

# THE 10<sup>TH</sup> EAST AFRICAN HEALTH & SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE

## PROGRAMME

**Pyramid Continental Hotel**

**Juba, South Sudan**

**25<sup>TH</sup> – 27<sup>TH</sup> June 2025**

<b>Wednesday, 25<sup>th</sup> June 2025</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>	
07:00-08:00	Registration: Pyramid	Exhibition and Trade Fair set-up for the day
08:00-08:45	Entertainment	
08:45-13:00	Opening Ceremony  <b>Venue:</b> Eagle Ball Room  <b>Master of Ceremony:</b> Dr. Patrick Sokiri	
08:45-09:00	Arrival of the Guest of Honour Presentation of the Opening Ceremony Programme	
09:00-09:05	South Sudan National Anthem	
09:05-09:10	EAC Anthem	
09:10-09:15	Welcome Remarks by the Chair of the Conference (Prof. Charles Bakheit)	
09:15-09:30	Welcome Remarks by the Executive Secretary of the EAHRC (Dr. Novat Twungubumwe)	
09:30-09:35	Welcome Remarks by the Secretary General of EAC	
09:35-09:40	Remarks by a Representative of Development Partners	
09:40-09:45	Welcome Remarks by the Governor of Central Equatoria State	
09:45-09:50	Welcome Remarks by the Hon. Minister of Health, Republic of South Sudan	
09:50-09:55	Remarks by the Hon Minister of Health, Kenya	
09:55-10:00	Remarks by the Hon Minister of Health, Burundi	
10:00-10:05	Remarks by the Hon Minister of Health, DRC	
10:05-10:10	Remarks by the Hon Minister of Health, Republic of Rwanda	
10:10-10:15	Remarks by the Hon Minister of Health, Federal Republic of Somalia	
10:15-10:20	Remarks by the Hon Minister of Health, Uganda	
10:20-10:25	Remarks by the Hon Minister of Health, United Republic of Tanzania	
10:25-10:40	Remarks by the Chair of EAC Council and invitation to the Guest of Honour to officially open the 10 <sup>th</sup> EAHSC	

10:40-11:10	Speech by the Guest of Honour
11:10-11:20	Vote of Thanks by the Hon. Minister of East African Community Affairs, Republic of South Sudan
11:10-11:55	<p><b>Session Chair:</b> Prof. Charles Bakheit</p> <p><b>Rapporteur:</b> All Rapporteurs</p> <p><b>Timekeeper:</b> Dr. Luka Dut</p>
11:10-11:40	<b>Plenary Session 1:</b> Main Keynote Speech
	<p><b>Venue:</b> Eagle Ball Room</p> <p>Epidemics as an emerging health priority in the East African Region: What we know and what we do not know.</p> <p><b>Keynote Speaker:</b> Prof. Bruce J. Kirenga, Principal Makerere Unit College of Health Sciences, Director Makerere University Lung Institute Executive Chairman ICER</p>
11:40 – 11:55	Q & A
11:55-12:15	Group photo with Guest of Honour
12:15-12:30	Tour to the Exhibition and Trade Fair Booths
12:30-13:00	Press Conference
13:00-14:00	Lunch
14:00-14:45	<p><b>Chairperson:</b> Assoc. Prof. Kenneth Lado Lino</p> <p><b>Rapporteur:</b> All Rapporteurs</p> <p><b>Timekeeper:</b> Mr. John Baraka</p>
14:00 – 14:30	<p><b>Plenary Session 2:</b> Keynote Speech</p> <p><b>Venue:</b> Eagle Ball Room</p> <p>Innovative strategies to fight epidemics and pandemics</p> <p><b>Keynote Speaker:</b> Dr. John Pasquale Rumunu Director General Policy, Planning, Budget, Research and Monitoring; Ministry of Health- Republic of South Sudan</p>
14:30-14:45	Q & A

15:00-17:15	<b>Parallel Session 1</b>		
	<b>Hall: Executive Lounge</b>  <b>Session Chair:</b> Dr. Chan Deng Malual  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> John Baraka, Joseph Giir, Dr. Sarah Zakaria, Aluel Mangar, Mr. Patrick Kenyi  <b>Timekeeper:</b> Egbabolo Hannah Manza  <b>Access to Quality Healthcare</b>	<b>Hall: Eagle Ball Room</b>  <b>Session Chair:</b> Dr. Kediende M. Chong  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> Dr. Bith Abraham, Nicholas Gift  <b>Timekeeper:</b> Miukau Amina  <b>Communicable Diseases/ HIV</b>	<b>Hall: Foyer Room</b>  <b>Session Chair:</b> Dr. Chol O Giel <b>Rapporteur:</b> Dr. Sarah James, Dr. Viviana Enoke, Dr. Joyce Kiden, Dr. Godwin Ohisa  <b>Timekeeper:</b> Dr. Angelo Aruop  <b>Non-Communicable Diseases</b>
	Community Perceived Priority Actions for Creating a Primary Healthcare System Interface for Cardiovascular Disease Prevention: The Health Kiosks in Markets (HEKIMA) Study in Rural Kenya. <b>Schiller Mbuka</b>	Knowledge, practices, and willingness to participate in an antiretroviral waste bottle collection project among HIV patients in Kampala, Uganda.  <b>Curthereen Rhona</b>	Supervised or Home-Based? Exploring the Best Exercise Approach for Knee Osteoarthritis Management: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis. <b>Jean Mapinduzi</b>
	Bridging Cancer Care Gap in East African Community; Challenges and Opportunities. <b>Assist Prof. Dr/Albino Amum Awin</b>	The Impact of Urbanization on The Epidemiology of HIV/AIDS Among Adults Attending Juba Teaching Hospital, Juba-South Sudan: A Cross-Sectional Study. <b>Lipu D. John</b>	Prevalence, risk factors and severity of cardiac autonomic neuropathy (CAN) in patients with Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus at a tertiary hospital in Zanzibar. <b>Hassan Thabit Haji</b>
	Choice of Medical Specialties and Influencing factors among The Final Year Medical Students at University of Juba, South Sudan. <b>Ater G. Deng</b>	Changes in traditional risk factors for cardiovascular diseases in people living with HIV after 5 years of antiretroviral therapy in Tanzania using LS7. <b>Gloria Manyangu</b>	Cancer Patterns in Juba, South Sudan: A Hospital Based Study. <b>Santino T. Matoch</b>

