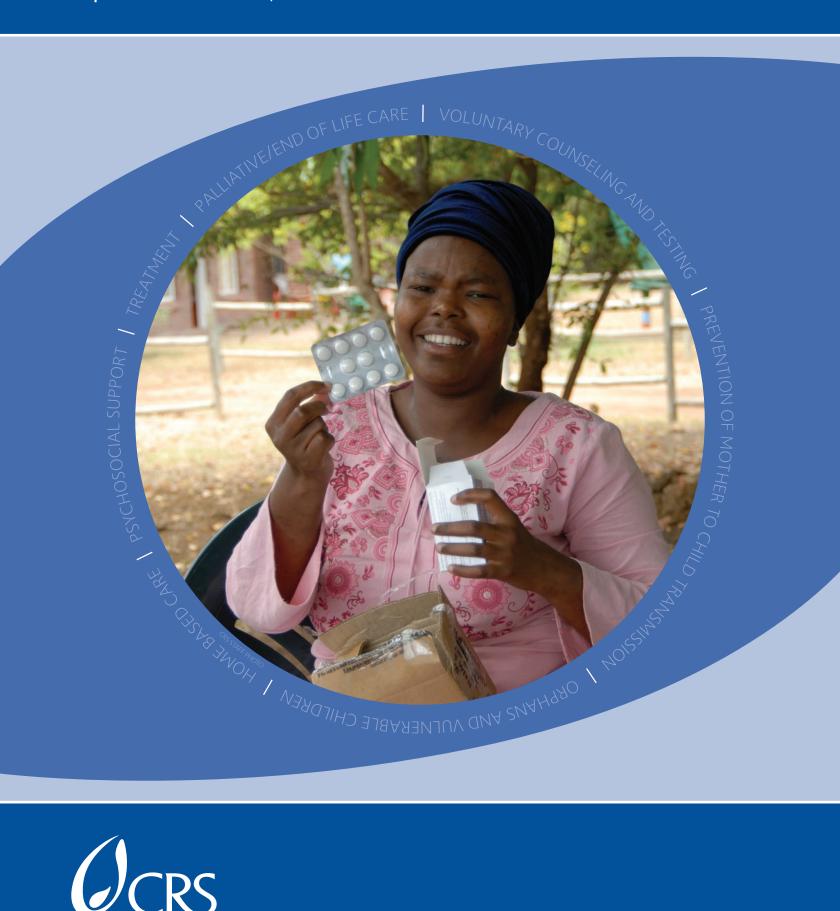
HIV Continuum of Care Forum

September 15 and 16, 2009





CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES

HIV CONTINUUM OF CARE FORUM

Tuesday and Wednesday, September 15 and 16, 2009

Academy for Educational Development

Conference Center 1825 Connecticut Ave., NW Washington, DC

ABOUT CRS:

Catholic Relief Services initiated its first HIV and AIDS program in 1986 in Bangkok, Thailand. CRS now has HIV programming in 62 countries across Africa and the hardest-hit regions of Asia and Latin America. CRS supports more than 280 HIV and AIDS projects in the poorest and most vulnerable areas of the developing world, with a total expected expenditure of \$170 million in 2009 alone. This year, CRS will help nearly 24 million people affected by the pandemic—more than 8 million directly and nearly 16 million indirectly.

CRS programming in HIV and AIDS has evolved to help individuals, families and communities as they struggle through the physical, economic, social and emotional devastation of the disease. Dignity and quality of life are at the heart of CRS HIV and AIDS programming. We also work to reduce the spread of the disease by addressing its fundamental causes and helping everybody understand the causes and options available to help reduce transmission of the disease. Through our vast network of local partners—including Catholic, governmental, and other faith-based and private organizations—we can support people and communities as they fight to stem the tide of this pandemic.

DAY 1: Tuesday, September 15, 2009

8:30-9:00 Registration & Check-in

9:00-9:45 Welcome:

Ken Hackett, President, Catholic Relief Services

Opening Remarks:

Dr. Joseph O'Neill, University of Maryland School of Medicine

Patricia Bass, Futures Group International

9:45-11:00 Panel 1: AIDSRelief Model of Care and Treatment

Moderator: Barbara Aranda-Naranjo, PhD (HRSA HIV/AIDS Bureau Global AIDS Program)

An Overview of AIDSRelief

Presenter: Michele Broemmelsiek

- Patient and Program Outcomes: Measuring Treatment Models in Resource Limited Settings
 Presenter: Kristen Stafford, University of Maryland School of Medicine Institute of Human Virology
- Community Based Treatment Support Services as a Vital Therapeutic Intervention Adherence Presenter: Martine Etienne, DrPH, University of Maryland School of Medicine Institute of Human Virology
- IQ Solutions: Innovation in Patient Monitoring and Management (PMM)
 Presenter: Bobby Jefferson, Futures Group International

