
Housing & malaria Work Stream

2nd Meeting

16:00-18:00h, Wednesday 28th January
Salle II

Mariana Stephens & Steve Lindsay



Agenda

16.00 - 16.10	Welcome Housing & Malaria Work Stream	Steve Lindsay Mariana Stephens
16.10 - 16.30	Meta-analysis on Housing & Malaria and RCT in the Gambia	Steve Lindsay
16.30 - 16.40	Malaria and the Built Environment	Mariana Stephens
16.40 - 16.50	Housing modifications as a malaria control strategy in peri-urban Cameroon	Peter Williams
16.50 - 17.00	Portable Mosquito-Proof housing for itinerant rice farmers in Rural Tanzania	Swai Kyeba
17.00 - 17.10	Opportunities for managing Malaria through housing design and the peri-domestic environment	Graham Alabaster
17.10 - 17.50	Discussion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify priorities/opportunities to enhance VCWG technical support to countries, as well as policy facilitation/guidance development at the global levels; • Realign agenda and activities of work streams to more closely match overarching VCWG priorities; and • Identify and proactively explore opportunities for mobilizing resources to support VCWG activities 	Panel Discussion
17.50 - 18.00	Next Steps	All Steve Lindsay

Priorities for the Work Stream for 2015/16

- **WHO Position statement** for malaria & housing required to improve advocacy (this is environmental management, consider housing as a way to sustain elimination after control has ended)
- **“Think Differently”** - Engaging with interested parties within health and other sectors – particularly with the private sector (construction, engineer, architects, extraction & plantations) as part of their Corporate Social Responsibility programmes
- Hold a follow-up meeting to develop a **research agenda** for housing & malaria (what structural changes do we recommend, how to generate demand & scale-up?, strengthen our long term vision with a business case, market research & mapping)
- Identification of **‘good practice’** for house construction & screening – start in Africa, then move to other regions, develop a manual?