	Stakeholder Perspectives of Maternal and Newborn Health Prioritization in South Sudan: A Policy Analysis. <b>Kon Paul Alier</b>	Awareness of pre-exposure prophylaxis for HIV prevention among men who have sex with men (MSM) in Rwanda. <b>Twagirimana Gabriel</b>	High epilepsy prevalence and excess mortality in onchocerciasis-endemic areas of South Sudan. <b>Stephen Raimon</b>
	Study of Different Contralateral Symmetrization Procedures Following Breast Cancer Surgery. <b>Assist Prof. Dr/Albino Amum Awin</b>	Factors Associated with Reengagement into care following interruption among PLHIV on ART in Katakwi District Eastern Uganda. <b>Okello William</b>	Knowledge, Attitudes and Practices Regarding Onchocerciasis and Community-Directed Treatment with Ivermectin: A Cross-Sectional Study in South Sudan. <b>Prof. Kenneth Lado Lino Sube</b>
	Priority strategies to improve uptake of cervical cancer screening services in Nyeri County, Kenya: Nominal group technique. <b>Florence Mbuthia</b>	Reaching the 1st 95 in South Sudan - A program to optimize HIV case finding through a multi-strategy and Data Driven Approaches in Western and Central Equatoria States, South Sudan. <b>Gregory Jagwer</b>	Community Attitudes and Perceptions of Epilepsy in an Onchocerciasis-Endemic Region of Tanzania: Findings from a Mixed-Methods Study. <b>Vivian Philemon Mushi</b>
	Programmatic Outcomes Of A Chronic Care Unit In A Humanitarian Setting: The MSF Experience In Malakal, South Sudan. <b>Kwan Okuki Mayiik</b>	Accounts for discontinuing oral HIV pre-exposure prophylaxis among women at high risk of HIV in Tanzania. A mixed-method study. <b>Wigilya P. Mikomangwa</b>	Stakeholders Perceptions on Current Mass Drug Administration Program and the Proposed Fixed-Dose Combination of Ivermectin and Albendazole in Kwale County, Kenya. <b>Lydia W. Kibe</b>
	Health-related quality of life among adult patients with cancer in Uganda cross-sectional study. <b>Allen Naamala</b>	HIV virological failure with Dolutegravir among female sex workers in Western, Kenya: Preliminary reports of HIV drug-resistance. <b>Olipher Makwaga</b>	Understanding Key Factors Contributing to Mental Health Challenges Among Paediatric Nurses: A Systematic Review. <b>Godfrey Mbaabu Limungi</b>
	Experiences of adult patients with cancer at a Specialized cancer	Prevalence And Factors Associated With HIV-1 Drug Resistance Mutations Experienced In Second Line	Association Between Fruits & Vegetable consumption, Physical Activity and Biological

	care facility in Uganda. <b>Allen Naamala</b>	Treatment Of Patients In Rwanda, 2012 -2022. <b>Leonce Majyambere</b>	Measurements among adults in Vihiga. <b>Miriam Bosire</b>
	Access to Surgical Services in Central Equatoria State, South Sudan: A Baseline Cross-Sectional Assessment to Inform National Surgical Policy and Planning. <b>Majok Deng Akok</b>	The Effects of Hepatitis-B Virus Co-infection on CD4 Cell Count Recovery in HIV Infected Patients on antiretroviral therapy (ART) in the Tigray region of northern Ethiopia: A Retrospective Cohort Study. <b>Haileselassie Bisrat</b>	Challenges of diagnosis and management of ureteric fistula at FISPRO in Democratic Republic of the Congo. <b>Baraka Munyanderu Albin</b>
	Community-Based Networks Integration into Boma Health Initiative: South Sudan Experiences. <b>Amanya Jacob and David Okello</b>		Detection and Transmission Dynamics of Intestinal Schistosomiasis among Primary School Pupils in Tharaka Nithi County in the Mt. Kenya Highlands. <b>Anthony</b>
	Healthcare Manager Perspectives On Direct Health Facility Financing In Tanzania. <b>Kassimu Tani</b>		The Prevalence Of Chronic Headache Among Medical Students In The University Of Juba. <b>Rafat Mohammed Salih</b>
			Attitudes of Medical Professionals towards Mentally ill Patients: A Cross-sectional study at Juba Teaching Hospital. <b>Jonathan Majok</b>
			Healthcare Provider Perspectives on Influencing Factors and the Sustainability of Psychosocial Support Services for Children and Young People Living with HIV in East Africa. <b>Jean Berchmans</b>
			The Prevalence of Allergic Rhinitis Among Adults In Juba City, South Sudan. <b>Alfred A. Mariak</b>

			Psychometric properties of the EORTC QLQ-C30 in Uganda. <b>Allen Naamala</b>
16:45 – 17:15	Q & A	Q & A	Q & A
17:15-17:30	Health break		
17:45-18:30	<b>Chair:</b> Dr. Zechariah Malel  <b>Rapporteur:</b> All  <b>Timekeeper:</b> Dr. Joyce Kiden		
17:45-18:15	<b>Plenary Session 3:</b> Keynote Speech  <b>Venue:</b> Eagle Ball Room  Strengthen One Health approach to address communicable and non-communicable diseases  Dr. Calvin Sindato Kimaro Principal Research Officer and Head of Station, National Institute for Medical Research, Tabora Station-URT		
18:15-18:30	Q &A		
	<b>End of Day 1</b>		
<b>Thursday, 26th June 2025</b>			
08:30-09:00	<b>Chairperson:</b> Dr.Kediende M Chong  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> All  <b>Timekeeper:</b> Mr. Nicholas Gift <b>Plenary Session 4:</b> Keynote Speech  <b>Venue:</b> Eagle Ball Room Harnessing digital solutions to strengthen health systems Mr. Claudel Sebananwa E-health Advisor  Digitization Directorate General-Rwanda/MoH		
09:00 – 09:10	Q & A		
09:15-10:15	<b>e-Poster Presentations Sessions 1: The Blue Bar</b>		
	All e-poster presentations		

