

MALARIA COURSE BAGAMOYO, & ZANZIBAR, TANZANIA

March 14 to April 8, 2022

4-week postgraduate course on malaria prevention, control and elimination

Course objective

Building capacity by reinforcing knowledge and expertise of persons involved in the care of patients, in control programmes or in research activities in the field of malaria, and improvement in transferable skills such as time management, presenting and writing research proposals. At the end of the course, the participants are able to manage malaria issues more effectively in their home institutions.

Course organization and format

The course is co-organised by the Swiss Tropical and Public Health Institute, Switzerland, the Ifakara Health Institute and the Zanzibar Malaria Elimination Programme, Tanzania, with partial financial support by the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation and other donors. The locations of the course are Bagamoyo and Zanzibar in Tanzania. Participants will engage in group work, discussions, assessments and exchange with peers. The course is organized into 4 modules, 26 topics around malaria prevention, control and elimination and transferable skills..

Course program

Week 1: Vector control, Modelling, Insectary visit
Week 2: Parasites, Diagnostics, Vaccines, Lab tour
Week 3: Treatment, Pregnancy, Hospital visit
Week 4: Surveillance, Health Economics, Elimination
Transferable skills

Course costs

Registration fee is USD 500 per participant. Travel, accommodation and catering expenses will be sponsored by the organizers. Health insurance is at the expense of the participants. No der diem will be distributed.

The facilitators

International and national experts from affected and non-affected countries selected for their area of expertise and teaching skills and willingness to be deeply involved in the learning process.

The participants

This course is designed for individuals involved in malaria research or malaria control and elimination (health personnel, scientists and researchers, public health specialists and malaria control administrators). 16 participants from malaria-affected countries will be selected by a Scientific Committee. The minimum requirement is a BSc or Master degree and several years of professional experience.

Application form & Contact

Please complete the application form and upload your CV, motivation letter, employer's agreement through the application form.

Deadline 20 January 2022.

<https://swisstph.wufoo.com/forms/m1p9os01lg9t23/>

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"From the balance of course work, group work in problem solving task with the support of experience experts and the extracurricular activities, I can say it is the most well planned short course I have ever attended to date."

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