11:00-11:15 Tea Break

11:15-11:30 Christine Katyeka (Zambia), Project Beneficiary

11:30-1:00 Panel 2: Prevention of Mother to Child Transmission & Pediatrics

Moderator: Sara Bowsky, (USAID)

Using Support Groups to Achieve PMTCT Goals (Uganda)

Presenter: Sr. Gertrude Kabanyomozi, Kasanga PHC

An Integrated Approach to Maternal-Child HIV Care

Presenter: Dr. Douglas Watson, University of Maryland, School of Medicine

Pediatric Counseling for Children Living with HIV

Presenter: Rose Nasaba, University of Maryland School of Medicine Institute of Human Virology

• Integrating OVC Care and Support in the School of Social Work Curricula (Vietnam)
Presenter: Dr. Tran Linh Giang

1:00-2:00 Lunch

2:00-2:15 Danny Lundu (Zambia), Project Beneficiary

2:15-3:30 Panel 3: Integrated Services

Moderator: Ann Hendrix-Jenkins (CORE Group)

- Integrating HIV and Abuse Prevention: A South African Case Study Presenter: Ruth Stark, PhD
- Reaching Out to Provide Integrated Services in Haiti

Presenter: Dr. Leonardo Shamamba

Community Based Recovery and Reintegration of Drug Users (Vietnam)

Presenter: Dr. Tran Linh Giang

The Good Food Toolkit (Cambodia)

Presenter: Dr. Pun Sok

3:30-3:40 Closing Remarks

Annemarie Reilly, Vice President, Overseas Operations, Catholic Relief Services

3:40 Poster Presentations

4:00 Tea Break & Meet the Presenters

DAY 2: Wednesday, September 16, 2009

8:30-9:00 Registration & Check-In

9:00-9:45 Welcome:

Sean Callahan, Executive Vice President, Overseas Operations, Catholic Relief Services

Opening Remarks

Ambassador Eric Goosby, United States Global AIDS Coordinator, Department of State Dr. Robert R. Redfield, University of Maryland School of Medicine Institute of Human Virology

9:45 - 10:00 Tichaona Mudhombi (Zimbabwe), Project Beneficiary

10:00-11:00 Panel 4: Addressing Health Needs of PLHIV

Moderator: Dr. George Siberry (NIH/National Institutes of Child Health and Human Development)

- Integrating HIV / TB Services in Rural Northwest Cambodia Presenter: Dr. Pun Sok
- Integration of Water, Sanitation and Hygiene into HIV Programming (Malawi)
 Presenter: Antonia Powell
- Providing Care & Support to Injecting Drug Users Living with HIV in Northeast India (India)

 Presenter: Anand Singh

11:00-11:15 Tea Break

11:15-12:30 Panel 5: Home-based Care and Palliative Care

Moderator: Alexzandra Shade (Foundation for Hospices in sub-Saharan Africa)

- SUCCESS Return to Life: A Sustainable Palliative Care Model for Developing Countries (Zambia)

 Presenter: Robert Makunu
- Integrating Positive Living Support Groups in Home-based Care for Recruitment and Retention (Malawi)

Presenter: Molly Lucy Chirambo

• Implementing the COSA Hearth Positive Deviation Model for Malnourished Adults (Rwanda)

Presenter: Phocas Ntahorugiye

12:30-1:00 Poster Presentations

1:00-2:15 Lunch

2:15-3:30 Panel 6: Achieving Sustainability

Moderator: Joan Holloway (OGAC)

- Health Systems Strengthening for ART Delivery and Sustainability (Kenya)
 Presenter: Martin Oluoch
- Transitioning to Local Leadership: A Lesson from Zambia

Presenter: Dr. Kazadi Mwayabo

• Transitioning to Local Leadership: A Lesson from South Africa

Presenter: Ruth Stark, PhD

3:30 Susan Muhindo (Uganda), Project Beneficiary

3:45 Closing Remarks

Dorrett Byrd, Director, Program Quality Support Department, Catholic Relief Services

3:50 Reception

PRESENTERS

(COUNTRY PROGRAM REPRESENTING)

Michele Broemmelsiek

Michele Broemmelsiek is Chief of Party for AIDSRelief, a five-member consortium funded through PEPFAR with CRS as prime grantee. In this role, Ms. Broemmelsiek works with consortium partners to administer the \$500 million USD grant, which provides antiretroviral therapy to underserved people in ten countries. Prior to joining AIDSRelief, Ms. Broemmelsiek was Regional Director of the CRS Southern Africa Regional Office (SARO), responsible for all programs in the SARO region, most notably, implementing those programs through an HIV lens. She previously served as the CRS Country Representative in Zambia,

where she helped assemble the initial AIDSRelief proposal and supported the consortium for its first three years. She has also managed CRS programs in Indonesia, East Timor and the Philippines.

