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# RBM Partnership Leadership Announcement

Partner Briefing 6 June 2023

## **Agenda**

- New Era of Leadership
- Introducing the Incoming CEO and Board
- Honouring Outgoing Leadership
- Looking Ahead
- Q&A

## **New Era of Leadership for the RBM Partnership**

Together, we have helped save over 11 million lives and prevent 2 billion cases of malaria.

The RBM Partnership has continuously adapted over its 20+ year history to bring the world closer to ending malaria.

Today, we're celebrating past accomplishments and looking ahead to a new era of leadership and action for the partnership to achieve a malaria-free world.



## **Incoming CEO: Dr Michael Adekunle Charles**



## Governance restructuring has been a consultative process over the past year



#### **RBM Partnership Board Composition**

Af	Affected Countries		Civil Society/ Affected communiti es	Funders	Private Sector	Science & Innovation	WHO	Unaffiliates	Board Leadership	Host
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Africa (6)	Asia (2)	LAC (1)								

- Up to 23 voting members and one non-voting ex- officio member (UNOPS)
- 2 members are 'unaffiliated' + possibly the Chair
- · Each Board Member will have an Alternate
- Constituencies select their representatives per criteria provided in Bye-Laws
- · Subject to process of each constituency, government or organization two-year terms, renewable once
- · At least half of voting members from malaria affected countries

#### Role and accountabilities

- Governing body of the Partnership
- Largely representative model accountable to the global community and especially to people living in communities affected by malaria
- Provides oversight, support and strategic direction to the Secretariat and the Partner Committees and these mechanisms report to the Partnership Board

## **Introducing the New RBM Partnership Board**



**Board Chair** Joy Phumaphi African Leaders Malaria Alliance



**Board Vice Chair** Marijke Wijnroks The Global Fund



Melchior Athanase J.C. Aissi (WAHO)



**Keith Carter** West African Health Organization Pan-American Health Organization Singer & Public Figure (PAHO)



Yvonne Chaka Chaka



Sherwin Charles Goodbye Malaria



Lola Dare Chestrad Global



Sarthak Das Asia Pacific Leaders Malaria Alliance (APLMA)



Caroline Desrousseaux Vestergaard Frandsen



Yacine Djibo Speak Up Africa



Irene Isaka East African Community (EAC)



**Helen Jamet** Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation



Andrew Kirkwood **UNOPS** 



Nassar Al Mubarak Reaching the Last Mile



**Daniel Ngamije** WHO



Kapinga-Yvette Ngandu Economic Community of Central African States (ECCAS)



Angele Makombo N'Tumba Southern African Development Community (SADC)



Isabella Oyier KEMRI-Wellcome Trust Research Programme (KWTRP)



Julio Rakotonirina **AU Commission** 



**Culwick Togamana** Government of Solomon Islands



**David Walton** US President's Malaria Initiative



Joseph Wato Pentecostal Advocates for Socio-Economic Development (PENASED)

## **Incoming Board Leadership**

**Board Chair** 



Joy Phumaphi

**Board Vice Chair** 



**Marijke Wijnroks** 

**Finance Committee Chair** 



**Sherwin Charles** 

#### Representatives of malaria-affected countries in the Africa, Asia and Pacific, Americas



Julio Rakotonirina Director. Directorate of Health and **Humanitarian Affairs** African Union Commission



Irene Isaka **Director Social Sectors** East African Community (EAC)



Kapinga-Yvette Ngandu Commissioner for Gender Promotion, **Human and Social Development Economic Community of Central African** States (ECCAS)



Angele Makombo N'Tumba Deputy Executive Secretary for Regional Integration Southern African Development Community (SADC)



Melchior Athanase J.C. Aissi **Director General** West African Health Organization (WAHO)



Sarthak Das Chief Executive Officer Asia Pacific Leaders Malaria Alliance (APLMA)



