

The Union World Conference on Lung Health 2024 in Bali



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)



**Tuesday
12th November
2024**



**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: V. Yellappa (KNCV)

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

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)