Molly Lucy Chirambo (Malawi)

Molly Chirambo is an HIV Project Manager with the CRS Malawi country program, based in Lilongwe. She manages the Zomba Diocese Community Home Based Care project implemented by the Catholic Health Commission. In this role, Ms. Chirambo brought about the improvement of quality HBC, the development of an M&E Operations Manual, and the integration of positive living support groups into the project. She was voted CRS Malawi Programming Unit Top Performer for 2008. With CRS Malawi since 2006, she also

Top Performer for 2008. With CRS Malawi since 2006, she also serves on the national Community Home-based Care technical working group. Ms. Chirambo holds a degree in Business Administration from Malawi College of Accountancy and received Advanced Project Management training from Frontline Institute in Zimbabwe.

Martine Etienne

Martine Etienne is a trained epidemiologist specializing in the design, implementation and evaluation of HIV and AIDS care delivery programs nationally and internationally for the last five

years. She currently serves as the Director of the Community Based Treatment Support Services programs of the AIDSRelief consortium. She has recently developed an adherence curriculum entitled "A Guide to Providing Highly Supportive Antiretroviral Treatment and Maximizing Adherence in Resource-Limited Settings" which is being used in nine AIDSRelief country programs. She has also conducted international focus group discussions to help target some of the factors associated with patient adherence to antiretroviral treatment. Through this process, she designed and piloted the Patient Adherence Survey, which is currently being used as part of the evaluation of patient adherence in the AIDSRelief country program.

Bobby Jefferson

Bobby Jefferson is the Senior Health IT Advisor representing Futures Group International on

the AIDSRelief consortium. He leads the HMIS technical strategy and informat-

ics solutions for delivering HIV-EMR solutions, as part of Futures work under the program. His specific focus is health IT technical leadership and IT project management to deliver health informatics solutions using open source platforms as part of the technical architecture in rural and resource-poor environments. Mr. Jefferson has worked on AIDSRelief since 2004 and has been a leader in the development of the HIV Electronic Medical Record (EMR) systems, IQCare

and the IQSolution strategy for health informatics, integrating the use of GIS, GPS, SMS, mobile and PDA devices and complying with data exchange standards needed to generate strategic information for USG, PEPFAR and ministry of health (MOH) reporting.

Sister Gertrude Kabanyomozi (Uganda)

Sister Gertrude Kabanyomozi is the ART Program Coordinator with AIDSRelief Uganda. She oversees the ART program and PMTCT activities at the grass roots level, especially supporting Kasanga Primary Health Center. Her work with the PMTCT support group has a special focus on pregnant women living with HIV and lactating mothers. Board for Kasese Diocese. Prior to joining CRS, Sister Gertrude was the Kasese Diocese

Health Coordinator. Sister Gertrude holds a Master of Art in Human Services from St. Edward's University, Austin, Texas.

Giang Tran Thi Linh (Vietnam)

Giang Tran Thi Linh is the HIV and Health Project Coordinator with CRS Vietnam. Some of her many project responsibilities address the serious shortage of social workers in her country and supporting drug users at risk for contracting HIV. Dr. Tran has been with CRS for five years and concurrently serves on technical working groups for HIV and children affected by and infected with HIV. She has worked closely with minority and other marginalized communities in Vietnam, bringing together various sectors and levels to assure service delivery to beneficiaries in this unique operating environment. Dr. Tran holds a Doctor of Medicine (MD) from Hanoi Medical University

with a specialization in traditional medicine, and a Master of Health Social Science from Mahidol University, Thailand.

Robert Makunu (Zambia)

Robert Makunu serves as Technical Manager for the CRS Zambia SUCCESS Return to Life project. Mr. Makunu has over 17 years of health and development programming experience, with half that time devoted to palliative care, HBC, STD control, and OVC care and support. He has been with CRS for five years, primarily in Kenya. With the SUCCESS project, he supports the holistic care model with its community counseling and testing, and adherence support, as well as linkages to ART. PLHIV have the opportunity through this program to "return to life." Mr. Makunu holds a Diploma in Clinical Medicine from Kenya Medical Training College, a Higher Diploma in Community Health from AMREF International Training Center, and a Masters of Business Administration from Moi University.

Jean Claude Kazadi Mwayabo (Zambia)

Kazadi Mwayabo is the Sustainability Coordinator for the AIDSRelief Program in CRS Zambia, leading the transition from CRS to a local partner as lead agency. He has been with CRS for four years and concurrently serves on PMTCT/Pediatric

and ART technical working groups, and is a member of Zambia's Global Fund Country Coordinating Mechanism (CCM). Dr. Mwayabo is also very active in Western Province, serving as Director of the provincial Blood Bank, Hospital Director of Sichili Mission Hospital, and Head of the Medical Department of Lewanika General Hospital in Mongu. Prior to joining CRS, Dr. Mwayabo worked in Democratic Republic of Congo as a clinician and in Ethiopia as a Pediatric HIV and AIDS Clinical Mentor under the Clinton Foundation. He received a Doctor of Medicine (MD) from the University of Lubumbashi, Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC), and his Master of Public Health from the University of Point Care, Nancy, France.

