



Planning the First Releases of Gene Drive Mosquito Products: Site Preparation

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AGENDA

Objectives:

- 1) Consider common criteria for evaluating sites for first release of candidate gene drive mosquito products;
- 2) Review status of decision-making for investigational products aimed at preventing malaria transmission in Africa;
- 3) Discuss needs for ensuring site readiness and initiate planning for site preparation.

8:00	8:30	<i>Meet and greet + Breakfast</i>	
8:30	9:00	Goals of the workshop	<i>Stephanie James, Scott Miller</i>
9:00	9:30	Review of field testing recommendations	<i>Karen Tountas</i>
9:30	10:45	Results of site selection survey	<i>David O'Brochta</i>
10:15	10:45	Discussion of common criteria/principles	<i>All</i>
10:45	11:15	<i>Coffee break</i>	
		Status of product development timelines and site selection decisions	
11:15	11:45	Target Malaria	<i>Austin Burt</i>
11:45	12:15	UCI-Malaria Initiative	<i>Tony James, Greg Lanzaro</i>
12:15	12:45	Vigi Lab	<i>George Christophides</i>
12:45	1:15	Questions & Discussion	
1:15	2:00	<i>Lunch</i>	
2:00	3:00	Regulatory pathway	<i>Brinda Dass, Hector Quemada, Scott Shore</i>
3:00	3:30	Engagement pathway	<i>Claudia Emerson</i>
3:30	3:45	<i>Coffee break</i>	
3:45	5:00	Discussion of site preparation requirements and timelines	<i>All</i>
		Technical needs (<i>David O'Brochta</i> , moderator)	
		Regulatory needs (<i>Brinda Dass</i> , moderator)	
		Engagement needs (<i>Claudia Emerson</i> , moderator)	
5:00	6:00	Decision to Commit to File/Import/Release	<i>Scott Miller, Laura Norris</i>
		Next steps for planning	<i>All</i>
6:30	<i>Dinner (optional)</i>		

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