



Research on malaria drug delivery

Highlights at ASTMH 2015 — Philadelphia, USA

Tue 27 Oct

11:10–11:30 Impact of providing rapid diagnostic malaria tests on fever management in the private retail sector in Ghana: a cluster randomized trial*

* as part of Malaria Capacity Development Consortium

(Symposium starts 10:15, Convention Center Ballroom 201B)

Evelyn Ansah

12:00–1:45 Poster session B

(Convention Center — Ballroom AB)

- Health facility caseload changes during the introduction of community case management of malaria in South Western Uganda — An interrupted time series approach (#684) **Sham Lal**
- Systematic sampling approach reveals fewer falsified first line antimalarials than previously reported (#819) **Harparkash Kaur**

1:45–2:00 Referral from community health workers: Evidence from cluster randomized trials of mRDTs in two areas of high and low malaria transmission in Uganda

(Convention Center — Room 201A, #1184)

Sham Lal

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12:00–1:45 Poster session C

(Convention Center — Ballroom AB)

- Impact of malaria rapid diagnostic tests on patient care: Results from the ACT Consortium (#1522) **Katia Bruxvoort**
- Impact of malaria rapid diagnostic tests on patients' subsequent treatment-seeking, costs and health outcomes: Results from the ACT Consortium (#1699) **Heidi Hopkins**
- Modelling the cost-effectiveness of introducing malaria rapid diagnostic tests in the private for-profit sector (#1523) **David Bath**
- Use of interferon- γ release assays for the diagnosis of tuberculosis in patients with concurrent malaria infection in Tanzania (#1694) **Lasse Vestergaard**

1:00–1:15 Science Journalism of Tropical Diseases

(Symposium #138 starts 12:15, Marriott — Grand Ballroom Salon E)

Déborá Miranda

2:15–2:30 Effects of introducing malaria rapid diagnostic tests in drug shops: Findings from the evaluation of a cluster randomized trial in Uganda

(Session starts 1.45, Marriott — Grand Ballroom Salon CD, #1800)

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Join us at booth #408 to ask and answer questions on malaria drug delivery!

Other ACT Consortium investigators presenting at ASTMH

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