

15<sup>th</sup> Annual RBM Vector Control  
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5<sup>th</sup> IVM, Evidence and Capacity WS Meeting

Panel discussion 1: IVM challenges and sustainability

# IVM Challenges

- Adequate capacity (priority?)
  - Human, finance, infrastructure etc
- Sustained commitments
- Implementation of polyvalent interventions
  - Fragmented approach (NMCPs, other VBDs)
- Maintenance of quality of VC interventions
  - Knowledge and evidence
- Cooperation with other sectors and engagements of communities
- etc

# Sustainability

- Sustained investment in infrastructure and human resources for vector surveillance and control
- A broader approach
  - Opportunities in VBDC
- Increase the role of research institutes (sharing responsibilities)
  - VC surveillance and quality monitoring
- Generation of tangible evidences on economic benefits to promote IVM better
- New/proven approaches for community engagement
- etc