Programme

Time to end TB – a new path to defeating the world’s oldest epidemic

Monday 19 – Tuesday 20 June 2017 | WP1550

Tuberculosis (TB) is humanity’s greatest infectious killer. Seventy years since the discovery of antibiotics, and twenty-four years after being declared a global health emergency, TB remains the world’s deadliest communicable disease. Every year over 10 million people fall ill with the disease and 1.8 million die from it. Moreover, TB has become one of the world’s leading drug-resistant killers. It is the only major drug-resistant infection which is transmitted through the air.

Global initiatives have targeted TB but achieved only relatively limited reductions in the number of cases and deaths. The Millennium Development Goal target on TB was achieved, but 33m people have died from the disease since 2000. Sustainable Development Goal 3.3 targets the end of TB by 2030, but at current rates of progress it will still be a threat 150 years from now. The Global Fund to Fight HIV/AIDS, TB and Malaria has been fully replenished, but less than a fifth of its funds will target TB and much of the burden rests in countries that the Global Fund does not support.

Starting with the G20 Leaders’ Summit in Hamburg just two weeks after this event, TB will receive unprecedented attention from political leaders and decision-makers, through the Global Ministerial Conference in Moscow, Russia, in November 2017, and a United Nations High Level Meeting on TB in 2018. Between the two will fall the Argentinian Presidency of the G20 where further progress is expected on the antimicrobial resistance (AMR) agenda.

These events will do much to determine the future of the fight against TB. If political leaders agree the necessary plans and resources, the world could dramatically accelerate progress against the disease. If outcomes are vague or enjoy limited support, the response could stagnate. It is a ‘make or break’ period in the fight against the world’s deadliest infectious disease.

In partnership with the Global TB Caucus
**Monday 19 June**

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<td>Robin Hart</td>
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<td>Senior Programme Director, Wilton Park</td>
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<td><strong>The Rt Hon Nick Herbert CBE MP</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Stephen Lewis</strong></td>
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<td>Former UN Special Envoy on HIV/AIDS; Co-Director of AIDS-Free World, Toronto</td>
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<td><strong>Mario Raviglione</strong></td>
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<td>Director, Global Tuberculosis Programme, World Health Organization, Geneva</td>
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<td><strong>Tsira Chakhaia</strong></td>
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<td>Eastern Europe and Central Asia Coordinator, Global TB Caucus, London</td>
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<td>• Understanding the global burden of the disease and what are the challenges and priorities to defeat TB</td>
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<td>• What role should the high-burden countries play in the Global Ministerial Conference and the High Level Meeting?</td>
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<td><strong>Lucica Ditiu</strong></td>
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<td>Executive Director, Stop TB Partnership, Geneva</td>
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<td><strong>Shannon Hader</strong></td>
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<td>Director, Division of Global HIV and TB, Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Atlanta</td>
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<td><strong>Gavin Churchyard</strong></td>
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<td>Chief Executive Officer, The Aurum Institute, Johannesburg</td>
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<td><strong>Tereza Kasaeva</strong></td>
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<td>Deputy Director of the Department of Healthcare and Sanatorium-Resort Engagement, Ministry of Health of Russian Federation, Moscow</td>
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<td>3. <strong>Leading the fight: ideas from outside the box to end TB</strong></td>
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<td>• How can this innovation be used to maximise the outcomes of the High Level meetings?</td>
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Chair: Kate Antrobus
Executive Director, Lion’s Head Capital, London

Scientific advances
Professor Tim Peto
Professor of Medicine, Nuffield Department of Medicine, Oxford

Innovation in practice
Harry Hausler
Chief Executive Officer, TB/HIV Care Association, Cape Town

Technology, data and partnerships: lessons from ‘Visualize no Malaria’
Neal Myrick
Director of Social Impact, Tableau Foundation, Seattle

1900
Reception followed by dinner
hosted by Myles Wickstead, Acting Chief Executive, Wilton Park

Myles Wickstead in conversation with
Bharathi Ghanashyam
Founder and Editor, Journalists Against TB, Bangalore

Tuesday 20 June

0800-0845 Breakfast

0900-0915 Reflections

Professor Eric Goosby
United Nation’s Special Envoy on Tuberculosis; Director, Global Health Delivery and Diplomacy, Global Health Sciences, University of California, San Francisco

0915-1045 4. Inspiring the fight: lessons from other diseases
- What are the key components of successful action at the international level? What lessons can approaches to other diseases offer?
- What can be learned from successful advocacy campaigns against other deadly diseases?
- How to build global awareness and support to end TB?

Lessons from HIV/AIDS
Anne Aslett
Executive Director, Elton John AIDS Foundation, London

A regional approach to tackle malaria
Benjamin Rolfe
Chief Executive Officer, Asia Pacific Leaders Malaria Alliance (APLMA), Singapore

Essential Partnerships in HIV Prevention: Lessons from Avahan
Ashok Alexander
Founder, Director, The Antara Foundation, New Delhi

1045-1115 Tea/coffee

1115-1300 5. Lessons from previous High Level Meetings
- What can be learned from previous high level meetings on other global health issues including Antimicrobial Resistance?
- What are the key components of successful health diplomacy? What are the traps to avoid?
- How to leverage support and build consensus?
What should be expected?

Chair: Virendra Sharma MP
Co-Chair, All-Party Parliamentary Group on Global Tuberculosis; Member of Parliament, London

Lord (Jim) O'Neill
Former Chairman of the Independent Review of Antimicrobial Resistance; Member, House of Lords, London

Joanne Manrique
President, Center for Global Health and Diplomacy, Washington DC

Rodrigo Rodriguez
Chief Medical Officer, International SoS, London

1300-1430
Lunch
Walk in the garden

1430-1600
6. Maximising the TB High Level meetings to defeat TB: How?
Introduction in plenary followed by discussion in smaller groups of key next steps and priorities for specific TB constituencies or stakeholder groups.

Chairs for sessions 6, 7 and 8
Joanne Carter
Executive Director, RESULTS US, Washington DC

Erika Arthun
Senior Program Officer, The Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, Seattle

1600-1630
Tea/coffee

1630-1745
7. Maximising the TB High Level meetings: making partnerships work
Feedback from the group discussion in session 6, followed by 5 minute reflections from the panellists on how to make this happen.

- What are the necessary partnerships to maximise the TB high level meetings?
- What are the roles that different constituencies need to play?
- What needs to be done to co-ordinate the different constituencies?

Panel:
Yogan Pillay
Deputy Director General, National Department of Health, Pretoria

Speaker from USAID to be announced

Andriy Klepikov
Executive Director, Alliance for Public Health, Kiev

Mandeep Dhaliwal
Director, HIV, Health and Development Group, United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), New York

1745-1800
Tea/coffee

1800-1845
8. Next steps and commitments
Round-table discussion to confirm next steps and commitments.
(Including completion of the Wilton Park Evaluation survey where participants are asked to identify their own actions)
Concluding remarks
The Rt Hon Nick Herbert CBE MP
Co-chairman of the Global TB Caucus; Member of Parliament, London

1900 Reception followed by dinner

Wednesday 21 June

0800-0845 Breakfast and checkout

0900 Participants depart
Tour of Arundel Castle (optional)