

KCGH newsletter February

In the KCGH newsletter we make sure our network keeps track of our future and past activities, and other news in the field of global health.

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◀ Past activity

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◀◀ ***Symposium: Safe Motherhood***

MEDICINE ON THE MOVE

SAFE MOTHERHOOD

S Y M P O S I U M

Topics

- Migration and Pregnancy
- Group centered care for pregnant refugees
- Maternal and Newborn Health Care

Do you

- want to learn more or discuss your opinions & ideas?
- want to know how you can help?

JOIN US AND OUR SPEAKERS

18-02-2023
Saturday

15:00-17:00
(CET)

On the 18th of February 2023, Medicine on The Move sponsored by KCGH hosted its 5th symposium, the topic of which is “Safe Motherhood (migration and pregnancy)”.

We explored the healthcare challenges faced by mothers with a refugee background from various perspectives. The aim of the event was to raise awareness on the current situation from an ethical-, cultural-, medical- and policymaking perspective. Women with a refugee background are at risk of poorer pregnancy outcomes, inaccessibility to healthcare services and suboptimal perinatal care. Shedding a light on the factors that make this population vulnerable for unfavorable maternal and perinatal outcomes is crucial for designing suitable interventions. Four speakers with different backgrounds approached the topic from their own expertise and experiences.

You can watch the recording of the symposium down below.

Today

- Background
- Childbirths in Dutch ASC
- Challenges in midwifery care
- Birth outcomes of asylum migrants
- Advocacy / media
- Discussion



>> *Decolonising Global Health: A discussion series*

After the Decolonising Global Health congress of last November 2022, everybody felt that something needs to change in the field of global health. How to go forward from here? How do I critically look at my work and my position? Does my work contribute to more equity, or does it maintain existing power dynamics? What should be changed?

Join here the Decolonising Global Health discussion serie at the [KIT Royal Tropical Institute](#).

Sign up [here](#).

DECOLONIZING GLOBAL HEALTH

A discussion series



14 March 19:30-21:30

Hybrid from KIT Amsterdam

Global Health and Coloniality

Tammam Aloudat

President of MSF-NL Board



An interactive workshop on reflexivity & positionality

Brittney S. Mengistu, Postdoctoral researcher/lecturer

Lara Clauss, Coaching lecturer

Athena Institute, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam



28 March 19:30-21:30

LIVE at KIT Amsterdam

Study: Required competencies of PGHTM-doctors according to host institutions

Jamilah Sherally, PGHTM

Global health consultant (KIT), PhD candidate (VU)



Deep Democracy Discussion: An inclusive dialogue method for positive societal change

Meg Mateer

Social Impact Consultant



Register at: <https://forms.gle/aH2qoQdJ9y65GDwg8>

*its preferable to attend both sessions, but possible to follow either one



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»» **ECTMIH update**



In November this year, the ECTMIH Global Health Conference will be taking place in Utrecht, The Netherlands. Researchers, medical doctors, policymakers, and more will come together at Tivoli Vredenburg to discuss how to shape the future of equitable and sustainable planetary health.

Organisations are currently in full swing and we are delighted to bring you a few updates from behind the scenes:

- Early-bird registration is now open! People interested in attending and participating in the conference can register [here](#).
- Abstract submission is now open! You can submit an abstract [here](#) between now and 30 April 2023.
- Submissions for organised sessions are now closed. We received nearly 100 applications and our selection committee can't wait to assess them all!
- We are busy ensuring that the conference will be accredited.
- Want to stay up to date on all things ECTMIH? Our team is very active on [Twitter](#) and we send regular [newsletters](#).

>> *Save the date: Dutch Global Health Film Festival*

The exact date has yet to be confirmed, but we can assure you that at the beginning of April it is time for the yearly Dutch Global Health Film Festival! Make sure to keep an eye on our [LinkedIn](#) where the date will be announced soon.

◇ *Article (Dutch): In de zorg is de ene vluchteling meer gelijk dan de andere*

De zorg voor vluchtelingen is een chaos. Er wordt met twee – of meer – maten gemeten, waarbij vluchtelingen uit Oekraïne structureel beter af zijn dan andere. Maar ook voor hen zijn onderlinge verschillen groot. Een pleidooi voor een rechtvaardig en landelijk uniform beleid.

Lees het hele artikel [hier](#).

◇ *Vacancy (Dutch): Centrale sollicitatieronde opleiding tot AIGT*

De centrale sollicitatierondes tot OIGT zijn geopend. Betreft 5-6 plaatsen voor de variant kindergeneeskunde-gynaecologie.

Download de hele vacaturebeschrijving [hier](#).

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