Meeting objectives and agenda

12th Annual RBM VCWG Meeting
8th-10th February 2017, Geneva
Purpose of the RBM VCWG (slight reminder)

.....to align RBM partners on best practices to reach and maintain universal coverage with effective vector control interventions.
.....to disseminate the normative and policy-setting guidelines of the World Health Organization (WHO) by helping to translate these norms and standards to international and country-level partners.
.....to support the generation of evidence to inform global policy and guidelines,
.....to protect the efficacy of existing tools and simulate the development of new tools.
.....to coordinate the support to malaria endemic countries with regard to implementing WHO guidelines,
.....to provide an essential forum where diverse partners of the vector control community from the public sector, the private sector, research and academia, and civil society, can come together, to reach a common
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1st block: general part and plenary sessions

Feedback on RBM status
Feedback on the Global Vector Control Response
Country case Sri Lanka: lessons learnt for malaria elimination

Poster session

Exhibition on vector control innovations
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2nd block: “Individual Work Steam Meetings”

NB: after Feb 2016 meeting we agreed to prepare work plans
So during 2016 the co-chairs plus extended core teams and us worked on this

Co-chairs will now present the proposed work plan to the extended members
  • SMART objectives and doable sub-activities
    Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant, Time based

3 hours for the discussion of the objectives and the sub-activities
Get agreement amongst the participants
Co-chairs to prepare presentation to the VCWG audience
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3rd block: Feedback per work stream to the VCWG

Presentation of the selected objectives and sub-activities per work stream (1.5 hours)

Incl. feedback from the audience

After feedback from all work stream meetings we have a common plenary discussion on the way forward for 2017 / 2018, next steps etc.
Summary of main objectives of our 12th annual meeting:

- **Work Stream level:**
  - Discuss and agree on a SMART work plan
  - Present work plan to the VCWG

- **Working Group level:**
  - Discuss work plans of the individual work streams
  - Discuss the overall way forward for 2017 and 2018