



" Advancing Antimicrobial Stewardship: Data-Driven Insights and Behavioral Change through the Power of the Global-PPS"

Sunday 29 June, 2025 (10:00h-13:00h)

Meeting Room 1.61 – 1.62

Cape Town, South Africa



Welcome coffee		Timing
Welcome – Round table	Prof. Shaheen Mehtar	10'
Features, key achievements and perspectives of the Global-PPS on AMU and HAI - Towards a promising synergy between WHO-PPS and Global-PPS	Ann Versporten (University of Antwerp, Belgium)	15'
Diagnostic stewardship : Gaps and existing approaches	Dr. Heather Finlayson (Stellenbosch University, Cape Town, South-Africa)	15'
Data driven behavioral change approach, synergy with the Global-PPS.	Prof. Oyin Oduyebo (Lagos University Teaching Hospital, Nigeria)	15'
Break		10'
G-PPS as a key pillar of AMS implementation projects in Africa		
Data driven AMS and IPC in South Africa	Dr. Heather Finlayson / Reshma Misra (South Africa)	15'
AMS experiences from SPARC and CwPAMS projects in Africa	Maxencia Nabiryo, Commonwealth Pharmacists Association, UK/Uganda	15'
The outpatient Global-PPS on antimicrobial use in Africa	Annelies Boven (University of Antwerp, Belgium)	15'
Data-driven AMS in outpatient settings in Nigeria	Dr. Philip Oshun (Lagos University Teaching Hospital, Nigeria)	15'
Break		10'
Future data driven AMS approach in Africa		
Capacity building in IPC, HAI and AMU	Dr. Iman Heweidly (WHO Eastern Mediterranean Regional Office)	10'
G-PPS and HIV	Prof. Andy Bulabula (Head of IPC, Africa CDC)	10'
Implementation of One Health strategic plans - Development of policies, guidelines and AMS activities using data-driven insights	Dr Yewande Alimi (AMR and One Health unit Lead - Africa CDC)	10'
Panel discussion - The Way Forward - Closing remarks	Prof. Shaheen Mehtar	15'