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UNIVERSITY OF DELHI



**Workshop on Epidemiology and Control of Influenza
7 - 8th November 2014
APACI and Vallabhbhai Patel Chest Institute, University of Delhi
Program**

7th November, 2014 (Day-1)		
08:30 am- 09:00am	Registration	
09:00 am- 09:15am	Introduction to Workshop	Dr. Madhu Khanna Prof. Siu Lun John Tam
Session I	Diagnosis & disease burden	
09:15am- 09:20 am	Introduction to session	Chair: Prof. Lance Jennings Dr. Madhu Khanna
09:20am- 09:40am	RTLAMP Technology For Rapid and Reliable Diagnosis of Swine Flu; Translational Journey From Lab to Industry and Commercialization	Dr. M.M. Parida
09:40am- 10:00am	Influenza in pregnancy and the role of vaccination.	Dr. Anahita Chauhan
10:00am- 10:20am	Clinical Presentation of Patients infected with Seasonal and Pandemic Influenza A viruses	Ms. Latika Saxena
10:20am- 10:40am	Seasonality of influenza in south west India 2010 to 2014	Dr. G Arun Kumar
10:40am- 11:00am	Influenza seasonality for Asia region and consensus for vaccine timing	Dr. Siddhartha Saha
11:00am -11:30am	Tea Break	
Session II	Clinical impact & Epidemiology	
11:30am- 11:35am	Introduction to session	Chair: Prof. S.N. Gaur

		Prof. Anne Kelso
11:35am-11:55am	Epidemiology of influenza in northern India	Prof. Amita Jain
11:55am-12:15pm	Swineflu epidemic 2009-10- lessons learnt	Prof. M.K. Daga
12:15pm-12:35pm	Impact of pandemic influenza A (H1N1) on mortality in a rural community of northern India	Dr. Sanjay Rai
12:35pm-12:55pm	Surveillance and genetic analysis of influenza virus strains in eastern India	Dr. Mamta Chawla-Sarkar
12:55pm-01:55pm	Lunch break	
Session III	Control measures for Influenza	
01:55pm-02:00pm	Introduction to session	Chair: Dr. Saurabh Arya Dr. Amita Jain
02:00pm-02:20pm	Immunization in India with special reference to introduction of Influenza vaccine in UIP	Dr. Ajay Khera
02:20pm-02:40pm	Implementing WHO recommendations for influenza prevention to achieve broader public health objectives	Dr. Abraham M. Palache
02:40pm-03:00pm	Influenza immunization in adults	Dr. Madhu Khanna
03:00pm-03:20pm	Strategies to Control Seasonal Influenza in Vietnam	Ms. Pham Tuong Van
03:20pm-03:40pm	The clinical management of influenza (antivirals)	Prof. Paul Tambyah
03:40pm-04:10pm	Coffee break and interaction with eminent scientists & Poster session	
Session IV	Influenza Surveillance & Non communicable disease	
04:10pm-04:15pm	Introduction to session	Chair: Dr. Ekta Gupta Prof. Siu Lun John Tam
04:15pm-04:35pm	Applications of Illumina's Next Generation Sequencing for influenza surveillance and control	Dr. Wen Hong Toh

04:35pm- 04:55pm	Molecular epidemiology and phylogeographic analysis of novel swine origin Influenza virus(S-OIV) from Gwalior, India, 2009-2013	Dr. Shashi Sharma
04:55pm- 05:15pm	Influenza and non-communicable diseases	Dr. Saurabh Arya
05:15pm- 05:35pm	Case of persistently RT – PCR H1N1 virus positivity in a female with Oseltamivir (Tamiflu) susceptibility from an Infectious disease hospital in Mumbai, India	Dr. Jayanthi Shastri
06:00pm -06:30pm	Inauguration of Workshop	

8th November,2014 (Day-2)		
Session I	Vaccine safety & effectiveness	
09:25am- 09:30am	Introduction to session	Chair: Prof. Paul Tambyah Dr. Mandira Varma Basil
09:30am- 09:50am	WHO Initiatives	Prof. Siu Lun John Tam
09:50am- 10:10am	How effective are influenza vaccines?	Prof. Anne Kelso
10:10am- 10:30am	Costs and Benefits of Influenza Immunization to under-five children in India	Dr. Anand Krishnan
10:30am- 10:50am	Benefits of vaccination in Respiratory infections/COPD	Prof. Rajendra Prasad
10:50am- 11:10am	Rationale of influenza vaccination of healthcare workers	Dr. Mark Simmerman
11:10am- 11:20am	Tea Break	
Session II	Vaccine challenges & opportunities	
11:20am- 11:25am	Introduction to session	Chair: Dr. G. Arun Kumar Dr. Mark Simmerman
11:25am- 11:45pm	Why do we worry about Influenza	Prof. David Smith

11:45am-12:45pm	Discussion panel	Prof. Lance Jennings Prof. Randeep Guleria Prof. Siu Lun John Tam Dr. Siddharth Saha
12:45pm-01:05pm	Influenza Resources	Mr. Kim Sampson
1:05pm-1:30pm	Valedictory function, Summary and overview	Prof. Lance Jennings
01:30pm onwards	Lunch	