Phocas Ntahorugiye (Rwanda)

Phocas Ntahorugiye is a nutritionist with the CRS Rwanda country program, based in

Kigali. He has been with CRS for three years, and he has applied the Positive

Deviance/Hearth model to adult malnutrition in PLHIV and other vulnerable households, with good results. Mr. Ntahorugiye previously served in DRC as a Nutrition Emergency Specialist assisting Rwandan refugees in camps in North Kivu, Goma, DRC. His prior experience also includes monitoring and evaluation in a child survival program, and coordinating an HIV prevention project in Byumba Catholic Diocese in Rwanda. Mr.

Ntahorugiye received a degree in public health from Université Ouverte, Campus de Goma, DRC.

Martin Oluoch (Kenya)

Martin Oluoch is the Technical Advisor for Health Systems Strengthening with the AIDSRelief Consortium, Kenya program. Before joining CRS, Mr. Oluoch served on the Kenyan National Health Sector Reform Committee and the Kenyan Presidential Committee on Urban Land Use and Development. Prior to joining CRS, Mr. Oluoch was the Planning Manager for Kenyatta National Hospital and the National Project Coordinator for the Human Rights House Network. Mr. Oluoch holds a Master of Science in Health Planning, Policy and Development from the University of Wales and a Bachelor of Arts in Economics and

Political Science from the University of Nairobi and multiple certificates in health care management.

Antonia Powell (Malawi)

Antonia Powell is the head of the Health and HIV Unit with CRS Malawi, based in Lilongwe. She supports a team of national staff and local partners to implement programs in HBC, as well as for OVC throughout the country. Ms. Powell has been with CRS for four years and previously managed maternal child health and HIV prevention programs in Sierra Leone. She has eight years of experience implementing health programs in developing countries. Ms. Powell holds a Master of Science in Population and International Health from Harvard University and a Bachelor of Arts in Latin American Studies as well as Spanish and Portuguese from Stanford University.

Leonardo Shamamba (Haiti)

Leonardo Shamamba is the HIV and AIDS Reach Out Coordinator with CRS Haiti, based in Port-Au-Prince. Dr. Shamamba brings wide-ranging experience to his first year with CRS, having been a lecturer, a member of the Africa HIV and AIDS Team, and a member of several task forces. He has also worked in Niger, Somalia, and DRC. Currently he serves on the HIV and AIDS and Nutrition Cluster working group. Dr. Shamamba holds a Doctor of Medicine (MD) from Catholic University of Bukavu in DRC.

Chabungbam Anand Singh (India)

Anand Singh serves as an HIV Coordinator with CRS India in Guwahati, in North East, where HIV is driven by injecting drug users (IDU). Mr. Singh was a key supporter for CRS' inclusion in the State AIDS Steering Committees in three different states in North East India. He also serves as Technical Advisor to the Collaborative Fund for Treatment Preparedness. Before joining CRS in 2004, Mr. Singh worked with IDUs for 10 years in India, and he had worked for United Nations Development Program in Vietnam as well. He holds a Bachelor of Political Science degree from Manipur University in India.

Pun Sok (Cambodia)

Pun Sok is the Health and HIV/AIDS Program Manager for CRS Cambodia. He has been with CRS for over 2 years and is a member of the Cambodian National Orphan and Other Vulnerable Children Taskforce and serves as a steering committee member of MEDiCAM-NGOs Working in Health Sector taskforce. Prior to joining CRS, Dr. Sok worked as National Advisor to the Cambodian National AIDS that is mandated to coordinate the multi-sectoral responses to AIDS in Cambodia. He received a Doctor of Medicine (MD) from University of Health Science of Cambodia and a Master of Public Health from International University of Cambodia.

Rose Nasaba (Uganda)

Rose Nasaba is a pediatric and adolescent psychosocial advisor with the University of

> Maryland School of Medicine Institute of Human Virology, AIDSRelief

> Uganda. Ms Nasaba has ten years of experience providing psychosocial care and counseling for HIV infected children and adolescents. She has beenproviding technical assistance, mentoring and training to health care providers for more than eight years. Ms. Nasaba holds a Master of Arts in Social Sector Planning and Management and Bachelor of Arts in Social Work and

Social Administration from Makerere University in Kampala, Uganda.

