



**Coalition for Global Hearing Health
14th Annual Conference
Wellington, New Zealand January 16 – 18th**

Presession Workshops January 16th

8:00 - 10:00	Tinnitus Management
8:00 - 10:00	Auditory Processing Disorders
8:00 - 10:00	Cerumen Management
9:00 AM - 3:00 PM	Operating a Field Based Earmold Lab
10:30 - 12:30	Hearing Rehabilitation
10:30 - 12:30	Hearing Aid Repairs and Trouble shooting
10:30 - 12:30	Hearing Loss Prevention Strategies: From birth to geriatrics
1:30 - 3:30	Discussions in Infant Hearing Screening: A Problem-based Workshop
1:30 - 3:30	Implementation of Ear and Hearing Care into Primary Care: Training, strategies and challenges
1:30 - 3:30	Planning and Executing Exemplar Outreach in Low- and Middle-Income Regions

Welcome Reception at 6 PM



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CGHH Plenary Session January 18, 2025

ROOM 1			ROOM 2		ROOM 3	
Time	Presenter	Title	Presenter	Title	Presenter	Title
8:00		Welcome / Introduction				
8:15	John Newall	Pathways to Scalable Hearing Intervention in Low-and Middle-Income Countries				
9:00		Approaches to Low Cost Hearing Aids				
10:00	BREAK					
10:30	Ifeanyichukwu Veronica	Otitis Media as a Primary cause of Childhood Deafness in Nigeria	John Newall	What does culturally responsive hearing care look like? An international Delphi study	Samuel James	Leveraging Telehealth to Enhance Hearing Health Services in Rural Nigeria: A Pilot Study
10:50	SAURABH VARSHNEY	Effect of Electromagnetic Radiation from Mobile Phones on Auditory system	Dinukshi Ileperuma	Promoting a Family and Community-Centered Approach to Hearing Loss in a hearing healthcare facility in Sri Lanka	Hannah Ditmars	How an Interprofessional Collaboration to Provide Tele-Audiology Is Improving Access to Early Hearing Detection and Intervention in Rural Nebraska



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Room 1

11:10	SAURABH	VARSHNEY	Clinical study of Unilateral sensorineural hearing loss (USNHL) and its impact on QOL
11:30	Gayla	Guignard	Working in Community to Effect Change

Room 2

Sepiuta	Lopati	Ear and Hearing care in Tonga
Achataseh	Godwill	Promoting Early Detection and Management of children with Hearing Impairments: A case presentation of Cameroon Baptist Convention (CBC) Health Services Pilot Initiative for Neonatal Ear Screening in Cameroon

Room 3

Tersia	De Kock	Leveraging Mobile-Health Technology for Community-Based Hearing and Vision Services in Preschool Children in South Africa
Thomas	Hampton	Suitability and Acceptability of a bone conduction assistive technology for school age children with hearing impairment in Blantyre, Malawi
Isaack	Myovela	Management of Assistive Technology for Enhancing Academic Performance to Children with hearing impairment

12:00 **LUNCH**



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1:00	Nyilo	Purnami	Genetic mapping and pedigree analysis of non-syndromic congenital deafness in Surabaya, Indonesia			
1:45	Ann	Porter	Family / Community Empowerment Panel			
	Lindiwe	Ndimande	Empowering Families			
	Carmen	Olmos Zavala	Empowering the next Generation: Driving Social Innovation Through Strategic Partnerships			
2:30	POSTER SESSION WITH AFTERNOON TEA					

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3:50	DIEGO JOSE	SANTANA HERNANDEZ	Ear and Hearing Care Advocacy for shy people: The time is now!	Shabina	Dean	Findings from Case Studies of Children with Microtia in Fiji	Peter	Bartlett	Growing the audiology profession in Malawi: Next steps for the pioneering audiology degree program initiated by EARS Incorporated.
4:10	John	Newall	Factors influencing the accessibility and use of hearing services by diverse ethnic communities in Australia	Alice	IGIRANEZA	Empowering Women and Girls with Hearing Loss in Kigali: The Nurturing Dignity Project (NDP)	Norberto	Martinez	Certification Course for Community Ear and Hearing Health Care: Bridging the Gap



