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EAST AFRICAN HEALTH RESEARCH COMMISSION**



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**Call for abstract**

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**Conference registration**

**For**

**The 6<sup>th</sup> Health and Scientific Conference  
and International Health Exhibition and Trade Fair  
March 29<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 Bujumbura, Burundi**





## MAIN THEME:

# PREPAREDNESS FOR AND CONTROL OF DISEASE OUTBREAKS, EPIDEMICS, AND PANDEMICS, IN THE CONTEXT OF CLIMATE CHANGE, GLOBALIZATION, AND GAPS IN HEALTH SYSTEMS

## SUB THEME:

1. Emerging, re-emerging infectious, and zoonotic diseases
2. Vaccines, diagnostics, and antimicrobial agents in control of communicable diseases
  - (a) Vaccine development
  - (b) Diagnostics development
  - (c) Antimicrobial agents
  - (d) Pharmacovigilance on antimicrobial agents
  - (e) Quality control of antimicrobial agents
3. Antimicrobial resistance
  - (a) Magnitude of the antimicrobial resistance
  - (b) Misuse and overuse of antimicrobial agents
  - (c) Impact of agriculture practice
  - (d) Impact of veterinary and animal husbandry practice
4. Health systems in control of outbreaks, epidemics, and pandemics
  - (a) Preparedness for and response to disease outbreaks
  - (b) Health System Strengthening
  - (c) Public health measures and control of outbreaks, epidemics, and pandemics
  - (d) One-and-Eco-health initiative
5. Social mobilization for control of outbreaks, epidemics, and pandemics
  - (a) Community health workers in Disease surveillance and response
  - (b) Health and Social protection
6. Occupational health and safety, Climate change





## SYMPOSIA

1. Lessons learnt from
  - Ebola outbreak: Way forward for Preparedness for and control of outbreaks
  - Recurrent Cholera epidemics: Way forward for preparedness for and control of epidemics
  - HIV pandemic: Preparedness for and control of the adverse events associated with chronic administration of ARV agents.
2. Gap between (mis) use of antimicrobial agents and policy on antimicrobial agents: the role of the partner states, and EAC
3. Mitigating impact of globalisation and climate change on health
4. Integrated Reproductive Maternal Newborn Child and Adolescent Health (RMNCAH) and HIV/AIDS

### Conference proceedings:

The proceedings of the conference and other health research articles will be compiled and published in the 1st Issue of the newly established

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