

GICS IV: Strategies for Implementation

16 January

- After 2:00pm** **Arrival and Check in** | Capital on the Park Hotel
- 2:00pm – 4:00pm** **Essential Children’s Surgery Project Meeting (by invitation)** | Lubna Samad
- 2:00pm – 5:00pm** **Nursing Working Group Meeting** | Olubunmi Lawal-Aiyedun
- Nursing Implementation of OReCS
 - Integrating Paediatric Surgery and Nursing in Country-specific NSOAPs
 - Developing a Nursing Surgical Competency TOOLKIT.
 - 2020: Year of the Nurse and the Midwife
- 4:00pm – 7:00pm** **Registration, Upload Presentations, and Sign-up for Breakout Sessions**
Subspecialty Working Groups | 17 January
Committees | 18 January
- 6:30pm – 9:00pm** **Anesthesia Working Group Meeting** | Faye Evans
- 7:00pm – 9:00pm** **Dinner** | **Capital on the Park Restaurant**
- 7:00pm – 9:00pm** **Board Meeting** | Board of Directors only
- 7:00pm – 9:00pm** **Core Operations and Logistics Meeting** | Arjun Visa, David Grabski



17 January

8:00am – 8:30am **17.1 Welcome and Introduction** | Diana Farmer

Timeline of GICS and state of children's surgery in 2020 | Kokila Lakhoo

8:30am – 10:30am **17.2 Celebration of Successes**
Doruk Ozgediz and Lily Saldana, Moderators

GICS Leadership | Keith Oldham

KidsOR | David Cunningham

Nicaragua OpSmile | Wesley Sequeira, Vincent Were

Vellore-RCSE Collaboration | Richard Stewart, Vrisha Madhuri

Congenital Anomalies Working Group | Tahmina Banu

Trauma Working Group | Abdelbasit Ali

Reducing Mortality in Gastroschisis | Martin Situma

World Surgical Foundation: Delivering Mobile Pediatric Surgical Care in The Philippines | Beda Espineda

Training Modules Resource Repository | Sabina Siddiqui, Alexis Bowder

GICS Research Projects | Dan Poenaru, Emily Smith

Essential Children's Surgery Project | Lubna Samad

GICS Publications | Keith Oldham, Henry Rice

OReCS Document | Emmanuel Ameh

10:30am – 11:00am **Tea Break**

Poster viewing

OR preparation (video) | Pramod Reddy

Simulation training: Gastroschisis cotside reduction and closure, umbilical vein cannulation | Naomi Wright, Zaitun Bokhary, Patricia Shinondo Alhassan Abdul-Mumin, Amon Ngongla, Mulenga Mulewa, Theophilus Anyomih

11:00am – 12:00pm **17.3 Implementation of Children's Surgery Programs**
Zipporah Gathuya and Sabina Siddiqui, Moderators

5-minute presentations: Organizations tell us things we might not know about them

15-minute discussion and "reverse panel" discussion: LMIC providers tell organizations what they need

Lifebox | Faye Evans

RunFree 2030: A Global Strategy to End Clubfoot Disability | Norgrove Penny

Smile Train | Erin Stieber, Esther Njoroge

AFOX | Kokila Lakhoo

Medical Aid International | Tim Beacon

CURE | Charles Howard

OpSmile | Ruben Ayala

12:00pm – 1:30pm

Lunch | Capital on the Park Restaurant

Breakout Sessions: Methods for Implementation of OReCS and Development of Training Modules

Emmanuel Ameh, Moderator

Anesthesia | Zipporah Gathuya (29)

Critical Care | Rashmi Kumar (2)

Cardiac Surgery | Bistra Zheleva, Eltayeb Ahmed (2)

Neurosurgery | Anthony Figaji, William Harkness (4)

Radiology | Jaishree Naidoo (2)

Dental/Oral Surgery | Sunday Ajike (1)

Plastic Surgery | Peter Nthumba (1)

General Surgery | Basil Leodoro (16)

Pediatric General Surgery | Soji Ademuyiwa (103)

Congenital Anomalies | Tahmina Banu

Trauma Surgery | Abdel Basit, Charles Carapinha

Oncology | Hafeez Abdelhafeez (1)

Urology | Bankole Rouma (3)

Nursing | Olubunmi Lawal-Aiyedon (7)

Orthopedic Surgery | Vrisha Madhuri (7)

1:30pm – 2:15pm

17.4 Group Discussion on Implementation Methods

Steve Bickler and Vrisha Madhuri, Moderators

OReCS | Emmanuel Ameh

Essential Children's Surgery Project | Lubna Samad

Training Modules | Sabina Siddiqui

2:15pm – 3:00pm

17.5 KEYNOTE ADDRESSES

Dr Mariame Sylla, Chief of Health and Nutrition, UNICEF South Africa

Dr Salimah Walani, Vice President of Global Programs, March of Dimes

Discussion: Assimilating surgical care into global pediatric health

Tahmina Banu, Moderator

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17.6 Key Stakeholders and Partners: Models of Implementation

John Sekabira and Guy Jensen, Moderators

KidsOR | Garreth Wood

Médecins sans Frontières | Henry Rice

The Gift of the Givers | Ahmed Bham

WFPI (World Federation of Pediatric Imaging) | Jaishree Naidoo

InterSurgeon | William Harkness

International Bladder Exstrophy Consortium | Pramod Reddy

COSECSA | John Sekabira

Experience Establishing National Guidelines: Bleeding during and after Caesarian sections | Salome Maswime

Innovative Canadians for Change (ICChange): Fostering Innovation Platforms for Children's Surgery | Abdullah Saleh (Livestream)

Ethical framework for global surgery | Abdullah Saleh (Livestream).