<b>Screen #1:</b> Access to quality healthcare <b>Chair:</b> Dr. Ajak Makor	
	<p>1.The importance of scientific conferences in improving medical services in South Sudan. <b>Jok Thikuiy</b></p> <p>2. Service availability in the first three months of the Health Sector Transformation Project Implementation, South Sudan. <b>John Rumunu</b></p> <p>3. Performance of Community Health Promoters in Mwea West Sub-County, Kirinyaga County, Kenya. <b>Mercy Irene</b></p> <p>4. Self-medication practices and associated risk factors among students at University of Juba. <b>Sylvester Pio John</b></p> <p>5. Enhancing Human Papillomavirus (HPV) Immunization Coverage through Integration with COVID-19 Vaccination Efforts in Njombe Region, Tanzania. <b>Catherine Bunga</b></p> <p>6. Availability of Health Services in Primary Schools in Juba City. <b>A. Philip Wani Lokok</b></p> <p>7.Community-Directed Ivermectin Treatment in Maridi, South Sudan: Evaluating the Impact of Onchocerciasis Awareness Campaigns and Biannual Distribution on Therapeutic Coverage. <b>Stephen Raimon</b></p> <p>8. Demographic Predictors of Inpatients Postdischarge Stay in Referral Hospitals in Kisumu County, Kenya. <b>Eunice Awuor</b></p>
<b>Screen #2:</b> Communicable disease/ Malaria <b>Chair:</b> Assoc. Prof. Kenneth Lado Lino	
	<p>1. Changing Clinical Characteristics of Severe Malaria in Eastern Uganda. <b>Peter Olupot-Olupot</b></p> <p>2. Malaria molecular surveillance in Western Equatoria State, South Sudan. <b>Valentina Mangano</b></p> <p>3. Phenotypic characterization of pseudokinase pPK4 knockout lines in <i>Plasmodium yoelii</i>. <b>Edwin Too</b></p> <p>4. Evaluating the Performance of HRP2-Based RDTs in Asymptomatic Malaria Amidst pFHRP2/3 Gene Deletions in Tanzanian Villages. <b>Ernest Mazigo and Winifrida Kidima</b></p>
<b>Screen #3:</b> Non-Communicable Diseases <b>Chair:</b> Dr. Chol O Giel	

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Characteristics and treatment outcomes among diabetes patients seeking care at empower sites in Kenya. <b>Josephine Muiru</b></li> <li>2. Diabetes and hypertension among HIV positive patients co-infected with COVID-19 in eastern Uganda: a retrospective study. <b>Otaala Timothy</b></li> <li>3. Magnitude and correlates of overweight or obesity among adults with long-term diabetes mellitus in rural Uganda: a cross-sectional study. <b>Boniface Lumori</b></li> <li>4. The prevalence of hypertension among University of Juba teaching staff. <b>Diana Lou</b></li> <li>5. Physical activity levels and its associated factors among adults in Vihiga county, Kenya. <b>Miriam Bosire</b></li> <li>6. Evaluating the effectiveness of first-aid training for road traffic accidents among commercial motorcyclists and cyclists: a quasi-experimental study. <b>Gerard Nyiringango</b></li> <li>7. Integrating One Health Approaches For The Management Of Communicable And Non-Communicable Diseases. <b>Marthe Uwamariya</b></li> <li>8. Knowledge, attitudes and perceived risks of diabetes among students in the University of Juba. <b>Emma Sebit</b></li> </ol>
<b>Screen #4: HIV and TB</b> <b>Chair: Prof. Simon Deng</b>	
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Clinical outcomes and associated factors amongst HIV persons co-infected with COVID-19 in two large regional referral hospitals in Eastern Uganda. <b>Otaala Timothy</b></li> <li>2. The Effect of HIV prevention programs among Key Populations and the observed HIV case identification shift to a Priority Population in Njombe and Mtwara Regions, Tanzania. <b>Boniface Muhagama</b></li> <li>3. Molecular Characterization of HIV-1 Subtypes Circulating in antiretroviral therapy exposed individuals in Western Kenya. <b>Maureen Adhiambo</b></li> <li>4. Geospatial Analysis of Delayed and Non-Delayed Tuberculosis Diagnoses in Nairobi County, Kenya. <b>David Majuch Kunjok</b></li> <li>5. Xpert MTB/RIF Ultra CT Value: A Quick Indicator of Sputum Bacillary Load and Smear Status Prediction in Individuals with Pulmonary Tuberculosis. <b>Davis J. Kuchaka</b></li> </ol>
<b>Screen #5: Maternal, Child, neonatal and adolescent health</b> <b>Chair: Dr. Zechariah Malel</b>	



	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Factors Contributing To Increased Number Of Pregnant Mother's With Anemia In Rural Areas, Cross Section Study At Rch Kabanga Hospital In Kigoma. <b>Saul Kalivubha</b></li> <li>2. Provision of care services contributing to the prevention of HIV and mother-to-child transmission in the Far North region of Cameroon. <b>Augustin Murhabazi Bashombwa</b></li> <li>3. Prevalence of Syphilis and Associated Factors Among Pregnant Women Attending Antenatal Care in Juba Teaching Hospital, Juba, South Sudan. <b>Moses Milia Peter</b></li> <li>4. A Case Study on the Causes of Maternal Deaths Among Pregnant Mothers in the Maternity Ward of Juba Teaching Hospital, 2022. <b>Moses Milia Peter</b></li> <li>5. Role of adolescent girls in Human Papillomavirus vaccination decision making in Africa: a systematic review. <b>Kelvin Oruko</b></li> <li>6. Evidence of cross-transmission of multi-drug resistant Enterobacter cloacae complex from the hospital environments to the neonates admitted in the intensive care unit of a tertiary health facility in Tanga, Tanzania. <b>Athanas Dustan Mhina</b></li> <li>7. Serological Status of Vaccine and Hepatitis B Virus Exposure among Children Under 5 and Aged 15 and 17 Years in Kampala, Uganda. <b>Fahad Muwanda</b></li> <li>8. Assessing the Effectiveness of the Complementary Nutritional Program on Pupil Health and Academic Performance in Public Primary Schools in Munuki Block, Juba County, as of May 2023. <b>Moses Milia Peter</b></li> </ol>
10:15 – 10:30	Q & A
10:30 – 11:00	Health Break
11:00 – 11:30	<p><b>Chairperson:</b> Dr. Kenneth Lado  <b>Rapporteur:</b> All  <b>Timekeeper:</b> Dr. Godwin Ohisa</p> <p><b>Plenary Session 5:</b> Keynote Speech</p> <p><b>Venue:</b> Eagle Ball Room  Improve health financing and social protection, access to quality healthcare and services to accelerate the achievement of universal health coverage</p> <p>Dr. Alain Ndayikeza  Lecturer at National Public Health Institute (INSP), Bujumbura), Burundi</p>
11:30 – 11:45	Q & A
	<b>Parallel Session 2</b>

