

MCSP PRESENTATIONS AT WOMEN DELIVER

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SUNDAY, JUNE 2

FOURTH GLOBAL MIDWIFERY SYMPOSIUM: EMPOWERED MIDWIVES, TRANSFORMED COMMUNITIES

9:00am-5:00pm, Room 110, VCC

- This symposium brings together global and practicing midwifery leaders, stakeholders, policymakers, program managers and health care professionals. The midwife-led model of care, enabling environment and interprofessional collaboration necessary for achieving the health Sustainable Development Goal to end preventable maternal and newborn mortality by 2030 will be discussed.

THE ONGOING FIGHT TO FREE A BILLION WOMEN FROM THE BURDEN OF MALARIA

3:00pm-5:00pm, Room 212, VCC

- The Medicines for Malaria Venture is hosting a series of dialogues for its 20th anniversary about impact in supporting women in malaria-affected countries, presenting current challenges and opportunities for innovation in research and development of women-friendly antimalarials and further engaging women-centered organizations to accelerate progress.



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MONDAY, JUNE 3

WOMEN AT THE CENTER OF CARE FOR MATERNAL HEALTH

8:00am-3:30pm, Fairmont Hotel, 900 West Georgia Street,
Vancouver Island Room (Invitation only)

- This side event co-organized by WHO, UCSF and UCLA will convene stakeholders and experts from a range of backgrounds to share updates and discuss priorities for research, interventions, advocacy and implementation to advance Person-Centered Care for maternal health.

MATERNAL AND PERINATAL DEATH SURVEILLANCE AND RESPONSE: EVERY DEATH TELLS A STORY

12:00pm-2:00pm, Fairmont Waterfront Hotel, 900 Canada
Place, Nootka Room

- Maternal and perinatal death surveillance and response is a continuous cycle of identifying, notifying and reviewing maternal and perinatal deaths to determine avoidable causes and implement actions to prevent future deaths. This panel will address challenges, lessons learned and opportunities for strengthening MPDSR implementation in countries with high maternal and perinatal mortality.

WHAT WORKS: USING EVIDENCE FROM THE WORLD'S LARGEST FAMILY PLANNING PROGRAMS TO REACH GLOBAL GOALS

1:00pm-3:00pm, Room 118, VCC

- Join experts from some of the last decade's largest and most impactful family planning programs to discover what works. We will dig into four areas that have increased contraceptive prevalence, prevented maternal deaths and accelerated progress toward achieving FP2020 targets, universal health coverage and the sustainable development goals.



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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5

HOW WOMEN DELIVER HEALTH TO COMMUNITIES: ELEVATING VOICES OF WOMEN AT THE FRONTLINES OF COMMUNITY HEALTH

7:00am - 8:00am, Fairmont Waterfront Hotel, 900 Canada

Place, Princess Louisa Room

- This session will highlight the voices of female frontline health workers engaged in immunization, polio eradication and RMNCH efforts globally to explore the influence of gender on health, social and economic outcomes in the community.

CHANGE IS POSSIBLE: NEXT STEPS TO BETTERBIRTH GLOBALLY

7:00am-8:00am, Pan Pacific Hotel Vancouver, 300-999

Canada Place

- Join us as we share the findings, learnings and recommendations from the BetterBirth Study - one of the world's largest maternal health studies. A panel discussion will follow with global maternal health leaders innovating to improve quality of care and maternal and neonatal outcomes.

HEALTHY MOM, BETTER WORLD: FIGHTING HIV, TB AND MALARIA TO IMPROVE MATERNAL HEALTH

10:30am- 12:00pm, Room 221-222, VCC

- HIV, TB and Malaria adversely affect entire populations, however they have particularly serious consequences for pregnant women. Learn about the global burden of these infectious diseases in pregnancy and the opportunity we have to integrate via the novel Group Antenatal Care model.

RETHINKING WOMEN'S HEALTH: GENDER-BASED INNOVATIVE SCIENCE FOR INTEGRATED HEALTH SYSTEMS

12:00pm-1:30pm, Room 213, VCC

- Join us for an engaging session where we will reappraise the global community's approach to addressing women's health through a gendered lens. We will discuss critical women's health issues, such as cervical cancer, pre-eclampsia, quality of care and service delivery.

LET'S GET WHAT WE WANT: CONTRACEPTIVE INNOVATION, ACCESS, QUALITY AND CHOICE

1:30pm-2:30pm, Room 301-305, VCC

- An estimated 214 million women in developing countries have an unmet need for modern contraception. Women want access, quality and choice within global family planning programs. Join in the introduction of a new interactive dashboard that can help countries see the potential impact of expanding their method mix.



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THURSDAY, JUNE 6

RESPECTFUL, PEOPLE-CENTERED CARE: GETTING BEYOND ASPIRATIONAL

1:30pm-2:30pm, Room 116-117, VCC

- Join this interactive, cross-sector session to design solutions for quality and respectful healthcare where patients and families are at the center of health decisions. Participants will explore examples of how to challenge power dynamics and engage citizens, media and policymakers to protect and advance the health and rights of women, newborns and families.

WHAT DO MEN HAVE TO DO WITH IT? THE MERITS OF MALE ENGAGEMENT

5:00pm-7:00pm, Room 212, VCC

- This side event will explore how engaging men and boys can improve family planning outcomes through lessons learned that address meaningful engagement of men and boys.



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