

## Agenda for Symposium on NCDs in humanitarian settings

**Organisers:** Médecins Sans Frontières (MSF) and the Centre for Global NCDs and ECOHOST – the Centre for Health and Social Change at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine (LSHTM)

**Date/time:** Friday, 2 September, 2016. 09:00 to 19:00 GMT

**Location:** John Snow Lecture Theatre, LSHTM, Keppel Street, London WC1E 7HT, UK

**Registration:** free but places are limited. To register please go to:

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<b>Registration (08:30-09:00)</b>
<b>Opening remarks (09.00-09.15): Professor John Edmunds (LSHTM)</b>
<b>Session One (09.15 to 10.45): Setting the scene – The magnitude of the NCD problem and operational challenges faced</b> <b>Chairs: Bayard Roberts (LSHTM) and Annick Antierens (MSF)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Evidence on burden of disease of NCDs among crisis-affected populations (James Smith, MSF)</li><li>Experience from refugee settings - burden of disease and programmatic challenges (Kweku Ackom, International Medical Corps)</li><li>Experience from conflict settings - burden of disease and programmatic challenges (Philippa Boule, MSF)</li></ul> Q&A/discussion
<b>Tea/Coffee (10.45 to 11.15)</b>
<b>Session Two (11.15 to 13.00): Addressing the challenges of NCD programming: Where are we now?</b> <b>Chairs: Martin McKee (LSHTM) and Philippa Boule (MSF)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Systematic review on effectiveness of NCD interventions &amp; integration of HIV / NCDs, and review of gaps in existing guidelines on NCD (Bayard Roberts &amp; Pablo Perel, LSHTM)</li><li>Lessons learnt from HIV programs for NCDs and integration of HIV and NCD programmes in humanitarian and resource poor settings (Helen Bygrave, MSF)</li><li>Lessons learnt from delivering NCD care in MSF settings (Kiran Jobanputra, MSF)</li><li>Lessons learnt from IRCs NCD programmes (Lilian Kiapi, International Rescue Committee)</li></ul> Q&A/discussion
<b>Lunch (13.00 to 14.00)</b>
<b>Session Three (14.00 to 16.00): Surveillance, monitoring and evaluation of NCD programmes in humanitarian settings</b> <b>Chairs: Francesco Checchi and David Leon (LSHTM)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Initial assessment methods to estimate burden of NCDs in humanitarian settings (David Beran, University of Geneva)</li><li>Ongoing surveillance using technological innovation (Victor Illanes/Ghassan Aziz, MSF)</li><li>The power of NCD cohort monitoring - UNRWA experience (Ali Khader, UNRWA)</li><li>UNHCR monitoring information system (Ann Burton, UNHCR)</li><li>Innovative methods in assessment / surveys for challenging settings (David Prieto, LSHTM/UCL)</li></ul> Q&A/discussion
<b>Tea/Coffee (16.00 to 16.30)</b>
<b>Session Four (16.30 to 18.00): Discussion on next steps</b> <b>Chairs: Pablo Perel (LSHTM) and Helen Bygrave (MSF)</b>  <b>Panel:</b> Slim Slama (WHO), Jay Bagaria (DFID), Sigiriya Aebischer Perone (ICRC), Ann Burton (UNHCR), Tammam Aloudat (MSF), Karl Blanchet (LSHTM), Katie Dain (NCD Alliance).
<b>Concluding remarks: Kiran Jobanputra (MSF)</b>
<b>Drinks (18:00 to 19:00)</b>