INTERNATIONAL VIRAL HEPATITIS ELIMINATION MEETING

# **IVHEM 2017**

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IVHEM is a global forum for the exchange of practical experiences for translating diagnostic and therapy advances of viral hepatitis into broad applications that accelerate progress toward elimination of viral hepatitis as a public health threat.

#### WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

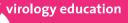
Medical professionals, including but not limited to Clinicians, Researchers, Public Health representatives, Industry representatives, who look beyond the individual patient and who would like to be involved in the elimination of viral Hepatitis.

#### **MEETING OBJECTIVES**

- Identify the roadblocks and the challenges to come to an integrated approach to eliminate viral hepatitis.
- Identify the needs from the public health perspective.
- Get a cross-disciplinary discussion started.
- Create a platform for collaboration and national action plans.

#### WHY SHOULD YOU ATTEND?

The workshop provides a cross-disciplinary platform for information exchange between experts involved in the treatment of hepatitis-infected patients. Your participation is essential in order to take the necessary steps forward to eliminate viral hepatitis.



Registration and information: www.virology-education.com

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#### FRIDAY 17 NOVEMBER 2017

12:00 Lunch

13:00 Welcome and opening

Setting the stage - Key challenges in elimination

#### 13:20 Session 1: Test & screening strategies

WHO status report: Global response to the strategic framework

Global response to the strategic framework - Technologies perspective

Country examples

15:00 Coffee break

#### 15:30 Session 2: Care & cure strategies

How to measure your success - globally & locally

Global trends in burden of disease

Real-life experiences - bottlenecks & hurdles:

Egypt

Australia

the Netherlands

Brazil

India

Pakistan

China

Nigeria

Panel discussion

18:00 Networking reception

#### SATURDAY 18 NOVEMBER 2017

7:30 Early bird coffee

### 8:00 Session 3: Prevention & screening strategies

Prevention transmission strategies prior to infection: IVU drug user population

Prevention transmission strategies on treatment: Pediatric population

Prevention transmission strategies through strenghing the health system

10:00 Coffee Break

## 10:30 Session 4: Innovative models to finance the health care problem

How to get elimination financed - perspective of the major donors/partners

Roundtable discussion:

Practical Barriers in implementation

14:15 Closure of the Workshop

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