

ARC EAST SUMMATIVE CONGRESS

July 6-8, 2017

Taj Pamodzi Hotel

Lusaka, Zambia

Strengthening the quality of nursing and midwifery HIV care for women and children across Africa.

Meeting Objectives:

- Provide a regional learning forum to build expertise to sustainably strengthen health system support structures for quality nursing practice in HIV care.
- Convene country teams to share the results of their quality improvement projects and strengthen leadership capacity in leveraging and scaling up projects.
- Foster collaboration, promote networking, and disseminate tools between nursing and midwifery leaders within each country and across the region.
- Provide a forum for nursing and midwifery leaders to engage meaningfully with technical advisors in health policy and clinical practice to improve the performance of HIV service delivery.

Day I, July 6, 2017

08:30–09:00 Greetings from ARC Partners

Moderator: Kenneth Hepburn, Principal Investigator ARC, Emory University

- Agnes Waudu, Director, ARC Secretariat
- Jill Iliffe, Executive Secretary, Commonwealth Nurses and Midwives Federation
- Dr. Walter Odoch, Manager, Health Systems and Capacity Development Program, East, Central & Southern Africa Health Community (ECSA-HC)
- Jessica Gross, Senior Nurse Advisor, CDC-Atlanta

09:00-09:20 Opening Remarks

Moderator: Emily Chipaya, Deputy Director of Nursing, Zambia Ministry of Health

- Dr. Mzaza Nthele, Director of Clinical Care and Diagnostic Services, Ministry of Health, Zambia
- Dr. Nzali Kancheya, Associate Director of Programs, Division of Global HIV and TB, CDC-Zambia

09:20-09:30 Introduction of Special Guests and Technical Advisors

Moderator: Muadi Mukenge, ARC Project Director, Emory University

09:30-09:45 ARC Faculty and Participant Introductions

Moderator: Alphonse Kalula, Senior Program Officer, ECSACON

09:45-10:15 REFRESHMENT BREAK

10:15-10:45 ARC and LARC – Programmatic Updates

- Kenneth Hepburn, Emory University

- 10:45-12:00 **Regional Policy Brief: Nursing and HIV in Sub-Saharan Africa**
Moderator: Agnes Waudu – ARC Secretariat
- ECSA Ministerial Meeting Highlights: Dr. Walter Odoch, (ECSA-HC)
 - WHO Voluntary Medical Male Circumcision 2021 Framework: Julia Samuelson, Nurse Epidemiologist, World Health Organization-Geneva
 - Dr. Victor Mukonka, Director, Zambia National Public Health Institute

12:00-12:20 **Group Photo**

12:20-13:20 **LUNCH**

- 13:20-14:05 **Quality Improvement Strategy in Zambia**
Moderator: Jessica Gross, CDC-Atlanta
- Rachel Lungwebungu, Quality Improvement Officer, Zambia Ministry of Health

- 14:05-15:35 **Panel I: Final Project Reports by Topic**
Moderator: Muadi Mukenge, Emory University
Discussant: Kenneth Hepburn, Emory University

Theme: Respectful Care
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mozambique
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ethiopia

15:35-16:00 **TEA BREAK**

- 16:00-18:00 **Panel II: Final Project Reports**
Moderator: Muadi Mukenge, Emory University
Discussant: Jill Iliffe, CNMF

Theme: Improving Retention
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Swaziland
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Malawi
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Zambia

- 18:00-18:15 **Evaluation**
Moderator: Nancy Ruto, ARC Secretariat

Day II, July 7, 2017

08:30–10:30 **Panel III: Final Project Reports**
 Moderator: Glory Msibi, Registrar, Swaziland Nursing Council
 Discussant: Jessica Gross, CDC-Atlanta

Theme: Clinical Mentorship
• Lesotho
• Uganda
• Rwanda

10:30-11:00 **REFRESHMENT BREAK**

11:00-11:15 **HIV Communications**
 Moderator : Muadi Mukenge, Emory University
 Global Dialogues: <https://www.youtube.com/globaldialogues> (Overview)
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ED0MTIqRJz4> (Call-in Radio program)

11:15-13:00 **Panel IV: Final Project Reports**
 Moderator: Agnes Waudu, ARC Secretariat
 Discussant: Muadi Mukenge, Emory University

Theme: Quality Assurance and Task Sharing
• Kenya
• Zimbabwe
• Tanzania

13:00-13:45 **LUNCH**

13:45-14:00 **PEPFAR Priority Directions**
 Moderator: Alicia Hunter Warner, Acting Team Lead, Health Systems and Human Resource Team, CDC-Atlanta

14:00-15:00 **Pillar Meetings (Nurse/Midwives Associations or Unions, CNOs, Educators, Registrars)**
 Moderator: Thokozire Lipato, Malawi Nursing Council

15:00-15:15 **Evaluation**
 Moderator: Nancy Ruto, ARC Secretariat

15:15-17:30 **SITE VISITS (Matero Hospital, Nursing Council, Nurses Union, School of Nursing)**
 Facilitated by the Zambia Quad

Day III, July 8, 2017

- 08:30–09:15 **Updates from Botswana, Namibia, South Africa and South Sudan**
Moderator: Alphonse Kalula, ECSACON
- 09:15-10:45 **Facility Assessment Discussion**
Moderator: Ken Hepburn, Emory University
30 minute plenary with Becky MacKay, MPH Candidate, Emory University
Country breakouts with faculty
- 10:45-11:15 **REFRESHMENT BREAK**
- 11:15-11:45 **Discussion on Capacity Growth During ARC**
Moderator: Jessica Gross, CDC-Atlanta
- 11:45-12:15 **PEPFAR Priority Directions – Q&A**
Moderator: Agnes Waudo, Director, ARC Secretariat
Speaker: Alicia Hunter Warner, CDC-Atlanta
- 12:15-13:15 **LUNCH**
- 13:15-15:00 **Sustainability of ARC QI Projects:
Discussion and Stakeholder Opportunities**
Moderators: Jill Iliffe and Agnes Waudo
- 15:00-15:15 **Evaluation**
Moderator: Nancy Ruto, ARC Secretariat
- 15:15-15:45 **Closing Remarks and Presentation of Certificates**
Moderator: Ken Hepburn, Emory University
Presenter: Jill Iliffe, CNMF
- 15:45-16:15 **Zambian Cultural Entertainment**
- 15:45-16:30 **TEA & Country Networking**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION!