



Global Alliance to Eliminate Lymphatic Filariasis (GAELF) 10th Meeting

13-15 June 2018 | Le Meridien Hotel, New Delhi, India

**THEME: Celebrating progress towards elimination:
"Voices from the field on overcoming programme challenges"**

DAY 1: WEDNESDAY, 13 th JUNE		
0700-0745	REGISTRATION	
0800-0930	OPENING SESSION	Master of Ceremonies Ms Kaveri Mukherjee
0805-0810	Welcome address	Dr PK Sen Director, National Vector Borne Diseases Control Programme, Government of India
0810-0812	Inauguration	Shri Jagat Prakash Nadda Hon Union Minister, Health & Family Welfare, Government of India
0812-0815	Lighting of the Lamp	
0815-0820	Address	Dr Promila Gupta Director General Health Services, Government of India
0820-0825	Address	Dr Soumya Swaminathan WHO Deputy Director General for Programmes
0825-0830	Address	Dr Poonam Khetrpal Singh Regional Director, WHO SEARO
0830-0835	Address	Ms Preeti Sudan Secretary, Department of Health, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Government of India
0835-0840	Address	Prof Balram Bhargava Secretary, Department of Health Research & DG-ICMR
0840-0845	Address	Professor Charles Mackenzie Chair, Steering Group, Global Alliance to Eliminate Lymphatic Filariasis
0845-0905	Recognition of successful countries: GAELF Awards	Shri Jagat Prakash Nadda Hon Union Minister, Health & Family Welfare, Government of India with GAELF Chair, Professor Charles Mackenzie
0905-0925	Inaugural address	Shri Jagat Prakash Nadda Hon Union Minister, Health & Family Welfare, Government of India
0925-0930	Vote of thanks	Dr Vikas Sheel Joint secretary, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Government of India
	GROUP PHOTOGRAPH	
1000-1030	COFFEE	

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1030-1220	GLOBAL REPORTS	Moderator: Professor Charles Mackenzie
1030-1040	Introduction and memorials	Professor Charles Mackenzie
1040-1105	Progress of GPELF	Dr Jonathan King
1105-1125	Pharmaceutical Partners' report	Dr Mark Bradley (GSK) Dr Yao Sodahlon (MDP) Dr Fabian Gusovsky (EISAI) Ms Sachiko Kuno (JICA)
1125-1140	Donors' report	Dr Emily Wainwright (statement)
1140-1155	LF NGDO Network report	Dr Louise Kelly-Hope
1155-1215	Research for LF Elimination	Dr Eric Ottesen
1215-1330	LUNCH	
1330-1530	ALTERNATIVE REGIMENS AND SUSTAINING EFFECTIVE MDA COVERAGE	Moderator: Dr Alison Krentel
1330-1530	India's accelerated plan for the elimination of lymphatic filariasis	Dr Nupur Roy Additional Director, National Vector Borne Diseases Control Programme, Government of India
1350-1410	Overcoming challenges in Guyana	Dr Horace Cox
1410-1430	Safety and efficacy of IDA	Dr Gary Weil
1430-1450	Introduction of IDA in Kenya	Dr Sultani Hadley
1450-1510	Lessons learned from qualitative studies	Dr Alison Krentel
1510-1530	Discussion	
1530-1600	COFFEE	
1600-1700	Small Group Session I: MDA	Coordinator: Maggie Baker & colleagues
1900-2100	RECEPTION & DINNER	

DAY 2: THURSDAY, 14 th JUNE		
0830-1000	REGIONAL REPORTS	Moderator: Dr Ricardo Thompson
0830-0845	SEARO	Dr Jamsheed Mohamed
0845-0900	PAHO	Dr Jonathan King
0900-0915	EMRO	Professor Reda Ramzy
0915-0930	AFRO	Dr Ricardo Thompson
0930-0945	WPRO	Dr Aya Yajima
0945-1000	Discussion	
1000-1030	COFFEE	
1030-1230	LF MORBIDITY MANAGEMENT	Moderator: Dr Suma Krishnasastry
1030-1050	Expanding MMDP through the primary care system: the Kerala story	Professor Suma Krishnasastry
1050-1110	Impact of LF programme on LF morbidity in Tanzania	Professor Charles Mackenzie
1110-1130	Estimating the burden of LF patients	Mrs Thi Lam Binh
1130-1150	Addressing psychosocial needs for LF morbidity management	Dr Martha Desir
1150-1210	Global surgery initiatives and improving availability of hydrocele	Dr Sunny Mante
1210-1230	Discussion	
1230-1330	LUNCH	
1330-1500	MONITORING AND EVALUATION	Moderator: Professor Reda Ramzy
1330-1350	Lessons learned from successful and unsuccessful pr-TAS/TAS	Dr Bibek Lal
1350-1410	Supervisors coverage tool	Dr Mossie Tamiru
1410-1430	Preparation of the Validation dossier	Dr Jahirul Karim
1430-1450	Enhancing post-MDA surveillance to verify elimination?	Dr Patrick Lammie
1450-1500	Discussion	
1500-1530	COFFEE	
1530-1700	Small Group Session II: MMDP/M&E	Coordinators: Zeina Sifri/Aya Yajima & colleagues
DAY 3: FRIDAY, 15 th JUNE		
0900-1030	FEEDBACK FROM GROUPS	Moderator: Dr Molly Brady
0900-1030	Summary of Small Group Sessions 1. MMDP; 2. MDA; 3. M&E	Rapporteurs: Maggie Baker (MDA), Sarah Martindale, Zeina Sifri (MMDP), Aya Yajima (M&E)
1030-1100	COFFEE	
1100-1200	LONG TERM GOALS	Moderator: Professor Charles Mackenzie
1100-1120	Universal Health Coverage and Sustainable Development Goals	Dr Swarup Sakar
1120-1140	Proposed GPELF milestones and priorities post-2020	Dr Jonathan King
1140-1200	Discussion	
1200-1300	LUNCH	
1300-1430	ADVOCACY AND THE END GAME	Moderator: Dr P K Sen
1330-1400	Panel: Advocacy for "end game" investments and transition to domestic support	Panel: Dr Julie Jacobson, Dr Swarup Sakar, Dr Leda Hernandez, Dr Adrian Hopkins
1400-1430	Identifying the actions needed	Dr Nilantha da Silva
1430-1500	CLOSING OF THE MEETING	Moderator: Professor Charles Mackenzie
1430-1450	Summary and acknowledgements	Professor Charles Mackenzie
1450-1500	Official Closing	India MoHFW, WHO, GAELF
1500-1530	COFFEE	