HIV/TB Research meeting in conjunction with the 6th conference on HIV Pathogenesis, Treatment and Prevention (IAS 2011)

Sunday, 17 July 2011, 12:30-16:00

Grand Hotel Ritz, Via Chelini 14, Rome, Italy

Organized by the World Health Organization and CREATE on behalf of the TB/HIV Working Group of the Stop TB Partnership

AGENDA

12:30-13:30: Lunch (provided)

Co-chairs: D. Havlir (UCSF, USA) and R. Chaisson (John Hopkins University, USA)

13:30-13:40: Introduction and objectives of the meeting

Diane Havlir, WHO TB/HIV Working Group and UCSF, USA

13:40-14:00: TB drugs for people living with HIV and children: update from Global Alliance for TB Drug Development

Christo van Niekerk, TB Alliance, South Africa

Commentary (5 minutes): Annie Luetkemeyer, UCSF, USA

14:00-14:20: Culture results during treatment for TB as surrogate endpoints for long-term treatment outcome: the promise and the pitfalls

Patrick Phillips, MRC Clinical Trials Unit, UK

Commentary (5 minutes): Connie Benson, UCSD, USA

14:20-14:40: Dosage levels of anti-TB drugs in children and unanswered research questions

Soumya Swaminathan, India.

Commentary (5 minutes): Lynne Mofenson, NIH, USA

14:40-15:30: Discussion

15:30-15:40: Conclusion and next steps

15:40-16:00: Coffee/tea break and networking

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