Kristen Stafford

Kristen Stafford is the Director of the Outcomes and Evaluation Program for University of Maryland School of Medicine Institute of Human Virology's International Programs. Ms. Stafford has worked in the area of HIV and AIDS Care and Treatment for 14 years beginning as a direct service case manager in Baltimore. Kristen spent 9 years working in Ryan White programs, first as a service provider and then as in the Title I grantee's office for the Baltimore Eligible Metropolitan Area (EMA) where she helped design and then served as the Manager of the Quality Improvement Program for the EMA. Ms. Stafford transitioned to international work in August of 2004 when she joined IHV. She holds a Master of Public Health from Johns Hopkins University.

Ruth Stark (South Africa)

From 1978 to 1983, Ruth Stark worked at Stanford University Medical School as Director of Women's Health Care and Midwifery Education Project; a lecturer in the Department of Family, Community and Preventive Medicine; and Training Coordinator for the Stanford University Primary Care Associate Program. A member of the Southern African HIV Clinicians Society, she holds a Ph.D. in Health Services from Walden University, Minneapolis, MN. She also holds a Master's degree in Health Services from the University of California, Davis; an R.N. degree from the College of San Mateo in California; and Bachelors of Social Welfare from Arizona State University in Tempe. Under her leadership, the AIDSRelief program in South Africa is the first of the nine AIDSRelief programs to transition to the local partner, Southern Africa Catholic Bish-

ops' Conference, as lead agency.

Douglas Watson

Douglas Watson is currently an assistant professor of pediatrics, University of Maryland, medical director of pediatric HIV clinic, principal investigator for PHACS and IMPAACT clinical studies site, and director of Maternal-Child HIV Care component of University of Maryland School of Medicine, Institute of Human Virology AIDSRelief program. Dr. Watson attended medical school and pediatric residency at Washington University. He has completed a pediatric infectious diseases fellowship at Cleveland Metropolitan/Case Western Reserve a research fellowship at NIH.

POSTER PRESENTERS:

Alemayehu Gebremariam (Central Africa Region)

Aleyamehu Gebremariam serves as the Regional Technical Advisor for HIV in CRS' Central Africa Region office, based in Kinshasa. He provides technical support to CRS country programs in Rwanda, Burundi, Nigeria, Central African Republic, Chad, and Cameroon, contributing to strengthening M&E systems and developing manuals and guidelines. Mr. Gebremariam brings a

wealth of experience to his first year with CRS; he has over 15 years of experience managing and advising HIV and OVC programs with INGOs such as Save the Children, Concern International, Action Aid, and Clinton Foundation. He holds a Master of Public Health from the University of Gondar, Ethiopia.

Tina Monique James (Africa)

Tina Monique James is the Regional Technical Advisor/ Program Advisor for Africa for the CRS AIDSRelief Consortium. Dr. James has over 15 years experience in research and program areas of HIV and AIDS prevention. Since 1994, she has intermittently lived, worked, and traveled as a consultant in various countries in Sub-Saharan Africa; on such occasions, she has collaborated with governments, faith-based organizations, non-governmental organizations, and com-

munity-based organizations at the grass roots

level. Dr. James has a Bachelor of Science in Natural Science from Spellman Col-

lege, a Master of Public Health from the University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Public Health and Doctorate of Public Health from University of Texas Houston Health Science Center.

Alice Moyo (Zimbabwe)

Alice Moyo has been the Project Advisor for the Children Living with HIV and AIDS Project in the CRS Zimbabwe country program for two years. She serves on the PMTCT Working Group and ART Part-

nership Forum, coordinated by the Zimbabwe Ministry of Health and Child Welfare. To increase the focus on children living with HIV, Mrs. Moyo helped develop the "Community Based Volunteer Manual for Training Community Members in Pediatric HIV Care, Treatment and Support." Before joining CRS, she worked with several other child focused NGOs in Zimbabwe as a Program Officer, a PMTCT Counselor and trainer. Mrs. Moyo recently co-authored the "Guidelines for Establishing and Operating Successful Support Groups for PL-HIV," which was selected for poster presentation at the 2008 International AIDS Conference in Mexico City. She is completing the dissertation for her Master of Development Studies from the University of Free State, South Africa; she also holds diplomas in Project Management and Youth Development.

Adil Sheraz (Pakistan)

Adil Sheraz is a Senior Program Manager for HIV and AIDS programming in Pakistan, based in Islamabad. He has been with CRS for two and a half years, managing and providing technical assistance to local partners of CRS Pakistan who in turn provide home-based care in two provinces. Mr. Sheraz is also a member of the Advisory Committee for People Living with HIV and AIDS in Pakistan. His focus on working with the Pakistani government helped CRS to submit to Global Fund Round 9 as a Sub Recipient. Before coming to CRS, Mr. Sheraz worked with the Balochistan AIDS Network, a consortium focused on broad spectrum prevention of HIV among the general population, high risk and vulnerable groups. Mr. Sheraz holds a Master of Business Administration with specialization in Finance and

Human Resource Management.

