

Abbreviated Biosketch for Proposed Members of the Guideline Development Group for developing recommendations for testing *P. knowlesi* and use of rapid antigen tests for detection of *P. malariae*, and *P. ovale*.

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<p>Bio:</p> <p>Mikashmi Kohli completed her PhD in Molecular Medicine from the All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi, and did her postdoctoral fellowship at McGill University with the Pai Global TB group in Montreal, Canada. She has been working in the field of public health and for over 10 years now and has extensive training in evidence-based medicine. She has served on several WHO Guideline Development Group meetings developing Global Policy on diagnostics where she has supported evidence synthesis on new diagnostic tools using the GRADE process.</p> <p>She has worked on gender mainstreaming in the field of diagnostics and has developed various training materials for healthcare providers and policy makers to ensure gender equity in the field of diagnostics.</p> <p>She has worked extensively with the Cochrane Infectious Disease group in Liverpool and has authored several Cochrane reviews and meta-analyses for TB diagnostics. All of these reviews have been used to inform policy recommendations for the Global TB programme at the WHO.</p> <p>She is on the expert committee for the first Pre-qualification (PQ) for TB in-vitro diagnostic tools as well as supporting the technical specification series for computer-assisted detection for TB also for WHO PQ. She has also been leading the update of target product profiles for TB diagnostic tools.</p> <p>She has led several projects to assess the availability and accessibility of diagnostics in primary healthcare settings in low and-middle income countries. She is passionate about evidence driven policies and implementation strategies for diagnostics in Global Health. She has served on the Lancet commission on diagnostics where my work on cascade of care for different diseases and cost modelling was key in summarizing the Commission recommendations.</p>	

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