WHO Immunization Practices Advisory Committee - February 2017

DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

All fifteen current IPAC members updated their declaration of interest ahead of the 14-16 February 2017 meeting. Other meeting participants, including official IPAC Observers, do not take part in the decision-making and are thus not required to complete a declaration of interest.

Four members reported relevant interests, all of which were assessed not to constitute a conflict of interest and these individuals may take part fully in all discussions. All the reported relevant interests are summarized below.

David Brown
- Received consultancy fees as epidemiologist-in-residence within the field of immunization at the United Nations Children's Fund. The work was concluded in 2015. This interest was assessed as personal, non-specific and financially significant.
- Has been employed by Brown Consulting Group International, LLC since 2015, and has received funding support from the WHO, UNICEF and Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation for his work in immunization programme performance assessment, recording, reporting and home-based record projects, as well as an assignment in 2017 to characterize patterns in estimated coverage for measles containing vaccine and yellow fever and understanding deviations therein. This interest was assessed as personal, non-specific and financially significant.

Nora Dellepiane
- Has received consultancy fees from Serum Institute of India. This interest was assessed as non-personal, non-specific and financially significant. *
- Has received consultancy feeds from Temptime Corporation USA on temperature monitoring devices. This interest was assessed as non-personal, non-specific and financially significant. *
- Has received consultant fees as regulatory advisor from DCVMN. This interest was assessed as non-personal, non-specific and financially significant. *

Michael Free
- Was employed as Vice President and Senior Advisor for technology solutions for Path until 2014. Is now retired.

Kelly Moore
- Is employed as Director of the Tennessee Immunization Program, for the Tennessee Department of Health. As such, she is required to analyze

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1 * According to WHO's Guidelines for Declaration of Interests (WHO expert), an interest is considered "personal" if it generates financial or non-financial gain to the expert, such as consulting income or a patent. "Specificity" states whether the declared interest is a subject matter of the meeting or work to be undertaken. An interest has "financial significance" if the honoraria, consultancy fee or other received funding, including those received by expert's organization, from any single vaccine manufacturer or other vaccine-related company exceeds 10,000 USD in a calendar year. Likewise, a shareholding in any one vaccine manufacturer or other vaccine-related company in excess of 1,000 USD would also constitute a “significant shareholding”.

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proposed state legislation and offer expert advice to the Executive Branch on any legislation related to immunization. This interest was assessed as personal, non-specific and financially significant.*

- Is receiving consulting fees as a Special Government Employee as a member of the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) for the United States of America’s CDC. This interest was assessed as personal, non-specific and financially significant.*

- Has received research support as honoraria as faculty in a vaccine education course for the National Foundation for Infectious Disease (no commercial funding, non-profit foundation). This interest was assessed as personal, non-specific and financially significant.*

- Has testified on behalf of the State of Tennessee Immunization Program before the State Legislative Committees to advocate the interest of the Department of Health regarding bills they have considered in the past 3 years that would limit immunization requirements for students.

- Has testified before the United States Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor and Pensions, representing the Department of Health and state public health generally, concerning the safety and importance of measles immunization and other routine immunizations.

- Represented the US Association of Immunization Managers as a liaison to the CDC Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices, and involved representing the interests of state, local and territorial government-funded immunization programs. This public positioning was completed in 2015. This interest was assessed as non-personal, non-specific and financially insignificant.*