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4:30	Pavithra	Ravi	Assessment of prevalence and follow-up rates of ear and hearing related conditions using asynchronous video-otoscopy in a community: A preliminary study "Innovative	Nancy	Taglialegne	ONLINE REGISTRATION SYSTEM OF PATIENTS DIAGNOSED WITH HEARING LOSS	Philip	Newall	Helping out with Hearing in Samoa
4:50	Beder Awil	Abdilahi	Approaches to Promoting and Enhancing Hearing Health Services in Low-Resource Communities Decolonising Hearing Healthcare Community	Xue Zhong	Liu	Genetic factors in care of patients with hearing loss – focus on minority status	CHUNGHYEON	OH	Establishing a Foundation for Otolaryngology Training in Pacific Island Countries
5:10	Mershen	Pillay	Participation in the Majority World: Cases from Sri Lanka and South Africa						

GALA DINNER at 7 PM



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8:00	Peter	Thorne	WHO Ear and Hearing Care Programs in the Western Pacific						
8:45									
9:00	Diego	Santana Hernandez	Hearing Health Advocate Report (30 min)						
9:30	Jackie	Clark	Infant Hearing Screening Best Practices (30 min)						
10:00	BREAK								
10:30	RIPU DAMAN	ARORA	Auditory Implications of Covid associated Mucormycosis: A Case-Control Study of Hearing Loss and Middle Ear Dysfunction	Norberto	Martinez	Standard whispered voice test sWVT as a hearing screening tool	Bangaly	Camara	Revolutionizing Training for the Education of Deaf and Mute Children in Guinea
10:50	Lakmini	Balasuriya	Adult Hearing Screening Programs in Rural Communities of Sri Lanka: A Pilot Initiative	Soami	Santiago	Prevalence of Tinnitus in Puerto Rican Adults; A pilot Study	Achataseh	Godwill	Promoting Access to Disability Inclusive Ear and Hearing Care Services in Hard-to-Reach Areas of Northwest Cameroon



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11:10	Sione	Pifeleti	PENTAG and it's role in the Pacific	Mujahid	Din	From concept to reality- the cochlear implantation programme in Kenya		Tare	Lowe	Exploring the New Zealand Audiological Society's journey towards honouring Te Tiriti o Waitangi and enabling a future of equitable hearing healthcare in Aotearoa	
11:30	Vindya	Geeganage	Addressing pediatric hearing health in Sri Lanka: Insights from school-based screening programs conducted in rural communities	richa	arya	Development of an IT solution to collect data of People with Hearing Impairment (PHI) of low and middle income families of Punjab, India		Mariama	Shaw	Enhancing Ear and Hearing Health	
11:50	RIPU DAMAN	ARORA	Estimating the Prevalence of Hearing Impairment Among Primary School Children in tribal region , Chhattisgarh, India	Nina	Patel	Lessons Learned from a Sustainable Hearing Screening Model in a Rural Community: Application in the Rural Western Region of the Dominican Republic		RISHI	BHATTA	Cross-sectional study on prevalence and causes of hearing impairments in Salyan and Surkhet districts of Karnali Province, Nepal	



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1:45	Greg	Basura								
2:30	BREAK									
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3:00	Charles	Umeh	Systematic Review of Telehealth for Enhanced Hearing Care in Low-Resource Settings.	Murali	Mahadevan	Relationality through our senses: transforming hearing healthcare through Indigenous ways of knowing, doing, and being	Ernestine	NGO MELHA	Making Hearing Health a Global Priority: Working towards a more multistakeholder approach	
3:20	Kabineh Moses	Bengeh	: Promote and enhance hearing health services in low resource communities	Jane	Lee	Transforming Hearing Health through Social Marketing	Natasha	Cloete	First Signs: Collaborating for success	



