Second meeting of the Social Protection Action Research Knowledge Sharing (SPARKS) network

Karolinska Institutet: Stockholm, Sweden

30-31 May, 2018

DAY 1: WEDNESDAY 30 th MAY				
Time	Session	Speaker		
Session 1	Welcome and introduction to the meeting			
9.00-9.10	Welcome from the Head of Department	Marie Hasselberg, Karolinska Institutet (KI)		
9.10-9.20	Meeting objectives	Knut Lönnroth, Delia Boccia, KI/ London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine (LSHTM)		
Session 2	Overview of global initiatives regarding universal health coverage and social protection			
9.20-9.40	Universal Health Coverage, social protection and the End TB Strategy	Nobuyuki Nishikiori, World Health Organization (WHO)		
9.40-10.00	Social protection and P4Health	Dorjsuren Bayarsaikhan, WHO		
10.00-10.20	Does cash provide a pathway to wellness? Evidence from the Transfer Project	Leah Prencipe, UNICEF		
10.20-10.30	Questions and discussion	Knut Lönnroth, KI		
10.30-11.00	Fika (coffee break)	·		
11.00-11.20	Social protection initiatives as part of Swedish Development	Ulrika Lång, Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency (SIDA)		
11.20-11.40	The possibilities for improvement of the coordination between health and other social protection policies during times of sickness	Luciana Servo, Institute for Applied Economic Research (Ipea)		
Session 3	TB patient cost surveys to monitor the End TB Strategy target and improve TB service delivery, financing and social protection	Chair: Nguyen Binh Hoa, Vietnam NTP/ Vietnam Global Fund TB Project		
11.50-12.10	Global Progress in TB patient cost surveys: implementation and policy translation	Ines Garcia, Andrew Siroka, WHO		

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12.10-12.20	Questions and discussion	Knut Lönnroth, KI
12.20-13.30	Lunch break	
13.30-13.50	The China TB patient cost survey: results and implications for policy	Zhang Hui, China Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)
13.50-14.10	The Kenya TB patient cost survey: results and implications for policy	Enos Okumu Masini & Eunice Mailu, WHO, Kenyan National TB Programme
14.10-14.25	Questions and discussion	Kerri Viney, KI
14.25-15.00	Fika (coffee break)	
Session 4	Impact of social protection on TB prevention and care: Results of completed studies	Chair: Anurag Bhargava, Yenepoya Medical College and McGill University
15.00-15.20	Community randomized evaluation of a socioeconomic intervention to prevent TB (CRESIPT)	Carlton Evans, Innovation For Health And Development, Imperial College London, UK, and Universidad Peruana Cayetano Heredia
15.20-15.40	Social protection for tuberculosis patients in Nigeria – what is the evidence?	Kingsley Ukwaja, Federal Teaching Hospital, Abakaliki
15.40-16.00	The cost and social consequences of accessing TB diagnostic evaluation services for patients with chronic cough in Uganda	Priya Shete, University of California San Francisco (UCSF)
16.00-16.20	Assessing the TB impact of achieving the Sustainable Development Goals: findings and methodological challenges	Daniel Carter, LSHTM
16.20-16.40	The role of social protection in mitigating catastrophic costs for TB patients: evidence from Brazil and Ghana	Debora Pedrazzoli, William Rudgard, WHO/ LSHTM
16.10-17.00	Discussion and close	Delia Boccia, LSHTM

DAY 2: THURSDAY 31st May				
Time	Session	Speaker		
9.00-9.10	Welcome to day 2			
Session 5	Ongoing and planned studies on social protection and TB: potential for generic research protocols	Chair: Ewan Tomeny, Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine (LSTM)		
9.10-9.40	Social protection for health improvement and access (SOPHIA)	Delia Boccia, Mauro Sanchez, Ethel Maciel, LSHTM/Federal University of Espirito Santo/Federal University of Brasilia		
9.40-10.00	Future studies on TB and social protection – examples from Nepal, Mozambique and Viet Nam	Tom Wingfield, Salla Atkins, Keri Viney, University of Liverpool (UoL)/ University of Tampere (UoT)/KI		
10.00-10.30	Questions and discussion	Delia Boccia, LSHTM		
10.30-11.00	Fika (coffee break)			
Session 6	Working groups - future development of SPARKS			
11.00-11.10	Outline of planned group work	Knut Lönnroth, Nobuyuki Nishikiori, KI/ WHO		
11.10-12.30	Breakout sessions: 1. Systematic reviews	Chairs for breakout groups: 1. Delia Boccia and Tom Wingfield, LSHTM/UoL		
11.10-12.30	 2. Generic protocols for social protection mapping and epidemiological research 3. Generic protocols for intervention studies 4. Beyond TB – access barriers to social protection and fundamental needs for other conditions 	 Amy Collins and Debora Pedrazzoli, WHO Salla Atkins and Kerri Viney, UoT/KI TBD 		
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Session 7	Summary and future development of SPARKS	
15.15-15.30	SPARKS Communication strategy	Kristi Sidney Annerstedt, KI
15.30-16.00	Summary, next steps and close	Knut Lönnroth, Delia Boccia KI/ LSHTM