**RBM MIP Teleconference Meeting Minutes**

**April 1, 2015**

Participants:

1. Mary Nell Wegner, MTF
2. Emily Ricotta, JHU CCP
3. Azucena BardajÃ, ISGlobal
4. Corey Fordman, Vectorworks
5. Kate Wolf, JSI
6. Jane Coleman, Jhpiego/MCSP
7. Lisa Nichols, Abt Associates
8. Peter Ouma, CDC/KEMRI
9. Julie Gutman, CDC
10. Wanjiku Manguyu, PATH
11. Elaine Roman, Jhpiego/MCSP, RBM MIP co-chair
12. Silvia Ferazzi, RBM
13. Konstantina Boutsika, RBM
14. Jenny Hill, LSTMED
15. Erin Ferenchik, Columbia University
16. Fred Hartman, MSH
17. Koki Agarwal, Jhpiego/MCSP

**Agenda Item: Annual Meeting**

* **The dates are fixed for July 8-10, 2015**
1. Day One/ Morning: Review the current landscape of reproductive, maternal, newborn and child (RMNCH) health strategies in the post-2015 development agenda, and identify opportunities to collaborate and leverage support to advance MIP programming.
	* RBM WG co-chair meeting next week to discuss the architecture retreat and GMAP2 (GMAP2 has been renamed to Action & Investment to defeat Malaria (AIM) 2016 - 2030 : For a Malaria-Free World
	* Day One/ Afternoon- Need to think through how this will be organized.
2. Day Two: Present and discuss better practices in advancing MIP programming and improving coverage for both the prevention and treatment of malaria in pregnancy.
* Overall themes: Community engagement, advocacy, private sector involvement, monitoring and evaluation
* Items for partner sessions:
	+ An overview presentation outlining the scope of studies to be presented at ERG the following week: Alternative strategies to IPTp (IST and IPTp-DP) & Safety
	+ Updates on community distribution of IPTp: PATH updates and Jhpiego update from Burkina Faso
	+ RDT retail establishment in pharmacy & private sector involvement (Mary Nell)
	+ MIP Advocacy Strategy updates (Vectorworks)
	+ Supply Chain at community level (Kate Wolf)
	+ SHOPS could potential have final findings (Lisa will check and inform the group)
* Country participation will be hard this year with no RBM WG funding support. If partners are able to support country representation, please contact Elaine and Viviana.
* The annual meeting agenda will be updated further based on input and further consultation with WG members and other stakeholders and then shared with WG members when available.
1. Day Three: Review and discuss key updates in malaria in pregnancy research including operational research, and outline what actions needs to be taken to accelerate MIP programming and achieve global targets.
	1. The Malaria in Pregnancy research partners will make recommendations for relevant research to include and present on agenda.
* **Action Item:** The annual meeting agenda will be updated further based on input and further consultation with WG members and other stakeholders and then shared with WG members when available. All WG members are encouraged to share further inputs throughout the process.

**Agenda Item: Call to Action**

* Call to Action has been launched on RBM website: <http://www.rollbackmalaria.org/architecture/mip/call-to-action>.
* The Call to Action will initially be hosted/presented on the following websites:
	+ RBM Malaria in Pregnancy Working group page: [www.rollbackmalaria.org/architecture/working-groups/mip<http://www.rollbackmalaria.org/architecture/working-groups/mip](http://www.rollbackmalaria.org/architecture/working-groups/mip%3Chttp%3A/www.rollbackmalaria.org/architecture/working-groups/mip)>
	+ World Malaria Day website: <http://www.worldmalariaday.org/resources/>
	+ The MAWG has developed a "social media" pack that includes key messaging, photos and tweets, which should be finalized soon. It will be disseminated through the MAWG listserv.
	+ The Call to Action will also be part of RBM e-alert in the lead-up to World Malaria Day; and
	+ UNICEF is planning to hold a technical panel discussion on April 17 in support of World Malaria Day, where the IPTp Call to Action will be highlighted.
	+ An advert promoting the Call to Action will be included in the Financial Times.

**Action Item**: If your organization is interested in holding a Call to Action event/website press or hosting the Call to Action on your organization's website, please let us know with copy to Jane Coleman (Jane.Coleman@jhpiego.or<mailto:Jane.Coleman@jhpiego.org>g) and Stephanie Dellicour (Stephanie.Dellicour@lstmed.ac.uk<mailto:Stephanie.Dellicour@lstmed.ac.uk>).

**Agenda Item: World Malaria Day**

* Partners are planning different WMD events: website posts and blogs (MSH, Jhpiego, Abt)
* JHU is holding a MIP event April 24th, <http://www.malaria.jhsph.edu/>

**Action Item**: If you have more WMD information to share, please send it to Elaine and Viviana and they will disseminate among the group.

**Agenda Item: Work Plan/ Partner Updates**

* Did not have time on the call for workplan updates, will discuss during next teleconference meeting

**Agenda Item: Consensus Statements**

* Both statements are final and will be disseminated to the group next week
* A larger dissemination plan will be discussed over the next few weeks