3:50	Vikas	Gupta	Prevalence of age-related hearing loss and its association with cognitive impairment, depressive symptoms, and quality of life	Abdoulaye	Keita	PRISE EN CHARGE DES OTITES EN MILIEU COMMUNAUTAIRE EN REPUBLIQUE DE GUINEE	Bopanna	Ballachanda	Hear care: A pilot project in Karnataka, India
4:10	Maria	Ah Kuoi	Prevalence and pattern of ear disease among primary school students in Samoa: Preliminary results from ENT Clinic outreach to urban, rural and remote settings	Wamusayi	Rogers	a community based family centered approach to effective management of the people with ear and hearing illness (a case of buwanga village clinic, masaka town council in Manafwa district	Dr. Gaelle	Vofo	A Combined Newborn Screening Approach for Hearing and Vision in Sub-Saharan Africa: First pilot Study in Cameroon
4:30	Wrap Up and Next Steps								



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Poster Presentations

Friday January 17th 2:30 PM

Promoting to Improve Ear and Hearing Health in Ghana	Dawson Jack James
Come on, protect your ears!	Ichlasul Mahdi Fardhani
An update on the ear screening assessment for communities of Lusaka Zambia	Dorica Chileshe banda
Hearwell Chatbot	Brian Ouma
All Ears Sign Language Training	Rachel Watson
Community development through an associative figure for people with hearing disabilities	Marbella Moreno
Hearing Loss: An overview of 280 patients' screening campaign	Fatma BEN AMOR
Music, hearing loss, hearing aids & cochlear implants	Felicity Bleckly
Come on, protect your ears!	Ichlasul Mahdi Fardhani
Improving Hearing Health in Low-Resource Communities: Awareness, Care, and Advocacy in Benin	Actions Durables Monde
Let's recognize the signs of hearing loss in children	Alma Devina Puspita Sari
Knowledge and attitudes of Pacific Islander doctors and medical students to childhood hearing loss and hearing services: Results of a structured questionnaire survey in Samoa.	Annette Kaspar
Early Detection of Children's Hearing Loss, Let's Go to Posyandu!	Ratih Saroya



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Aging Decreases Your Hearing Ability? Let's Get to Know Presbycusis!	Nur Atikah Luthfiyyah
H.O.P.E Cambodia, Brief Summary Introduction	Kim Hean CHHIM
Awareness and perceptions of university nursing students in Samoa towards childhood hearing impairment and hearing healthcare: A cross-sectional study.	Annette Kaspar
Validation of an mHealth based hearing screener (SRESHT) for early identification of hearing loss in children below 6 years of age in rural communities of India.	Deepashree Joshi
Don't Pick Your Ears! Let's Go to the ENT!	Nur Alfianti Putri
Prevent Deafness, Let's Set Up your Sound Speakers!	Arum Sekar
Don't underestimate the flu, it can have an impact on hearing loss!	Hazna Fridella
Knowledge and attitudes of female caregivers in Samoa to childhood hearing loss and hearing services.	Annette Kaspar
Exploring Stigma and Misconceptions of Hearing Loss and Hearing Aids: Cultural Barriers to Management in the Philippines	Joyce Rodvie Sagun
Knowledge and attitudes of school principals towards childhood hearing loss and hearing services: A cross-sectional survey to support the implementation of Inclusive Education in Samoa.	Annette Kaspar
Combined Vision and Hearing services at Community Level	Khin Hla
A Systematic Review of the Presentation, Diagnosis, Management, Follow-up, and Outcomes of Chronic Suppurative Otitis Media in Rural Areas of Sub-Saharan Africa	Patrick ISHIMWE
HearU International: An Innovative Approach to Minimizing Roadblocks and Building Sustainability Through Student Engagement and Non-Profit Partnerships	Stacie Ray
DeafBlind and Sexual Reproductive Health in Malawi	Ezekiel Kumwenda
Dreams come true. A Non-Profit impact in México leaded by a female audiologist.	Carmen Olmos Zavala