11:45 – 12:45	<b>Hall: Executive Lounge</b> <b>Session Chair:</b> Dr. Chan Deng  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> Dr. Aluel Mangar, Mr. Patrick Kenyi  <b>Timekeeper:</b> Dr. Joseph Giir  <b>Access to Quality Healthcare</b>	<b>Hall: Foyer Room</b> <b>Session Chair:</b> Dr. Morris Ama <b>Rapporteurs:</b> Dr. Angelo Aruop, Dr. Aluel Mangar, Dr. Luka Dut  <b>Timekeeper:</b> Mr. Mut Shiguok  <b>ICT and Digital Health</b>	<b>Hall: Eagle Ball Room</b> <b>Session Chair:</b> Dr. Zechariah Malel  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> John Baraka, Egbabolo Hannah Manza  <b>Timekeeper:</b> Dr. Sarah Zakaria  <b>Sexual and Reproductive Health</b>
	Community-based networks integration into boma health initiative: South Sudan experiences. <b>Amanya Jacob and David Okello</b>	A situation assessment on demand-and-use of locally generated research evidence among sub-national public healthcare workers: a case of pilot facilities in Kenya. <b>James Kariuki Ngumo</b>	Cervical cancer screening program in South Sudan, progress and challenges. <b>Idyoro Ojukwu</b>
	Assessment of quality indicators of laboratory services at Ruhengeri level 2 teaching hospital. <b>Celestin Musabyumuremyi</b>	Factors Affecting The Utilization Of Logistics Management Information System In Public Health Facilities: Case Of Juba County, South Sudan. <b>Estella Bojo Elia</b>	Prevalence And Associated Risk Factors Of Hepatitis B Virus Infections Among Women Of Reproductive Age In Juba City, South Sudan. <b>Ezbon WApary</b>
	Prevalence of depression and its associated factors among adolescents living with HIV in post-conflict Juba City, South Sudan. <b>Rama Moses Toe</b>	Living in information limbo: the experience of internally displaced persons in South Sudan. <b>Atemthi D. Dau</b>	Estimated use of emergency contraceptive pills in Mainland Tanzania. <b>Kijakazi Obed</b>
	A Facility-Based Evaluation Of Health Service Availability In South Sudan. <b>Amanya Jacob</b>	Leveraging Media Monitoring To Reposition Public Health Intelligence: Lessons From Kenya, January 2024 February 2025. <b>Philip Ngere</b>	Knowledge, Attitude And Uptake Of Cervical Cancer Screening Among The Female Population At Gulu University. <b>Milton Anguyo</b>

	Characterization Of Key And Vulnerable Populations Accessing HIV Mobile Testing Services In Mbeya And Songwe Regions From 2019-2021, Survey From Mobile Laboratory. <b>Lilian Njovu</b>	Translating Science For Better Health Emergency Preparedness Through Global Health Security Interface: A Challenge In Low Income Countries. <b>Dr Adamu Dalhatu</b>	Uptake Of Cervical Cancer Screening Among Women Aged 30 And 49 Years In Rwanda: A Scoping Review. <b>Emile Sebera</b>
	Refashioning Hiv Services To Increase Uptake Of Services Among Men In Western Equatoria, South Sudan. <b>Gregory Jagwer</b>	Implementing The First Electronic Medical Records (EMR) System In South Sudan Lessons Learned, Benefits, And Challenges. <b>Dr. Kediende Chong</b>	Attitudes And Perceptions About Family Planning Among Juba Residents. <b>Oburak Moses</b>
	Patient Satisfaction Survey In A Public Hospital: Remera Rukoma District Hospital, Rwanda, 2023. <b>Emile Sebera</b>	Malaria Data Quality Audit A Game Changer In Early Detection And Monitoring Of Malaria Epidemics: A Situational Analysis Of West Pokot County, Kenya. <b>Duncan Ongayi</b>	Prostate Cancer In Patients With Suspected Benign Prostate Hypertrophy In Juba, South Sudan: A Retrospective Study. <b>Malong Aguer</b>
	Use of transient elastography to detect liver fibrosis in adults with chronic hepatitis b in rural Uganda. <b>Boniface Lumori</b>	How power bi visualization was implemented to enhance DHIS2 data use for HIV programs in South Sudan. <b>Dr. Kediende Chong</b>	Study of the knowledge, attitude and practices of condom use among students of University of Juba. <b>Amaya Peremona</b>
	Development of a field deployable handheld electrochemical biosensor for detection of aflatoxin b1 in grains. <b>David</b>	Evaluating The Usage Patterns, Enablers, And Barriers Of The East Africa Community Health Web Portal As A Single-Point-Of-Access Of Information. <b>James Kariuki Ngumo</b>	Ovarian cancer and primary peritoneal carcinomatosis: similarities and challenges of management in the East African community. <b>Prof. Albino Amum Awin</b>
	How To Conduct An Effective Stakeholder Engagement In Global Surgery: Insights From The	Understanding The Role Of Data Governance In Implementing Digital Health Systems: A Case Of Digitisation Of The Health	Effect of female partner-led brochure method on knowledge and intention for prostate cancer screening among men in Kiambu County, Kenya. <b>Dr. Peterson Kariuki</b>