SPEAKERS:

Patricia Bass

Patricia Bass has over thirtyfive years of experience as a
health and education professional. Her key areas of recent
focus have included: outcomes
and evaluations, access to health
services for the under and uninsured particularly HIV disease,
behavioral health and special needs
populations, and academic enrichment
for urban children. She has provided oversight
that is specific to monitoring public sector contracts, proposal writing, grants monitoring, program, fiscal, and personnel management.

She now serves as Senior Program/Operations Advisor with Futures Group International. In this capacity, she is responsible for the development and implementation of patient management and monitoring systems and program evaluation of the PEPFAR Track I activities for AIDSRelief. She received the National Red Ribbon Award for Policy in 2006 and was recognized in the US House of Representatives for her advocacy to ensure people living with HIV have access to quality health care.

Dorrett Byrd

Dorrett Byrd has been Director of the Program Quality Support Department at CRS since 2004. She manages the provision of technical assistance to CRS' 100 country programs and takes a lead role in developing agency strategy and policies. Additionally, she oversees implementation of the \$500 million AIDSRelief antiretroviral therapy project. She has particular expertise on Africa-related issues.

Previously, Ms. Byrd was Deputy Director for Overseas Operations. In this position, she provided policy and strategic guidance to CRS' operations agency-wide, promoted and supported CRS' growth objective, managing 3,500 staff. She also oversaw the agency response to numerous high-profile emergencies, including food crises in East and Southern Africa and

conflict in Sudan, DRC, Afghanistan, Iraq, Haiti and Kosovo. Ms. Byrd joined CRS in 1993 and has served as Country Representative in Senegal, Liberia, and Ethiopia.

> Ms. Byrd graduated cum laude from Brandeis University with a Bachelor of Arts in African and African-American Studiesand a Master of Arts in International Studies from the University of Denver.

As CRS' Executive Vice President for

Sean Callahan

Overseas Operations, Sean Callahan oversees programmatic activities in more than 100 countries, with an annual budget of over \$500 million and a staff of over 3,500. He ensures the fulfillment of the agency's mission which includes assistance to the poor, respect for human dignity, justice and peace and partnership with local institutions.

Mr. Callahan was previously Regional Director for South Asia, where his priority responsibilities included CRS operations in India, Pakistan, Afghanistan, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh and Nepal. Mr. Callahan has previous experience working in India, as the Representative of the CRS program in Eastern India/Kolkata. He has had a wide variety of experiences in South Asia, including representing CRS at the Asian Bishops Synod in 1998; working closely with Mother Teresa of the Missionaries of Charity in Calcutta; responding to flood,

drought, earthquake and man-made emergencies; experiencing a terrorist attack by the LTTE (Tamil Tigers) in the Sri Lankan airport; and facilitating programming in Afghanistan during and after the Taliban.

Mr. Callahan holds a Bachelor of Science in Spanish from Tufts University and a Master of Arts in Law and Diplomacy from the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy at Tufts University.

Eric Goosby

Ambassador Eric Goosby serves as the United States Global AIDS Coordinator, leading all U.S. Government international HIV/AIDS efforts. In this role, Ambassador Goosby oversees implementation of the U.S. President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR), as well as U.S. government engage-

ment with the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tu-

berculosis and Malaria.

Ambassador Goosby served as CEO and Chief Medical Officer of Pangaea Global AIDS Foundation from 2001 to June 2009. At present, he is also Professor of Clinical Medicine at the University of California, San Francisco. Ambassador Goosby has played a key role in the development and implementation of HIV/AIDS national treatment scale-up plans in South Africa, Rwanda, China, and Ukraine. He focuses his expertise on the scale-up of sustainable HIV/AIDS treatment capacity, including the delivery of HIV antiretroviral drugs, within existing healthcare systems. Ambassador Goosby has extensive international experience in the development of treatment guidelines for use of antiretroviral therapies, clinical mentoring and training of health professionals, and the design and implementation of local models of care for HIV/AIDS. He has worked closely with international partners on the development of successful HIV/ AIDS treatment and treatment-based prevention strategies for high-risk populations.

Ambassador Goosby has over 25 years of experience with HIV/AIDS, ranging from his early years treating patients at San Francisco General Hospital when AIDS first emerged, to engagement at the highest level of policy leadership. As the first Director of the Ryan White Care Act at the U.S. Department of Health and

Human Services, Ambassador Goosby helped develop HIV/ AIDS delivery systems in the United States.

During the Clinton Administration, he served as Deputy Director of the White House National AIDS Policy Office and Director of the Office of HIV/AIDS Policy of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. Ambassador Goosby has long-standing working relationships with leading multilateral organizations, including UNAIDS, the Global Fund and the World Health Organization.

Ken Hackett

Ken Hackett is president of CRS, a position he has held since 1993. He oversees operations in more than 100 countries, with a global staff of nearly 5,000.

