Global Health Ethics Seminar 6:

Disease Surveillance for the SDGs –
Balancing privacy with the need to know

The Global Health Ethics Unit of the World Health Organization, the Wellcome Trust & the University of York WHO CC for Global Health Histories present:

| You are warmly invited to join the live webinar on 3rd October 2016 |
| 13:00—14:30 Europe Summer Time (London +1.00) |
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Surveillance is one of the most fundamental activities of public health, involving diverse practices in areas such as non-communicable disease registers, outbreak investigations, infectious disease, health systems research, and digital surveillance. Public health surveillance (PHS) raises multiple ethical issues, and WHO is currently finalizing ethics guidelines for PHS. This webinar will highlight the lack of surveillance in many situations, discuss the upcoming guidance document and the ethical issues that could arise, and explore how to ethically balance the objective of data collection to serve public health goals with the obligation to protect the privacy of citizens.

Join the webinar to hear our expert panel consider these issues through a case study approach, and take part in the discussion.

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