	1st Pan-Tanzanian Gastroschisis Symposium. <b>Dr. Godfrey Sama</b>	System In Kenya. <b>Ayub Many</b>	
		Perceptions Towards Use Of Social Networking Groups For Health Education And Information Among Middle Aged Female Adults. <b>Asenath Nyantika</b>	Prevalence and perceptions of voluntary medical male circumcision among the students of the University of Juba in South Sudan. <b>Kon Alier</b>
		Integration Of Machine Learning Algorithms In Yellow Fever Surveillance Data Analysis In Kenya. <b>Seth Ouma Okeyo</b>	A Qualitative Study Of Knowledge, Perceptions and Barriers To Cervical Cancer Screening Among Women In Nairobi County, Kenya. <b>Melvine Obuya</b>
		Predicting Mosquito Age And Species With Mid-Infrared Spectroscopy and Ai: A Cost-Effective Alternative Method For Enhanced Malaria Surveillance, Ifakara Health Institute, Tanzania: 2024. <b>Amos Okot</b>	Impact of community strategy on uptake of reproductive tract infections health services among young street females in Eldoret Municipality, Kenya. <b>Violet Maritim</b>
		Information System For Integrating Clinical and Genomic Infectious Disease Data In Tanzania. <b>Melkiory Beti</b>	Knowledge, Perception and Practices Of Young Adolescents Regarding Family Planning Methods Used At Jarama Health Center-Ngoma-Rwanda. <b>Bugingo Irene</b>
		Snaics - Snakebite Awareness And Artificial Intelligence Identification In Communities: Implementation And Insight From South Sudan. <b>Gabriel Alcoba</b>	Evolutions in breast cancer management, from heroic radicalism through conservatism stage and the role of neoadjuvant and adjuvant therapies; tips and tricks. <b>Prof. Albino Amum Awin</b>
		Development Of A Machine Learning-Based Early Warning System For Predicting Diarrhea Outbreaks Among Under-Five Children: A Case Of Selected Regions In Tanzania. <b>Patrick Kimu</b>	Predictors of Hepatitis B virus vaccine uptake among women of reproductive age, South Sudan. <b>Ezbon WApary</b>

			Evaluation Of The Intercostal Artery Perforator Flaps (Itap) And Lateral Thoracic Artery Perforator Flap (Ltap) In Partial Breast Reconstruction Following Breast Conservative Surgery. <b>Prof. Albino Amum Awin</b>
12:45 – 13:00	Q & A	Q & A	Q & A
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch Break		
14:00 – 14:30	<b>Chairperson:</b> Dr. Zechariah Malel <b>Rapporteurs:</b> All <b>Timekeeper:</b> Dr. Sarah James		
	<b>Plenary Session 6:</b> Keynote Speech <b>Venue:</b> Eagle Ball Room Reproductive Maternal, Neonatal, Child, and Adolescent Health Dr Garang Dakjur Lueth		
14:30-14:45	Q & A		
15:00-16:00	<b>Parallel Session 3</b>		
	<b>Hall: Eagle Ball Room</b> <b>Chair:</b> Dr. Garang Dakjur Lueth  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> Dr. Godwin Ohisa, Mr. Mut Shiguok, Dr. Viviana Enoka  <b>Timekeeper:</b> Dr. Sarah James  <b>Maternal, Neonatal, Child and Adolescent Health</b>	<b>Hall: Executive Lounge</b> <b>Chair:</b> Dr. Simon Deng  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> Dr. Joyce Kiden, Dr. Aluel Mangar  <b>Timekeeper:</b> Mr. John Baraka  <b>Work Environment, Antimicrobial Resistance and Biosecurity</b>	<b>Hall: Foyer Room</b> <b>Chair:</b> Dr. Onwar Adiang  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> Dr. Joseph Giir, Ms. Miukau Amina. Mr. Patrick Kenyi  <b>Timekeeper:</b> Nicholas Gift  <b>Communicable Disease</b>
	Sexual Behavior And Teenage Pregnancy: A Scoping Review. <b>Sammy Baya</b>	Environmental Reservoirs And Transmission Pathway Of Nontyphoidal Salmonella In An Urban Informal Settlement In Nairobi, Kenya. <b>Collins K. Kebenei</b>	Community power: how citizen assemblies are transforming malaria prevention in rural Rwanda. <b>Pierre Gashema</b>

	Foetal Factors Associated With Preterm Births Among Mothers Delivering At Kiambu Level Five Hospital, Kenya. <b>Magret Karugu</b>	Metagenomic And Antimicrobial Resistance Genes Profiles In Urban Informal Settlement In Nairobi, Kenya. <b>Collins K. Kebenei</b>	Predictors Of Mosquito Nets Utilization In South Sudan: Statistical Modelling. <b>Amanya Jacob</b>
	Dietary Patterns, Risk Factors And Occurrence Of Hemorrhoids Among Pregnant Mothers Attending ANC Clinic At A Private Faith-Based Hospital In Western Kenya. <b>Asenath Nyantika</b>	High Dominance Of CTX-M and TEM Genes From The Enterobacteriaceae Family Revealed For The First Time In Burundi. <b>Armstrong Ndiokubwayo</b>	Knowledge, Attitudes, Ownership and Utilization Of Long-lasting Insecticide Mosquito Nets In South Sudan. <b>Amanya Jacob</b>
	Determinants of Low Birth Weight Prevalence Among Children Born Between May 2024 And October 2024, in Leer County, Unity State, South Sudan. <b>Bany Houth Puot</b>	Carbapenemase-Producing Enterobacterales Recovered From Nairobi River, Kenya Surface Water And From Nearby Anthropogenic And Zoonotic Sources. <b>Rael J Too</b>	Malaria Parasite Burden In Settings Across Uganda Receiving Different Combinations Of Mosquito Vector Control Interventions. <b>Erick Jacob</b>
	Evolution And Determinants Of Antenatal Care Services Utilization Among Women Of Reproductive Age In Rwanda: A Scoping Review. <b>Emile Sebera</b>	Assessment Of Bacterial Contamination And Their Antimicrobial Susceptibility Of Public Buses At Musanze Park Station In Rwanda. <b>Celestin Nshimyumuremyi</b>	Community Voices: Addressing Barriers To Malaria Prevention And Treatment In Namayingo District, Uganda. <b>Michael Omoding Adengo</b>
	High Viral Load Suppression After Implementation Of An Asset-Based Strategy - Operation Triple		Assessment Of Different Genotyping Markers And Algorithms For Distinguishing Plasmodium Falciparum Recrudescence From Reinfection In Uganda.