Disease Control Priorities Project | Dean Jamison (Livestream)

Operation Giving Back | Girma Tefera

5:15pm – 6:00pm **17.7 Group Discussion: Strategies for going further together: how can practitioners and organizations better work together?**
Erin Stieber and Faye Evans, Moderators

Attendees will be divided into 4 groups
Facilitators: Erin Steiber, Faye Evans, Guy Jensen, Phyllis Kisa

How do we:

- Avoid duplication of efforts and focus on areas of need
- Leverage key opportunities to maximize impact through coordination
- Support local practitioners and avoid disrupting local systems

6:00pm **Wrap up from Day 1** | Zipporah Gathuya

7:00pm – 8:00pm **Drinks reception sponsored by KidsOR** | Garreth Wood, Host

8:00pm – 10:00pm **Dinner sponsored by Operation Smile** | Capital on the Park
Restaurant

18 January

8:00am – 8:05am **18.1 Review of Day 1** | COL group

8:05am – 8:50 am **18.2 Stakeholder Collaborations and Research Strategies**
Hafeez Abdelhafeez and Lily Saldana, Moderators

Oncology Updates: Children’s Oncology Initiative, African Collaborative Wilms Tumor Project, and PAPSA Wilms Tumor Project | Hafeez Abdelhafeez

WFSA (World Federation of Societies of Anaesthesiologists) | Zipporah Gathuya, Faye Evans

Global PaedSurg + Gastroschisis Intervention Study | Naomi Wright, Intisar Hisham

Securing Funding: Fogarty Global Health Program and NIH Funding | Steve Bickler

Strategy for Developing Laboratories for Research | Vrisha Madhuri

8:50 am – 10:30am **18.3 Research Workshop**
Vrisha Madhuri and Dan Poenaru, Moderators

Asking the Right questions, Writing the Proposal | Dan Poenaru, Adesoji Ademuyiwa

Choosing the Right Method | Emily Smith

Gathering the Data, Use of RedCap | Naomi Wright, Patricia Shinondo

Analyzing the data | Emily Smith, Mubarak Mohamed Jama

Disseminating Data and Lessons of Research | Doruk Ozgediz, Nasser Kakembo, John Sekabira, Katrine Løfberg

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11:00am – 12:00pm **18.4 Presentations from GICS members**
Bertille Ki and Dan Poenaru, Moderators

Financial Risk Protection Study | Tahmina Banu and Sarah Ullrich

OXPLORE study of GICS | Godfrey Sama

Vidawasi Children's Hospital | Lily Saldana

ASOS Peds (African Surgical Outcomes Study—Pediatrics) | Alex Torborg

Congenital Anomalies: Antenatal and Postnatal Outcomes in India | Nilash Tank

Research on Neglected Surgical Conditions | Coleen Sabatini

Ohana One Burns Project | Pedro Santos

Hugh Greenwood Family | Kokila Lakhoo

Gertrude Children's Hospital | Everlyne Machogu, Zipporah Gathuya

12:00pm – 1:15pm **Lunch** | Capital on the Park Restaurant

Committee Meetings: Future Directions of GICS and Strategies for Implementation of OReCS

Keith Oldham, Moderator

Financing, Advocacy, and Policy | Lubna Samad

Infrastructure, Standards, and Verification | Emmanuel Ameh

Research, Data, and Quality Improvement | Dan Poenaru, Vrisha Madhuri

Training, Human Resources, and Education | Sabina Siddiqui

Website, Networking, and Communication | Marilyn Butler

Ad hoc Committee: NGO Council | Guy Jensen, facilitator

1:15pm – 3:00pm **18.5 Way Forward and Future of NSOAPs**
Emmanuel Ameh, Moderator

Introduction | Emmanuel Ameh

NSOAPs: Global Progress | Che-Len Reddy, Harvard GPSSC

Inclusion of Children's Surgery and Nursing: Nigeria Experience | Justina Seyi-Olajide

Inclusion of Children's Surgery: Pakistan Experience | Lubna Samad

NSOAPs in the Pacific Islands: Plans for Children's Surgery? | Liz McLeod

NSOAPs in the SADC Region: What is Being Done to Include Children's Surgery and Ensure Global Inclusion of Children's Surgery in NSOAPs? | Emmanuel Makasa

Role of GICS | Emmanuel Ameh

Discussion:

- How to we ensure inclusion of children's surgery in future NSOAPs?
- How do we use OReCS and local resources to advocate for children's surgery to be included in national agendas?

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18.6 Advocacy Session

Erin Stieber, Moderator

Case Study of Global Health Partnerships | Sara Anderson (Livestream)
Using Social Media as an Advocacy Tool | Dominique Vervoort
Engaging Philanthropy | Garreth Wood and David Cunningham
Working together for greater impact in pediatric surgery
Families as Advocates: CDH International | Dawn Ireland
World Health Organization | Neema Kaseje (video presentation)
UNGA | Henry Rice, Emily Smith
UHC2030 | Dr. Esther Njoroge
G4 Alliance | Ruben Ayala
Discussion and Questions

5:00pm – 6:00pm

18.7 Future Directions of GICS

Open discussion | Kokila Lakhoo
Next meetings
Wrap up and way forward

6:00pm-7:00pm

Board Meeting | Board of Directors only

Ad hoc Subspecialty Working Group Meetings

Nurses Working Group | Olabumni Lawal-Aiyedon
Others TBD

7:00pm – 9:00pm

Dinner sponsored by Smile Train | Capital on the Park Restaurant

19 January

Before 10:00am

Check out and departure | Capital on the Park Hotel
