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2023 SCIENTIFIC SYMPOSIUM PROGRAM

23-24 November 2023

Venue: The Quorum, Lusaka

Theme: Adapting Paediatric Healthcare to a Changing Environment

SUB-THEMES:

1. Child Rights
2. Childhood Immunisations
3. Infectious Diseases including Childhood TB and Antimicrobial Resistance
4. Mental Health
5. Newborn survival
6. Non communicable diseases
7. Transition of care: paediatrics to adult care



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Day 1

TIME	TITLE	FACILITATOR
08:00-08:30	Arrival and Registration of delegates	Secretariat and Conference Organizers
08:30-09:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Welcoming Remarks ● Housekeeping ● Handover to the Scientific Committee Secretary ● Conference overview ● Conference Objectives ● What else to look out for during the conference 	ZPA, Secretary General Research and Publications Secretary
Director of program: Dr. Kevin Zimba		
1st PLENARY SESSION CHILDHOOD IMMUNISATIONS		Session Chairpersons: Professor Evans Mpabalwani & Dr. Bwendo Nduna
09:00-09:10	Safety and reactogenicity of combined oral and parenteral rotavirus vaccination in Zambian children. Dr. Masuzyo Chirwa-Chobe	
09:15- 09:25	Understanding facilitators and barriers to optimizing HPV vaccination among adolescents living with HIV: Insights from the REACH Study, Ndola district, Zambia Dr. Sam Miti	
09:30- 09:40	Safety, tolerability, and immunogenicity of an oral inactivated ETEC Vaccine (ETVAX[®]) with dmLT adjuvant in healthy adults and children in Zambia: An age descending Randomised, Placebo-controlled trial. Dr. Nsofwa Sukwa	
09:45-10:05	Childhood Immunisation USAID ZAM-Health Project, JSH Ms. Salome Chitundu	
10:10-10:15	Cipla Pharmaceuticals Marketing Presentation	
10:15-10:30	Q&A	
10:30-10:45	Networking Break	
2nd PLENARY SESSION NON-COMMUNICABLE DISEASES		Session Chairpersons: Dr. Mwangelwa Mubiana & Dr. Paul Mashanga





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10:50-11:00	Burden and risk factors of contrast - associated acute kidney injury in hospitalised Zambian Children: A prospective cohort study at the University Teaching Hospitals Dr. Hellen M'hango	
11:05-11:15	Yash Life Sciences Ltd presentation Marketing Presentation	
11:20-11:30	Aetiology, predictors of dialysis need and outcomes of acute kidney injury among children undergoing dialysis in Lusaka, Zambia: A retrospective study. Dr. Chisambo Mwaba	
11:35-11:50	Current state of service and training in General Paediatric Surgery in Zambia Dr. Amon Ngongola	
11:55-12:05	Sickle cell Disease activities in Zambia Dr. Catherine Chunda	
12:10-12:20	Pharmanova Presentation Marketing presentation	
12:25-12:35	Curative treatment options for hemoglobinopathies Narender Kumar Thota, KIMS Hospital (India)	
12:40-12:45	Zambia Home loans Marketing Presentation	
12:45-13:00	Q&A	
13:00-13:45	Lunch	
OFFICIAL OPENING CEREMONY OF THE ZPA SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE		
14:00-14:10	National Anthem Opening Prayer- Dr.Nancy Mbasela Welcoming of the ZPA President-Secretary General	Session Chairperson ZPA Secretary General
14:10-14:15	Welcoming remarks/Speech ZPA President	
14:15-14:20	Bigtree Brands Remarks Ms. Bridget Kambobe	
14:20-14:25	USAID ZAM-Health Project, JSH Remarks Dr. Mwate Joseph Chaila, DCOP - Health Services	
14:25-14:35	ZPA president calls Country Representative-UNICEF UNICEF Country Representative Ms. Penelope Campbell	
14:35-14:55	ZPA president calls Guest of Honour Address by the Guest of Honour, Permanent Secretary Ministry of Health-Technical Services Dr. Kennedy Lishimpi	