	Zero For Children, Adolescents And Young People On Art In Four Health Facilities Of South Sudan. <b>Gregory Jagwer</b>		<b>Alex Mwesigwa</b>
	Prevalence Of Depression Amongst Pregnant Women Attending Juba Teaching Hospital. <b>Jonathan Majok</b>		Nano Formulation And Preclinical Evaluation Of A Triple Combination Antimalarial Therapy: Dihydroartemisinin-Lumefantrine With Primaquine. <b>Jeremiah Gathirwa</b>
			Performance And Comparative Evaluation Of A Novel Diagnostic Assay, Novaplexâ, q Malaria Assay, Against Routine Diagnostic Techniques In The Detection Of Different <i>Plasmodium spp.</i> In Kenya. <b>Lewis Karani</b>
			Evaluation of the Efficacy Of Artemether Lumefantrine In Uncomplicated Malaria Patients In Kwale County. <b>Kelvin Thiongo</b>
			Asymptomatic Malaria: A Hidden Reservoir For The Transmission And Circulation of Artemisinin Partial-Resistant <i>Plasmodium falciparum</i> In Tanzania. <b>Ernest Mazigo</b>
16:00-16:15	Q & A	Q & A	Q & A
16:20-17:20	<b>e-Poster Presentations Session 2: The Blue Bar</b>		
<b>Screen #1:</b> Communicable Diseases: Neglected Tropical Diseases <b>Chair:</b> Dr. Ajak Mako <b>Co-chairs:</b> Dr. Angelo Aruop, Dr. Sarah James			
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Soil Transmitted Helminths (STH) And Water, Sanitation And Hygiene Wash): An Integrated Approach To Disease Control, A Case Of Mwibona Ward, Vihiga County Kenya. <b>Fanuel Khainga</b></li><li>2. Integration Of NTDs And Social Innovation For Elimination Of Human African Trypanosomiasis (HAT) Transmission In South Sudan. <b>Amanya Jacob</b></li></ol>		

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. Multi-Sectorial And Community Collaboration For Mosquito Surveillance to Accelerate Lymphatic Filariasis Elimination In Mkinga District Northeastern Tanzania. <b>Salum Aziz</b></li> <li>4. Using Community-Based Participatory Approaches To Improve Access To Mass Drug Administration For Trachoma Elimination In A Pastoral Conflict Area Of Kenya. <b>Paul M Gichuki</b></li> <li>5. Molecular Characterization Of Urogenital Schistosomiasis In Shinyanga And Misungwi Districts, North-Western Tanzania In Year 2021 Using Rapid Diagnostic Multiplex PCR. <b>Yasinta Daniel</b></li> </ol>
<b>Screen #2: ICT and Health Systems Strengthening</b> <b>Chair:</b> Assoc. Prof. Kenneth Lado <b>Co-chairs:</b> Mr. John Baraka, Mr. Mut Shiguok	
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Technical Co-Operation Project Omics Training: A Case Study Of Japan International Cooperation Agency -Technical in-country Training Phase 1 And Prospects For Phase 2 And Beyond-Kenya: <b>Jeremiah Ndeto</b></li> <li>2. Genomic characterization of Vibrio cholerae Isolates from Outbreaks in 2024 in Burundi by Whole Genome Sequencing: Preliminary results. <b>Néhémie Nzoyikorera</b></li> <li>3. A Comparison of the performance of Sanger and Oxford Nanopore Technology sequencing platforms for the detection of Polioviruses: Kenya Move Towards Self-Reliance. <b>Mercy Akinyi Onyango</b></li> <li>4. Resilience to Ebola importation: A case study of priority-1 risk, neighboring Yei River State, South Sudan. <b>Dr. John Rumunu</b></li> </ol>
<b>Screen #3: Work environment, antimicrobial resistance and biosecurity</b> <b>Chair:</b> Dr. Chol O Giel <b>Co-chairs:</b> Dr. Aluel Mangar, Dr. Sarah Zakaria	
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Evaluating the Efficiency of DHIS2 system in COVID-19 Surveillance: A Case Study of Nairobi County. <b>Seth Ouma Okeyo</b></li> <li>2. Implementation of DHIS2 System for National HIV Response Program Performance Monitoring in South Sudan (2019 and 2024). <b>Drate Akubaru</b></li> <li>3. Leveraging Digital Solutions and Cross-Border Surveillance to Enhance Epidemic and Pandemic Preparedness. <b>Marthe Uwamariya</b></li> <li>4. Improving reporting of HIV commodity stock status in an ART-accredited site in Kampala, March to August 2024. <b>Tracy Maureen</b></li> <li>5. Newborn and stillbirth routine data recording and reporting systems from health facilities: findings of the IMPULSE observational study in Central African Republic, Ethiopia, Tanzania and Uganda. <b>Franossco Togon</b></li> </ol>



**Screen #4:** Preparedness and response to epidemic and pandemic

**Chair:** Dr. Bith Abraham

**Co-Chair:** Dr. Luka Dut

1. Insights from seventeen years experience of quality monitoring and laboratory accreditation maintenance at NIMR-Mbeya Center. **Miri Mcharo**
2. Factors Contributing to Occupational Hazards Among Healthcare Workers at Gurei Primary Healthcare Centre (PHCC). **Moses Milia Peter**
3. Investigating the Rising Cases of Hepatitis B Infections and Associated Risk Factors Among Populations in Juba, South Sudan. **Moses Milia Peter & Amany Jacob**
4. Food Safety Knowledge and Practices of Street Food Vendors in Kiambu County, Kenya. **Joyce Kiden Tartisio Ware**
5. Genomic Insights of Multi-drug resistant Non-typhoidal Salmonella among children in the Urban Slums of Nairobi, Kenya. **Kelvin Kering**
6. Incorporating genomics in routine vector surveillance: *Anopheles coluzzii* detection, insecticide resistance profiles and population genetic structure in relation to conspecific populations in West and Central Africa. **Luna Kamau**
7. Genomics Landscape of Quinolone Resistant and ESBL-producing *Klebsiella pneumoniae* in Tanzanian Referral Hospitals. **Boaz Wadugu**
8. Insecticide Resistance Status of *Anopheles arabiensis*, a Major Malaria Vector, in Rice Irrigation Schemes in Kenya. **Winfred Mutwiri**
9. Malaria Transmission Dynamics, Status and Insecticide Resistance in Anopheline Mosquitoes in Isiolo County, Northeastern Kenya. **Stanley Kitur**
10. Balancing Benefits and Consequences: Environmental and Community Health Impacts from Upstream Natural Gas Operations - A Review. **Epaphroditus Sabuni**