Mr. Hackett joined CRS in 1972, starting his career in Sierra Leone. He has served

CRS in posts throughout Africa and

Asia, as well as in a variety of positions at CRS headquarters. He was the Regional Director for Africa, guiding CRS' response to the Ethiopian famine of 1984-1985, and he supervised operations in East Africa during the crisis in Somalia in the early 1990s.

Mr. Hackett has received honorary doctorate degrees from the University of Notre Dame, Boston College, Villanova University, Siena College, the University of San Diego and New York Medical College.

He has served as North America President of Caritas Internationalis, the confederation of humanitarian agencies of the global Catholic Church. He is currently a member of the boards of the Pontifical Commission Cor Unum, the Vatican body that coordinates the Church's charitable work; Migration & Refugee Services — U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops; International Policy Committee — U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops; and the Africa Society. He has served on the advisory committees of the Time Global Health Summit; Woodrow Wilson Institute, Committee on Failed States; Changing the Present, a non-profit corporation operated by Important Gifts, Inc.; and the Baltimore Council on Foreign Affairs, and was recently named to Maryland Governor Martin O'Malley's International Advisory Council.

Since 2004, Mr. Hackett has served on the Board of Directors of the Millennium Challenge Corporation, a federal effort to increase aid to countries that demonstrate a commitment to ruling justly, investing in people and encouraging economic freedom.

Joseph F. O'Neill

Joseph O'Neill, MD, MS, MPH, has devoted his professional life to the fight against HIV and AIDS, particularly for those who lack access and resources for treatment. He helped design and directed the U.S. government's domestic HIV and AIDS treatment program and recently was the architect and initial deputy director of the U.S. government's PEPFAR initiative. He has served in the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, in the State Department, and in the White House. Trained as an internist, Dr. O'Neill holds faculty positions at the Johns Hopkins Univer-

sity School of Medicine and the University of Maryland School of Medicine. He recently stepped down from his position as President and CEO of Orchestra Therapeutics, a California-based biotech company working on vaccine therapies for HIV and autoimmune diseases. He, under the direction of Dr. Liz Gwyther, is completing a Master of Philosophy in Palliative Medicine at the University of Cape Town, South Africa.

Robert R. Redfield

Robert Redfield, co-founder of the Institute of Human Virology at the University of Maryland School of Medicine, is a pioneer in clinical human viral research, with notable accomplishments in the areas of HIV immunoregulation, immunotherapy, and vaccine development. His responsibilities at the University also include Professor of Medicine, Professor of Immunology and Microbiology, Associate Director of the Institute of Human Virology, Director of Clinical Care and Research for the Institute of Human Virology, Division Chief for Infectious Diseases in the Department of Medicine, Associate Chair for Finance in the Department of Medicine, and Director for the Adult HIV program, University of Maryland Medicine.

In collaboration with Dr. Robert C. Gallo's group in the mid 1980's, Dr. Redfield was the first to demonstrate heterosexual

transmission of HIV-1. His clinical accomplishments are many, most notably his pioneering efforts to apply knowledge gained from clinical laboratory-based studies to the bedside, resulting in the development and clinical application of novel immunotherapeutic strategies designed to exploit the body for its therapeutic potential. Today his research effort focuses on applying these strategies to help bring treatment for the millions of people living with HIV infection in resource poor and resource limited areas of our world.

Dr. Redfield received his medical degree from Georgetown University School of Medicine. His postgraduate medical training was conducted at the Walter Reed Army Medical Center in Washington, D.C. and includes Clinical and Research Fellowships in Infectious Diseases and Tropical Medicine.

Dr. Redfield has been the recipient of an honorary degree from New York Medical College as

well as a Lifetime Science Award from the

Institute for Advanced Studies in Immunology and Aging. Other awards include the Highest Achievement in Clinical Virology Award from Ortho Diagnostic Systems Incorporated, the Surgeon General's Physician Recognition Award, and multiple medals in virology awarded by the U.S. Army.

Annemarie Reilly

Annemarie Reilly is Vice President, Overseas Operations for Catholic Relief Services and she oversees three departments: Overseas Support, Program Quality and Support and Emergency Operations. Prior to assuming this position, she was Chief of Staff to CRS President Ken Hackett. Her areas of professional experience and expertise include emergency preparedness and response, management and strategic planning.

Ms. Reilly joined CRS in 1992 with the El Salvador country program, primarily responsible for programs in the health sector. She quickly advanced to senior management positions in Angola, Haiti, Burundi and Liberia, developing significant experience overseeing multi-sectoral programs in complex civil conflicts.

Ms. Reilly holds a Bachelor of Arts in Government and French from the University of Notre Dame and a Master of

Arts in International Affairs from the Columbia University School of International and Public Affairs, with specializations in Economic and Political Development and Latin American Studies.

