farmer, Advancing Synergy & NCD Child; Jane Otai, Jhpiego

5:30pm – 7:00pm <i>Hyatt Regency Terrace</i>	POSTER SESSION & PROFESSIONAL NETWORKING Light hors d'oeuvres will be provided and a cash bar will be available.
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THURSDAY, MAY 9, 2019

8:30am – 9:00am	Registration and Breakfast
9:00am - 9:30am	Presentation of Dory Storms Award 2019 Award Winner Mary DeCoster
9:30am - 11:00am <i>Ballroom</i>	NEW INFORMATION CIRCUIT Attendees will be able to choose three tables to visit over the course of this plenary. These tables include new tools, innovations, projects, and topics shared interactively by various presenters.
11:00am - 11:30 am	Break <i>Expo Tables Open</i>
11:30am - 1:00pm	CONCURRENT SESSIONS
<i>Ballroom</i>	Leveraging Expertise: A Multi-Stakeholder Partnership Approach to Strengthening Community Health Systems Nazo Kureshy, Office of Health Systems, USAID Bureau for Global Health; Smisha Agarwal, Frontline Health, Johns Hopkins University; Vandana Tripathi, Fistula Care Plus Project; EngenderHealth; Caroline Johnson, Frontline Health, Population Council; Juliet Harris, Aga Khan Foundation; Karen Kirk, Population Council; Ben Bellows, Frontline Health, Population Council (Moderator)
<i>Cabinet</i>	Partnerships in Action: A Nutrition-Focused Family-Based Lifecourse Approach to Addressing NCDs Paul Freeman, University of Washington; Charlotte Block, NCBA CLUSA; Mychelle Farmer, Advancing Synergy & NCD Child; Eric Trachtenberg, Alliance for Food & Health; Arti Varanasi, Advancing Synergy (Moderator)
<i>Judiciary</i>	Catalyzing Investments in RMNCAH at Community Levels: Applying and Scaling-Up Innovative Policy- and Program-Level Approaches Kaja Jurczynska, Palladium; Feven Mekuria, CARE; Ryan Derni, CARE
<i>Potomac</i>	The CMAM Surge Approach: Building Resilient and Responsive Health Systems Amanda Yourchuck, Concern Worldwide; Sarah Butler O’Flynn, Save the Children – US
1:00pm - 2:00pm	Lunch <i>Expo Tables Open</i>
2:00pm - 4:00pm <i>Ballroom</i>	PLENARY & CLOSING The Power of the Private Sector at the Community Level: Partnerships and Innovation to Achieve Universal Access to Care Sam Gwer, Afya Research Africa; Malcolm Riley III, Innovation in Healthcare at Duke University; Whitney Adams, CARE; USAID Center for Innovation and Impact, Bureau for Global Health; Caroline Quijada, SHOPS Plus Project, Abt Associates (Moderator)

TABLE 1	Tools for easing the workload of community health volunteers in case management Katrina Mitchell, Picture Impact
TABLE 2	Capacity Development for Lasting Partnerships -- how can implementing partners more sustainably meet country's needs? Lyubov Teplitskaya, Health Policy Plus Project (HP+), Palladium
TABLE 3	Optimization of Care and Resources Through Technology: A Partnership-Based Lifecycle Approach Arti Varanasi, Advancing Synergy
TABLE 4	New Global Indicators to Monitor Family Planning Task Sharing Programs Tishina Okegbe, FHI 360
TABLE 5	Measuring Outcomes among Street Children, Children working in Mines, and Children of Female Sex Workers - How should global OVC programs measure the impact of interventions on wellbeing outcomes among children who are the hardest to reach and the most vulnerable? Jackie Hellen & Lisa Parker, Palladium
TABLE 6	The marginalized community in the driver's seat: A mixed-method evaluation of pregnancy complications managed at Casa Materna Rural birth centers Elijah Olivas, The University of Iowa
TABLE 7	Prevention > Treatment: Very Young Adolescent Sexual and Reproductive Health and Gender Program Design Guide Jennifer Gayles, Save the Children
TABLE 8	Family MUAC- Supporting entire communities to screen for acute malnutrition Sarah King, Action Against Hunger
TABLE 9	Specialized Care in Humanitarian Health, Mental Health, Prosthetics and Physical Rehabilitation Amy Kunert, Relief International
TABLE 10	Health Kiosk at Faith Worship Centers: Innovation to maximize access to HIV services at faith worship centers in Zimbabwe Gloria Ekpo, World Vision US
TABLE 11	Engaging New Allies in the Health Equity Movement: A Look at Promising Strategies and Future Directions Renata Schiavo, Health Equity Initiative, Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health
TABLE 12	Community-Led Total Nutrition: A community led approach to addressing malnutrition Vicky Veevers, Catholic Relief Services
TABLE 13	Delivering acute malnutrition treatment through low-literate iCCM community health workers Bethany Marron, International Rescue Committee
TABLE 14	Decreasing Child Stunting by Reducing Maternal Depression Erin Pfeiffer, Food for the Hungry
TABLE 15	A First Time Parents Package: Integrating Postpartum Family Planning with Maternal and Child Health in West Africa Akim Assani Ossen, Pathfinder International
TABLE 16	The First 42 Days: A mobile health app for creating partnerships between facility and community health providers to improve postnatal care in rural India Ravinder Kaur, USAID's flagship Maternal & Child Survival Program, India
TABLE 17	Supporting Smart Investments in Digital Health- Introducing the Digital Health Investment Review Tool Lisa Kowalski, USAID's flagship Maternal & Child Survival Program, John Snow Inc.
TABLE 18	Digital Health & the Tools You May Not Be Using But Should! Steve Ollis, John Snow Inc.