**Screen #5:** Sexual and reproductive health

**Chair:** Dr. Zechariah Malel

**Co-chairs:** Mr. Nicolas Gift, Dr. Chan Deng

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A Study Of The Knowledge, Attitudes And Practice Of Condom Use Among Students In The School Of Medicine And Engineering, University Of Juba. <b>Deng Moko</b></li> <li>2. Prevalence and Associated Factors of Family Planning among Students of Health Training Institutes in Juba: A Cross Sectional Descriptive Study. <b>Simon D. Nyicar</b></li> <li>3. Prevalence and associated factors of Syphilis among women engaged in transactional sex in Rwanda. <b>Leonce Majyambere</b></li> <li>4. Predictors of Violence Against Women and the Help-Seeking Behaviours in Rwanda: Systematic Review. <b>Emile Sebera</b></li> <li>5. Factors Associated With Modern Contraceptive Use Among Men And Women Of Reproductive Age In Kwale County, Kenya. <b>Diana M. Atieno</b></li> <li>6. Sexual -Transmitted Diseases Among Pregnant Women and Voluntary Counseling and Testing Attendants in Malakal Town, Upper Nile State, South Sudan. <b>Simon D. Nyicar</b></li> <li>7. Prevalence of emergency use of contraceptives among students at University of Juba. <b>John Dak</b></li> </ol>
17:20 - 17: 35	Q & A
17:40 -18:00	Health break
	<b>End of Day 2</b>
<b>Friday, 27th June 2025</b>	
08:30 – 09:00	<p><b>Chairperson:</b> Dr. Lina Mathew</p> <p><b>Rapporteurs:</b> All</p> <p><b>Timekeeper:</b> Dr. Viviana Enoka</p> <p><b>Plenary Session 7:</b> Keynote Speech</p> <p><b>Venue:</b> Eagle Ballroom</p> <p><b>Herbal and Traditional Medicine</b>  Dr. Beatrice Irungu  Senior Principal Research Scientist- Republic of Kenya</p>
09:00 – 09:15	Q & A

09:20- 10:20	<b>Parallel Session 4</b>		
	<b>Hall: Executive Lounge</b>  <b>Session Chair:</b> Dr. Lina Mathew  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> Mr. John Baraka, Dr. Viviana Enoka, Mr. Patrick Kenyi  <b>Timekeeper:</b> Mr. Mut Shiguok  <b>Traditional and Herbal Medicine</b>	<b>Hall: Foyer</b>  <b>Session Chair:</b> Dr. Onwar Adiang  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> Mr. Nicholas Gift, Dr. Joseph Giir, Mr. Patrick Kenyi  <b>Timekeeper:</b> Ms. Miukau Amina  <b>Communicable Diseases: Neglected tropical diseases</b>	<b>Hall: Eagle Ballroom</b>  <b>Session Chair:</b> Dr. Boniface Lumori  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> Dr. Sarah James, Mr. Nicholas Gift  <b>Timekeeper:</b> Mr. John Baraka  <b>Preparedness and Response to Epidemic and Pandemics</b>
	Integration Of Traditional Medicine Into The Burundian Healthcare System: Lessons From The Tanzanian Context. <b>Aminadab Havyarimana</b>	Determinants Of Hand Hygiene Behaviors In Flood Affected Areas Of South Sudan: A Formative Research Study. <b>Chol Peter Bak Wol</b>	The Predominant Risk Factor For Developing A Severe Case Of COVID-19 In Inpatients, Khartoum, 2021. <b>Athiei Costa</b>
	Prevalence Of Traditional Medicine Use Among Patients Attending The Diabetic Clinic At Mulago National Referral Hospital- Kiruddu. <b>Simon Dembe Kasango</b>	Sanitation, Hygiene Status And Carcass Contamination With <i>Escherichia coli</i> 0157:H7 At Meat Handling Sites In Iganga Municipality. <b>Igeme</b>	Insights From A Field Evaluation Of Hepatitis E Diagnostics During An Outbreak In Bentiu, South Sudan. <b>Aybüke Koyuncu</b>
	Perceptions, Attitudes, And Practices Regarding Traditional Medicine Use Among Families With Mental Disorders In Rwanda. <b>Pierre Ndikumwenayo</b>	Treatment Coverage Achieved Under Two Enhanced Mass Drug Administration (Mda) Regimens For Trachoma In The Republic Of South Sudan (RSS): Enhancing The A In Safe (Etas) Trial Results. <b>Stephen Ohidor</b>	High Confidence And Demand For Hepatitis E Vaccine During An Outbreak In Bentiu, South Sudan: A Qualitative Study. <b>Aybüke Koyuncu</b>
	Ethnobotanical Study Of Medicinal Plants Used In The	Completing The Trachoma Map In The Republic Of South Sudan (Rss): Results Of Three Baseline	Application Of Lot Quality Assurance Sampling Survey For Quick Gap Identification

	Treatment Of Diabetes In Burundi. <b>Anatole Bukuru</b>	Prevalence Surveys In Eastern Equatoria State (EES), 2023-2024. <b>Stephen Ohidor</b>	And As A Prioritization Tool For Action During Water And Sanitation Related Outbreaks. <b>Amanya Jacob</b>
	Medicinal And Nutritional Floristic Potential Of Relic Forests In Kaziba Traditional Landscape. <b>Ndeko Mubembe</b>	Interleukin-4/Interleukin-13-Mediated Susceptibility To <i>Leishmania mexicana</i> In Balb/C Mice Is Independent Of Macrophage/Neutrophil-IL-4/IL-13 Signaling. <b>Bernard Ongondo Osero</b>	Evaluating The Yellow Fever Outbreak Response: An Intra-Action Review In Western Equatoria State, South Sudan. <b>Atemthi D. Dau</b>
	Investigating Medicinal Plants Used To Treat Respiratory Diseases In The Afro-Mountainous District Of Burundi. <b>Jacques Nkengurutse</b>	Development And Validation Of Novel Test System For Serodiagnosis Of Louse-Borne Relapsing Fever In Nairobi Kenya. <b>John Njeru</b>	Genomic Monitoring And Tracking Of Mpox Virus Clade Ib During The Ongoing Mpox Outbreak In Burundi. <b>Néhémie Nzoyikorera</b>
	Bridging The Gap: The Case Of Herbal Medicine And Natural Products Innovation Incubation Hub At Pharmbiotrac For Sustainable Healthcare In East Africa. <b>Eng. Anke Weisheit</b>		Assessing Laboratory Capacity For Sample Collection And Referral During The Anthrax Outbreak Response In Amudat District, Uganda In June 2024. <b>Nabatta Esther</b>
	Ethnobotanical Studies Of Pesticidal Plants Against Human Harmful Insects In Burundi. <b>Rose Ahishakiye</b>		First Outbreak Of Rift Valley Fever In Burundi, 2022: Field Investigation, Virus Molecular Detection And Genome Characterization. <b>Canesius Nkundwanayo</b>
	Ethnobotanical Survey Of Medicinal Plants Used For Treatment By The Batwa Indigenous People And Local Communities Of Kisoro District, South Western		Use Of Regionalized Laboratory Services In Supporting Response To The Cholera Outbreak: Case Of Cholera In Kasensero Landing Site In Lake Victoria, Kyotera District, May 2024. <b>Tracy Maureen</b>

