



## MSH & KNCV TOGETHER WITH NATIONAL TB PROGRAMS AND OTHER PARTNERS PRESENTS

### Workshop:

“Sharing experiences and practical lessons in scale-up, introduction and innovation of stool-based testing to diagnose TB, zooming in on Asia.”

### Chairs:

**Petra de Haas (KNCV TB Plus) & Dr. Sayera Banu (icddr,b)**



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10.30 - 13.30  
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Bali International  
Convention Centre



### WELCOME

**Charlotte Colvin (USAID) & Erik Post (MSH, USAID BEBAS-TB)**

1. Clinical diagnosis of pediatric TB in the era of stool-based diagnosis.

*Presenters: L. V. Adams (Dartmouth's Geisel School of Medicine) & C. Colvin (USAID)*

2. Performance of molecular tests for stool-based TB testing: Experiences with use of TrueNat, Xpert XDR cartridge, tNGS.

*Moderator: A. U. Nyaruhirira (MSH)*

*Presenters: J. Kabugo (SNRL Uganda), J. Olabamiji (IHVN Nigeria), T. Ness and W. Khumalo (BCM Eswatini)*

3. Use of tongue swabs for TB diagnosis in children: Are we close to routine implementation?

*Presenter: D. Jaganath (UCSF)*

4. Implementation of stool-based TB testing, zooming in on Asia – Country experiences.

*Moderator: S. Meharwal (FHI360)*

*Presenters: Bangladesh (Dr. S.M.M. Rahman), Indonesia (Dr. Nastiti), Phillipines (L. Coprada), Vietnam (Dr. Hien), and representatives from Tajikistan and India*

5. Scale up of stool-based testing: Current status and experiences in SubSaharan Africa.

*Moderator: E. Klinkenberg (ConnectTB)*

*Presenters: N. Nwokoye (KNCV Nigeria) and B. Shigut (NTP Malawi)*

### Panel Discussion

Key lessons learned and optimization of stool-based TB testing.

*Moderators: E. Post (MSH, USAID BEBAS-TB) & G. Dravniece (PATH Ukraine, STBCEU project)*