Centre Updates

**We're now on Twitter!**

Follow us and stay up to date with all the latest CICH activities!

**The Global Health Video Showcase Continues:**
Global Pediatric Endocrinology and Diabetes
Mama na M Moto and Global Affairs Canada have generously supported the CICH to engage Canadians and inform them about global maternal, newborn, and child health (MNCH) initiatives. With the help of many collaborators and colleagues we've created a series of videos about all the amazing global MNCH activities happening at BC Children's and Women's Hospitals.

This new video showcases Dr. Jean-Pierre Chanoine, a pediatric endocrinologist at BC Children's Hospital and his global health efforts in Africa. His NGO, the Global Pediatric Endocrinology and Diabetes (GPED) helps improve the care of children with endocrine diseases and diabetes who live in resource-poor countries by supporting the education of health professionals and providing funding for better, sustainable access to life-saving medicines. www.globalpedendo.org

Children's & Women's Global Health Project Updates

Practicum Award Winner: Michelle Lui

Michelle Lui is the recent winner of the CIHR Dr. James Rossiter Practicum Award. The purpose of this practicum award program is to strengthen public health capacity in Canada by supporting the current and next generation of public health policy makers and practitioners. The program will thus build capacity for effective knowledge translation and use of research evidence by the public health system.

Michelle Lui is a 2019 UBC MPH candidate completing her practicum at the CICH with Dr. Liisa Holsti and Dr. Marianne Vidler. As an occupational therapist by training with an interest in global health, she is working with Dr. Holsti to develop a neurodevelopmental screening tool for children aged 0-5 in low resource settings for post-sepsis care.

Congratulations Michelle!

Publication Spotlight 2019

RETHINKING MANAGEMENT OF NEONATES AT RISK OF SEPSIS

Clinicians involved in the care of young infants are aware of the consequences of not administering or of delaying antibiotics in cases of bacterial sepsis. Those who have seen such cases might be quicker to prescribe antibiotics in the future, even if sepsis is a remote possibility. However, this practice is not without risks.


Want to share something you've recently published? We'd love to hear from you.

News and Upcoming Events

Join us at Robson Square for World Sepsis Day!
This year, the CICH and partners organizations will be on the ground at Robson Square to promote World Sepsis Day and increase public awareness about this serious medical condition. There will be educational games and prizes, music, and more! Come and speak with patients and experts who have experienced sepsis first hand. **Visit us on Sept 13th and join the fight against sepsis!**

**When:** Sep 13 2019 - 11:00am to 6:00pm  
**Where:** Robson Square, 800 Robson Street, Vancouver, BC V6Z 3B7

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**Last Chance to Join the CICH Retreat**

**September 27-28, 2019 | Squamish, Canada**

Our CICH Retreat is approaching fast! If you haven't yet RSVP'd and would like to join, please do so ASAP! We will be revisiting the strategic plan, celebrating successes and achievements since 2016, and plan for the years to come.

*RSVP while there is still space!*

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**Opportunities**

**Kenya Education Endowment Fund (KEEF)**

Ms. Jalia Nafula was awarded the first bursary after completing her second year of medical school at Uzima University.

Established by Drs. Vishal & Sanja Avinashi, KEEF provides funding for medical students from the Kakamega County region of Kenya who demonstrate financial need. The goal of this bursary is to encourage locals to work and give back to their own community. Kakamega, in Western Province, has worse health and economic outcomes than the rest of Kenya. In September 2018, a new medical school was established at MMUST (Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology) making it the first medical school in the local County.

If you are interested in finding further information about this project or other sponsorships, please contact the KEEF office at keefcan2010@gmail.com
Grindr for Equality

*Due date: Oct 31, 2019*
*Grants offered: $5-$10,000*

**Grindr for Equality (G4E)** has announced an open call for LGBTIQ+ advocacy grants in the Middle East-North Africa (Arabic speaking countries). These grants will support LGBTIQ+ organizations that are advocating in one of the three thematic areas: health, safety and security, community empowerment.

For more information download the [Grindr Grant Application Form](#).

Africa India Mobility Fund (AIMF)

*Due date: Oct 4, 2019*
*Grants offered: Various*

**Supporting Short Visits to Explore Collaborative Opportunities**

Applicants are invited to submit their applications for **AIMF**, which is a two-year program designed to provide researchers from Africa and India with opportunities for short visits in either direction to build and strengthen scientific collaboration. Applications focused on infectious and NCDs of relevance to local, national, or global health will be accepted every month. The scope of the collaborative opportunity is broad.

Please visit the [AIMF website](#) for more information.

Pathway to Patient-Oriented Research

*LOI Due: Sept 6, 2019, 11:59pm PST*
*Grants offered: $5-$10,000*

The **P2P Awards** seeks to support BC-based patient-oriented research (POR) teams in preparing for future substantive (e.g., federal or international funding competitions) POR grant applications. The POR team should already be assembled and an important POR question has been identified. A key missing piece of this future major grant application is a strong demonstration of the feasibility and/or piloting of the research project.

Complete the LOI form today!

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Have questions, suggestions, or something to share?

Email us at [cichinfo@cw.bc.ca](mailto:cichinfo@cw.bc.ca) so we can include it in our next quarterly eUpdate.

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