

LEISHMANIASIS MODELLING & ECONOMICS: TOWARDS A FUTURE RESEARCH AGENDA

16/17 October, 2017

The Ebor Room, The Principal Hotel, York

AGENDA

Monday 16th October		
19:00	Dinner, The Refectory, The Principal Hotel	
	After dinner speech Professor Sanjoy Bhattacharya, Centre for Global Health Histories, University of York	
Tuesday 17th October		
08:30 – 08:45	Arrival with refreshments	
08:45 – 10:15	Session 1: Vectors and dynamics	
	Overview of leishmaniasis	Paul Kaye, University of York
	Epidemiology and reservoirs	Paul Bates, Lancaster University
	Vector control	Mary Cameron, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine
10:15 – 10:45	Morning refreshments	
10:45 – 11:45	Session 2: Diagnostics, Treatment and Control Interventions: Current and Future Options	
	CL diagnostics: the importance of early CL diagnosis, and the mental health impact that the CL scarring has in affected individuals and societies	Alvaro Acosta-Serrano Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine
	Treatment protocols and treatment practice – a Sri Lankan perspective	Shalindra Ranasinghe, University of Sri Jayewardenepura

11:45 – 12:15	Session 3: Epidemiology and modelling	
	Overview of modelling activities in leishmaniasis	Graham Medley, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine
12:15 – 13:15	Lunch in The Refectory	
13:15 – 14:45	Session 3 continued: Epidemiology and modelling	
	The impact of interventions on future incidence using visceral leishmaniasis transmission models	Epke Le Rutte, Erasmus MC Rotterdam
	Examples of infectious disease modelling and cost-effectiveness	Sake De Vlas, Erasmus MC Rotterdam
	Discussion: impact of geographical variations	Mauro Braganca, University of York
14:45 – 15:00	Afternoon refreshments	
15:00 – 16:30	Session 4: Economics - towards a future leishmaniasis research agenda	
	Economics analysis across all competing claims on resources (research, product development, interventions etc.)	Mark Sculpher, University of York
	Leishmaniasis research priorities at KalaCORE and the Wellcome Trust – the role of modelling and economics	Louise Ormond, KalaCORE / Dan Gill, The Wellcome Trust
	Discussion: Ideas of future research	Paul Reville, University of York