**Culwick Togamana** Health Minister Government of Solomon Islands



**Keith Carter** Malaria Technical Advisory Group Pan American Health Organization (PAHO)

#### **Representatives of Civil Society**



Lola Dare
President
Chestrad Global



Joseph Wato
Executive Director
Pentecostal Advocates for
Socio-Economic Development
(PENASED)

## Representatives of Key Funders in the Fight Against Malaria



Nassar Al Mubarak Senior Director Reaching the Last Mile



Marijke Wijnroks

Head of Strategic Investment and Impact Division
Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and
Malaria



Helen Jamet
Deputy Director of Vector Control
Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation



David Walton
U.S. Global Malaria Coordinator
President's Malaria Initiative

#### **Private Sector Representatives**



Sherwin Charles Co-Founder & CEO Goodbye Malaria



Caroline Desrousseaux
Director of Sales for Public Health
Vestergaard Frandsen

#### **Science & Innovation Representative**



Isabella Oyier
Associate Professor and Head of Biosciences Department KEMRI-Wellcome Trust Research Programme (KWTRP)

#### **WHO Representative**



**Daniel Ngamije**Director Global Malaria Programme
World Health Organization (WHO)

#### **Unaffiliated Representatives**



Yvonne Chaka Chaka Singer & Public Figure



Yacine Djibo
Founder & Executive Director
Speak Up Africa

#### Host agency (UNOPS) representative



Andrew Kirkwood

Director Geneva Office
United Nations Office for Project
Services (UNOPS)

## **Incoming Board Members: Alternates**

#### Malaria-affected countries

Eric Nzeyimana
East African Community

**Duduzile Simelane** 

Southern African Development Community

Félix Agbla

West African Health Organization

**Amita Chebbi** 

Asia Pacific Leaders Malaria Alliance

**Gabriel Carrasquilla** 

National Academy of Medicine, Colombia

Elisabeth Mukamba

Economic Community of Central African States

**Civil Society** 

Ayodele Olu Ipinmoye ACOMIN

Cecilia Lodonu-Senoo

Hope for Future Generations, Ghana

**Private Sector** 

lan Boulton Goodbye Malaria **Key Funders** 

Scott Filler Global Fund

Tala Ismail Al Ramahi Reaching the Last Mile

**Amy Kesterton**Gates Foundation

Avery Avrakotos USAID Science & Innovation

Neena Valecha Independent

WHO

Issa Matta WHO

**Host Agency** 

Jean-François Laurent UNOPS

Unaffiliated

No alternates

## **Recognizing the Accomplishments of Outgoing Leadership**





## **Looking Forward: Strategic Plan**

The Partnership is energised to redouble its efforts to meet the ambitious goals outlined in the Strategic Plan, ramp up the fight against malaria and bring an end to the disease.

Strategic Plan 2021-2025

### **Strategic Objectives**

Optimize the quality and effectiveness of country and regional programming

- Maximize levels of financing
- Facilitate the deployment and scale-up of new products, techniques or implementation strategies

## **Looking Forward: Decision Points**



Leverage the new Finance Committee



Intensify resource mobilization efforts



Establish a Climate Change & Malaria Working Group



Respond to Global Fund proposal to elevate malaria to 'very high risk'

## **Partnership Engagement Mechanisms**

RBM Partnership Board

Leads the Partnership towards achieving the vision through its strategies and associated work plans

**RBM Partnership CEO and Secretariat** 

2 Supports the Board to deliver its strategy and co-ordinate the Partner Committees and Working Groups

Partner Committees

Bring partner organizations to formalize, consolidate and amplify RBM Partnership priorities

Advocacy & Resource Mobilization Partner Committee (ARMPC)

Country/Regional Support Partner Committee (CRSPC)

Strategic Communications Partner Committee (SCPC)

Working Groups

Bring together partners with specialist expertise to convey the remit of the RBM Partnership.

Social & Behavior Change

Case management Surveillance, monitoring & evaluation

Malaria in pregnancy

Multisectoral collaboration

Vector control



## Q&A

Please ask your questions using the 'Q&A feature' on Zoom. For any further questions, we kindly invite you to contact boardaffairs@endmalaria.org.