

CONTENT, CADRES, AND COSTS OF COMMUNITY-BASED MATERNAL AND NEWBORN CARE: Launch of Health Policy and Planning Supplement based on Multi-country economic analyses

Time: Tuesday 3rd October 2017, 5.15 to 6.45pm followed by drinks reception

Location: John Snow Theatre, LSHTM, Keppel St, London WC1E 7HT (and web-streamed)

Audience and focus: researchers, global policy, international partners, donors

- 17:15 Welcome
Professor Joy Lawn
- 17:20 HPP Editor in Chief regarding the journal and the series
Sandra Mounier Jack
- 17:25 Context and change in last decade
Joy Lawn
- 17:30 Content, cadres and costs: an overview of multi country analyses of community-based maternal newborn care
Emmanuelle Daviaud, Health System Strengthening Unit, MRC South Africa
- 17:50 Multi country analysis of the costs of equipping community health workers
Diana Barger, Université de Bordeaux – Inserm U1219 Bordeaux Population Health
- 18:00 COMBINE trial in Ethiopia: is community treatment of neonatal infections cost effective and sustainable?
Dr Tedbabe Degefie, UNICEF, New York
- 18:10 Panel:
Chaired in TV talkshow style by Joy Lawn
4 mins each no slides

Dr Claudia Hanson Women's health and systems expert	Packages with more complex content have higher impact, but are harder to scale – what should take priority? More complex packages at community? Or improved QoC at facility? What are the big research health systems/implementation questions going forward?
Dr Jo Borghi TBC	What are the big health economic questions re community based care for maternal/newborn visits/women's groups or more broadly for other community based programmes? Links to UHC?
Donat Shamba, social Science researcher, Ifakara Health Institute, Tanzania, part of INSIST team and now PhD candidate at LSHTM	From this network of studies in Africa there were at least 20 Masters and 9 PhDs and also opportunities for CHWs to gain skills – how can more be done to embed technical capacity building into such research networks?
Tedbabe Degefie, UNICEF	What does this mean for other community programmes eg CCM, ECD, HIV etc? What are the implications for CBMNC and other community care in emergency settings?

- 18:30 Questions from floor
- 18:40 Closing remarks by panel (1 min each) and wrap up by Joy Lawn
- 18:45 Drinks reception

Papers: The Series will be free access on HPP site