NEW INFORMATION CIRCUITS – THURSDAY, MAY 9

TABLE 1	Using Programmatic M&E Systems for Research Margaret Lillie, Evidence Lab at the Duke Global Health Institute
TABLE 2	Partnerships Without Borders: An Innovative Model for Nomadic Healthcare Nana Apenem Dagadu, Save the Children US
TABLE 3	EGPAF’s Affiliation Model - Civil Society Capacity Building and Partnership Leah Petit, EGPAF
TABLE 4	Community Health Toolkit: Building Open-Source Technology Together Alix Emden, Medic Mobile
TABLE 5	Introducing Community Health Impact Coalition Madeleine Ballard, Community Health Impact Coalition
TABLE 6	Taking Charge: Scaling ‘Sex, Test and Treat’ in Cameroon Mariela Rodriguez, CARE USA
TABLE 7	The Model Household Approach: A Toolkit for Integrated health Promotion Camille Collins Lovell, Pathfinder International
TABLE 8	Focus on Couples Janine Schooley, PCI
TABLE 9	Reducing Enteropathy, Diarrhea, Undernutrition and Contamination in the Environment in the DRC (REDUCE Trial) Nicole Coglianese, Food for the Hungry
TABLE 10	Partnerships for pre-eclampsia: engaging stakeholders using an innovative model to strengthen supply and demand for antenatal and postnatal care Caroline Johnson, Population Council
TABLE 11	Advocating for integrated approaches to equity and inclusion Kristie Urich, World Vision International
TABLE 12	Malnutrition Prevalence & Prevention for Children born with Cleft Pamela Sheeran, Smile Train
TABLE 13	Adapting a “Low Dose, High Frequency” capacity building approach to improve competence, confidence, and performance among Egypt’s Community Health Workers Issam El-Adawi, Save the Children/Egypt
TABLE 14	Blueprints for Better Family Planning: Creating Digital Design Global Goods to Support Frontline Health Workers Kristen Devlin & Steve Ollis, Advancing Partners & Communities, John Snow Inc.
TABLE 15	Comprehensive care for pregnant and lactating women and their infants and young children: reducing missed opportunities Peggy Koniz-Booher, Jacqueline Wille, Folake Olayinka, MIYCN-FP-Immunization Community of Practice

The power of partnership: collaborating to develop and deploy a digital system for Egypt’s Community Health Workers

Amy Mangieri, Save the Children US

Meeting the SDG’s Leave-no-one-behind Agenda with Better Nutrition for Children with Disabilities: A Uganda Case Study

Stephanie Auxier, SPOON Foundation

Partnerships with Traditional Institutions: the key to Polio eradication

Oro-ghehe Adia, Catholic Relief Services Nigeria

Delivering Immunization Services Through Innovative Partnership and Community Health Approaches

Samuel Usman, CORE Group Polio Project Nigeria

Sustainability of Evidence-Based Intervention: The Care Group Approach

Halkeno Tura, The University of Iowa

From 3 districts to 103: lessons learned and considerations for scaling up innovative QI approaches

Tewodros Alemayehu Abebe, John Snow Inc.

An Innovative Text Message Based Program to Improved Pregnancy Outcomes in Kenya

Bob Gold & Shelley Schenfeld, GoMo Health

Building coalitions for advocacy and action to promote and protect breastfeeding through HKI’s Assessment and Research on Child Feeding (ARCH) Project

Jennifer Nielsen, Helen Keller International

Community involvement for early identification and warning of epidemic prone disease under surveillance through the Community Watch and Alert Committee Strategy in Senegal

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Getting to 2020: The Introduction of DMPA-SC via Community Health Workers in Benin

Tishina Okegbe, FHI 360

BFS+: Process evaluation of an integrative health approach for lactating women and their babies in humanitarian emergencies in Nguenyiel refugee camp in Gambella, Ethiopia.

Armelle Sacher, Action Against Hunger

The Birth of a CHEW Program: Stakeholder perspectives on initiating Uganda's new national strategy

Camille Collins Lovell, Pathfinder International

Beyond the Outbreak: Strategies for Post-Ebola Recovery

Jeffrey Sanderson, John Snow Inc.

Live More Abundantly: An ADRA approach for addressing chronic diseases in LMIC

Sharon Tobing, ADRA International

Exploring willingness to pay and determinants of using a household water treatment product in Haiti

Bram Riems, Action Against Hunger (ACF)

Saving maternal lives in the rural highlands of Guatemala: a mixed-method evaluation of pregnancy complications managed at Casa Materna Rural birth centers

Jacqueline Wallace, Curamericas Global