

HELP

Helminth Elimination Platform



Member Organisations of the Helminth Elimination Platform

About Swiss TPH

The Swiss Tropical and Public Health Institute (Swiss TPH) is a world-leading institute in global health with a particular focus on low- and middle-income countries. Associated with the University of Basel, Swiss TPH combines research, services, and education and training at local, national, and international levels. About 850 people from 80 nations work at Swiss TPH focusing on infectious and non-communicable diseases, environment, society, and health as well as health systems and interventions. www.swisstph.ch

About DNDi

The Drugs for Neglected Diseases *initiative* (DNDi) is a not-for-profit research and development organization working to deliver new treatments for neglected diseases – notably leishmaniasis, sleeping sickness, Chagas disease, specific filarial infections, and mycetoma – as well as treatments for neglected patients, particularly those living with paediatric HIV and hepatitis C. Since its inception in 2003, DNDi and its partners have delivered eight innovative treatments to improve the quality of life and health of patients. www.dndi.org

About University of Buea

The University of Buea is a state University in Cameroon, created in 1993. Scientists at the University of Buea work on tropical diseases, notably filariasis. Their work combines experimental models of infection (preclinical research) to clinical trial, and epidemiology. They developed animal models for loaisis for both screening and counter screening of compounds against loaisis, lymphatic filariasis, and onchocerciasis. www.ubuea.cm

About University Hospital Bonn

The Institute for Medical Microbiology, Immunology and Parasitology at the Universitätsklinikum Bonn is internationally renowned for its work in tropical medicine, specifically for pioneering a new drug treatment for filariasis. The new treatment exploits the symbiosis between the filarial nematodes and bacterial endosymbionts called Wolbachia, which are susceptible to some classes of antibiotics. www.ukbonn.de

About Ifakara Health Institute (IHI)

Ifakara Health Institute (IHI) is a leading health research organization in Africa, with a strong track record of developing, testing, and validating innovations for health. We are driven by a core strategic mandate for research, training, and services. The institute's work spans across the full research lifecycle from basic science to policy and translation. IHI's work is organized in three research departments, six research units, and seven technical units. The research departments are: Environmental Health & Ecological Sciences, Interventions & Clinical Trials, and Health Systems, Impact Evaluation & Policy. The research units are: Grants and Contracts, Training & Capacity Building, Laboratories, Data Systems and Platforms, Vector Control Product Testing, and Chronic Diseases Clinics. The technical units, which are supporting research (our primary activity), are: Internal Audit, Knowledge Management and Communications, Finance Management, Human Resources, Procurement Management, Branch Management and Information & Communication Technology. We have three major offices in Tanzania (Ifakara, Bagamoyo, & Dar es Salaam).

www.ihl.or.tz

About Muséum National d'Histoire Naturelle

The Muséum National d'Histoire Naturelle is a research establishment, educational institution and museum rolled into one, a crossroads of knowledge with collections, a variety of sites open to the public and laboratories. One of them is dedicated to parasitology and has a long history in the study of filariasis. www.mnhn.fr

About Bayer Animal Health

Based in Germany and a business unit of Bayer AG, Bayer Animal Health is the #5 animal health company globally with revenues of €1.5 billion in 2018. It offers a broad range of products, with a particularly strong position in the field of parasiticides for companion animals, as well as parasiticides and anti-infectives for the treatment of infectious diseases in livestock. Bayer Animal Health sells products in over 120 countries and has over 3,500 employees worldwide.

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