MODERATORS:

Sara Bowsky

(United States Agency for International Development)

Sara Bowsky is a Senior HIV and AIDS Care Advisor, for the Africa Bureau of USAID. She focuses on programs concerning PMTCT, pediatric AIDS, and family-centered care. Ms. Bowsky has many years experience developing HIV programs in sub-Saharan Africa. Ms. Bowsky received a nursing degree from Johns Hopkins University and a Master of Public Health from Tulane School of Pub-

lic Health and Tropical Medicine.

Ann Hendrix-Jenkins (CORE Group)

Ann Hendrix-Jenkins is the Director of Partnership Development DISPOSABLE with CORE Group. She has been with CORE Group for five years. At CORE Group, Ms. Hendrix-Jenkins helped design and manage three Special Initiatives built around integration—including Nutrition in the Community Context, Infectious Disease Integration and Community Case Management of Sick Children. Ms. Hendrix-Jenkins believes that ultimately, the local human perspective calls for integrated programming that reflects the complexities of reality, while remaining focused enough to be effectively implemented. "Diseases don't work in silos—nor should we." Ms. Hendrix-Jenkins holds a Bachelor of Arts from Tulane University in English Literature, with an Art minor. She also holds a Master of Arts in International Development from American University.

Joan Holloway

(Office of the Global AIDS Coordinator)

Joan Holloway currently serves as Senior Technical Advisor, Human Resources for Health and Health Systems Strengthening, and Country Liaison Officer for Vietnam in the Office of the U.S. Global AIDS Coordinator (OGAC). She co-chairs the PEPFAR Human Resources for Health (HRH) Technical Working Group and provides HRH policy assistance to OGAC and technical support to the PEPFAR country programs. A former U.S. Public Health Service Commissioned Officer, she came to OGAC from the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) where she was Director of the Division of Science and Policy in the HIV/AIDS Bureau, the HHS component responsible for the administration of the Ryan White Care Act, the \$2 billion US domestic HIV/AIDS care and treatment program.

Ms. Holloway is the recipient of the Distinguished Service medal, the highest United States Public Health Service Commissioned Corps award for her work in developing and imple-

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Barbara Aranda-Naranjo

(Health Resources Services Administration HIV/AIDS Bureau Global AIDS Program)

Barbara Aranda-Naranjo has been a community health researcher and public health nurse with over twenty-five years experience in the promotion of health and the prevention of disease in underserved, resilient communities at both the local, state, national and international level. She has extensive "front-line" experience in planning,

developing and coordinating research investigation and program evaluation related to health care delivery with African-American and Hispanic-American populations, especially women and children living with HIV disease. She has an effective record establishing collaboration among federal, state and local stakeholders related to people living with co-morbidities such as substance abuse, mental illness and STD's, primarily HIV and AIDS. Currently, Dr. Aranda-Naranjo is the Director for the Global AIDS Program at HRSA under the Presidents' Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR). In this capacity, she oversees a budget of \$200 million and manages a portfolio of care and treatment cooperative agreements that include clinics, provider training and quality improvement programs.

Alexzandra Shade

(Foundation for Hospices in sub-Saharan Africa)

Alexzandra Shade is the Partnership Manager with the Foundation for Hospices in sub-Saharan Africa (FHSSA). Ms. Shade serves as more than a conduit for linking U.S. and African partners; she is a change agent for organizations in the U.S. seeking to be a global partner in the world of hospice and palliative care. Through FHSSA's innovative Partnership Initiative, more than 52,000 patients received quality care and services in 2008 by linking African hospices and palliative care providers with American hospices and organizations. Currently, FHSSA has 78 active partnerships in 16 countries and 27 states in the U.S. and these partners touch thousands of lives. Ms. Shade works closely with her colleagues at African Palliative Care Association in Uganda (APCA) and Hospice Palliative Care Association in South Africa (HPCA) to facilitate partnership and program development. She presents nationally and internationally on various topics that support the provision of hospice and palliative care services in sub-Saharan Africa. Ms. Shade holds a double bachelors degree in communications and broadcasting. Ms. Shade is currently pursing a Master of Arts International Public Health from George Washington University.

George Siberry

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George Siberry is a Medical Officer with Pediatric, Adolescent, and Maternal AIDS (PAMA) Branch Center for Research for Mothers and Children Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development National Institutes of Health. As a medical officer, Dr. Siberry has provided direct and supervisory care for HIV-exposed infants and HIV-infected infants, children and youth at the Johns Hopkins Hospital since mid-1990s. Dr. Siberry has served as an advisory panel member for US Guidelines for treatment of children with HIV infection and for treatment/prevention of opportunistic illnesses in children. Dr. Siberry has a Bachelor of Science in Neuroscience from Brown University, Medical Degree from Johns Hopkins Medical School and a Master of Public Health in International Health from Johns Hopkins School of Public Health.



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