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14:55-15:15	Prize Giving Ceremony ZPA Vice President-Dr. Nfwama Kawatu	
15:15-15:30	Launch of ZPA 2024-2028 Strategic Plan and Photo Session ZPA Communications and Publicity Secretary-Dr. Christina Zulu,	
15:30-15:55	Tour of the exhibition stands. ZPA Business Development and Resource Mobilisation Secretary- Dr. Manoj Mathew	
15:55-16:10	Networking Break	
Director of program: Dr. Uzima Chirwa		
	3rd PLENARY SESSION Neonatal Survival	Session Chairpersons: Prof John Musuku & Dr. Sylvia Machona
16:10-16:20	“Making Every Baby Count”: Perinatal Mortality Trends and Risk Factors In Jamaica Ms. Penelope Campbell	
16:25-16:35	Perinatal Death Surveillance and Response (PDSR) verses Maternal and Perinatal Death Surveillance and Response (MPDSR) -the Zambian Scenario Dr. Muleya Inambao	
16:40-16:50	Neonatal Survival in Zambia-perspective Dr. Mutesu Kunda Kapembwa	
16:55-17:00	Shalina Pharmaceuticals presentation Marketing Presentation	
17:00-17:15	Q&A	
17:15	Close of Day 1	





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08:00-08:15	Arrival and Registration of delegates	Secretariat and Conference Organizers
Director of programs: Dr. Agnes Mtaja		
4th PLENARY SESSION INFECTIOUS DISEASES INCLUDING CHILDHOOD TB & ANTIMICROBIAL RESISTANCE		Session Chairpersons: Dr. Veronica Mulenga & Dr. Natasha Ngwenya
08:15-08:25	New Insights into the Prevalence of Acute Kidney Injury in Paediatric CNS Malaria: Save the brain but lose the kidney? Dr. Derby Tembo	
08:30-08:40	Use of stool swabs in molecular transport media increases access to Xpert Ultra testing for TB in children Dr. Mirriam Chibolela	
08:45-08:55	Development of screening and treatment decision scores and algorithms for tuberculosis diagnosis in children below 5 years hospitalised with severe acute malnutrition: a diagnostic cohort study. Dr. Chishala Chabala	
09:00-09:15	Childhood TB Presentation USAID ZAM-Health Project, JSH Ms. Justina Phiri	
09:20-09:40	Bigtree Brands Presentation Ms. Bridget Kamboke	
09:45-09:55	Antibiotic Prescribing Patterns using the WHO Prescribing Indicators at a Mission Hospital in Zambia Dr. Mudenda Steward	
10:00-10:15	Q&A	
5th PLENARY SESSION TRANSITION OF CARE: PAEDIATRICS TO ADULT CARE		Session Chairpersons: Dr. Vinod Pandey & Dr. Nanthalile Mugala
10:15-10:25	Transition not Transfer: A Holistic Model Optimizing Paediatric to Adult care. Dr. Natasha Namuziyya	
10:30-10:40	"Ready or not? A Clinical Audit of Paediatric Patient Readiness for Adult Care Using TRAQ at University Teaching Hospitals – Children's Hospital, Lusaka, Zambia" Dr. Tedson Mwanza	
10:45-10:55	Prudential Insurance Marketing Presentation	
10:55-11:05	Q&A	
11:10-11:25	Networking Break	
Director of Programs: Dr. Jonathan Ncheengamwa		





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6 th PLENARY CHILD RIGHTS and MENTAL HEALTH		Session Chairpersons: Dr. Emilia Jumbe Marsden & Dr. Mwiya Mwiya
11:30-11:45	Childcare Reform in Zambia Ms. Mbiliya Luhanga	
11:50-12:10	Overview of Children's code act 2022 Counsel Elizabeth Chanda	
12:15-12:30	Mental Health in children Dr. Thandiwe Tembo	
12:30-12:45	Updates presentation on the ZP32 form Dr. Jonathan Kaunda Mwansa	
12:50-13:05	Q&A	
13:10-13:55	Lunch	
Director of Programs: Dr. Chimika Phiri		
NON-COMMUNICABLE DISEASES		Session Chairpersons: Dr. Kapoma & Dr. Suzanna Mwanza
14:00-14:10	Unusual presentation of Airway foreign bodies with overview of aerodigestive foreign bodies in children in Zambia. Dr. Azad Patel	
14:15-14:30	Title: HOPE-SAM to Co-SAM Dr. Beatrice Amadi	
14:35-14:45	The effect of malnutrition on circulating pre- and post-prandial gastrointestinal hormones. Ellen Besa	
14:50-15:00	Genetic variation in Environmental Enteropathy and stunting in Zambian children: A pilot genome wide association study using the H3Africa chip. Monica Mweetwa	
15:00-15:15	Investment in Bank of Zambia Central Securities BoZ Representative	
15:20-15:30	Q&A	
Close of Scientific Session- Dr. Khozya Zyambo		
ZPA-AGM Session		Session Chairpersons: ZPA Secretary General, Dr. Donald Mumba & Prof. Evans Mpabalwani
15:35-16:30	ZPA AGM First session	
16:30-16:45	Networking Break	
16:45-17:30	ZPA AGM Second Session	
17:30	Close of Day 2	