	Uganda. <b>Francis Omajul</b>		
	Green synthesis and comparative analysis of 5-Bromo benzoxazolone derivatives via microwave and reflux methods for potential analgesic application, <b>Dr. Dane Sadaraka</b>		The Role Of The Laboratory In The Effective Response And Control Of A Viral Conjunctivitis Outbreak, Kampala, Uganda, March 2024. <b>Wilfred Opelli</b>
			Laboratory-based evaluation of the diagnostic accuracy of three commonly used Mpox Diagnostic PCR Tests in the EAC Region for detection of the Clade Ib Variant in EAC Region. <b>Néhémie Nzoyikorera</b>
10:20 – 10:35	Q & A	Q & A	Q & A
10:35 – 11:05	Health Break		
11:10- 12:10	<b>Parallel Session 5</b>		
	<b>Hall: Eagle Ballroom</b>  <b>Session Chair:</b> Dr. Boniface Lumori  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> Dr. Sarah James, Mr. John Baraka  <b>Timekeeper:</b> Mr. Nicholas Gift  <b>Communicable Diseases: Tuberculosis</b>	<b>Hall: Executive Lounge</b>  <b>Session Chair:</b> Dr. Viviana Enoka  <b>Rapporteur:</b> Dr. Joseph Giir  <b>Timekeeper:</b> Mr. Mut Shiguok  <b>Food Security and Nutrition</b>	<b>Hall: Foyer</b>  <b>Session Chair:</b> Dr. Harriet Pasquale  <b>Rapporteur:</b> Dr. Luka Dut  <b>Timekeeper:</b> Ms. Miukau Amina  <b>Health Financing and Social Protection</b>
	Drivers Of TB Prevalence, Incidence, And Barriers To Uptake Of Health Services And Retention In Care In Namayingo District Uganda Community Voice	Assessment Of Malnutrition Status Among Children Aged 6-59 Months Attending Primary Healthcare Services In Juba, South Sudan. <b>Amanya Jacob</b>	Impact Of Implementing Bottom Up Quantification On Health Commodities Availability In Dodoma Region, Tanzania: Pre And Post Implementation. <b>Msafiri Reginald Chiwanga</b>

	Perspective. <b>Michael Omoding Adengo</b>		
	Finding Pulmonary Tuberculosis In Children In South Sudan And Uganda: A Prospective Observational Study. <b>Lazro Fidelle</b>	Factors Influencing Malnutrition In Children Under Five Accessing Health Services At Kator PHCC. <b>Philip Dau Garang Kiir</b>	Population Health Needs And Health Systems Readiness In The Context Of Universal Health Coverage Implementation In Bomet County, Kenya. <b>Priscah Otamba</b>
	An Assessment Study On Level Of Knowledge In Tuberculosis Screening Among The Community Members In Meru County, Kenya. <b>Martin Njiru</b>	Predictors of Iron-Rich Foods Consumption Among Children Aged Between 24-59 Months in the Eastern Region of Burundi. <b>Belyse Munezero</b>	Impact Of Reimbursable Out-Of-Pocket Expenditures On Hospital Utilisation For Maternal And Child Healthcare: Evidence From The Babygel Study. <b>Francis Okello</b>
	A Cost-Effectiveness Analysis: Pooling Sputum Testing to Diagnose Tuberculosis Using Xpert MTB/RIF Ultra In Public Hospitals. <b>Silas Onyango</b>	Risk Factors For Food Contamination Among Children 6-59 Months Discharged From Community Management Of Acute Malnutrition (CMAM) Programmes For Severe Acute Malnutrition (Sam) In Aweil East, South Sudan. <b>Amanya Jacob</b>	Public Financing Evaluation For Nutrition In Burundi: Towards A Healthy Population And Productive Human Capital. <b>Celestin Sibomana</b>
	Active And Latent Tuberculosis Among Public Transportation Workers In Nairobi, Kenya. <b>Asiko Ongaya</b>	School Re-Entry Among Adolescent Mothers In The Context Of Nurturing Care For Children 0-3 Years In Kenya. <b>Mutisya Maurice</b>	
	Tackling Mycobacteria Tuberculosis (MTB) Resistance: Berberine And Related Compounds As Potential Novel Pathogen Efflux Pump Inhibitors.		

	<b>Robi Maryline Chacha</b>		
	Cost-Effective And Efficient Tuberculosis Diagnosis: Evaluating Sputum Pooling With Xpert MTB/RIF Ultra In Rwanda. <b>Francois Hakizayezu</b>		
	Association Of Human Cytomegalovirus (HCMV) Exposure With Tuberculosis Disease Susceptibility In TB Presumptive South African Adults. <b>Derrick Semugenze</b>		
12:10 - 12:30	Q &A	Q &A	Q &A
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch Break		
13:45	<b>Closing Ceremony:</b> Guest of Honour <b>MCs:</b> Dr. Patrick Sokiri / Sarah Atoch <b>Hall:</b> Eagle Ballroom		
13:45 – 14:15	<b>Presentation of the outline of recommendations from the 10th EAHSC – Dr. Steve Wandiga</b>		
14.15 – 14.30	Evaluation of the conference		
14:30 – 15:00	Awards to Winners – Guest of Honour		
15:00 – 15:20	Speech by Hon. Minister Chairperson of the EAC Council of Ministers		
15:20 – 15:40	Remarks by the Ministry of Health of South Sudan, and handover to the Minister of Health of the Republic of Uganda		
15:40 -16:00	Vote of Thanks and invitation to the 11 <sup>th</sup> EAHSC by the Minister of Health of Republic of Uganda		
16:00-16:20	Closing speech by the Hon. Minister of East African Community Affairs Republic of South Sudan		
16:20-17:00	Refreshments and snacks		
17:00	END		