VISION 2020 LINKS Programme - Tackling diabetic retinopathy in challenging contexts

Tuesday 22 May 2018 08.00 – 09.00

Chaired by Mr Nick Astbury, International Centre for Eye Health & Ms Marcia Zondervan, International Centre for Eye Health.

The VISION 2020 LINKS breakfast meeting will cover aspects of the Diabetic Retinopathy Network (DR-NET) in Africa and the Caribbean, from screening to treatment, highlighting some challenges and solutions in different geographical locations.

08.00 – 08.05 Welcome
Mr Nick Astbury and Ms Marcia Zondervan

08.05 – 08.15 Diabetic Retinopathy in Malawi
Dr Moira Gandiwa, University of Malawi / Lions Sight First Eye Hospital Blantyre and Nick Beare, Liverpool University Hospital

08.15 – 08.25 Screening and grading in Jamaica
Dr Lizette Mowatt, University Hospital of the West Indies, Miss Dawn Sim, Moorfields Eye Hospital and Miss Pippa Williams, International Centre for Eye Health

08.25 – 08.35 Setting up in St Lucia
Dr Darra Burt, St Lucia Ministry of Health and Wellness and Dr Sharon Belmar-George, St Lucia Ministry of Health and Wellness

08.35 – 08.50 Rebuilding in Dominica
Dr Hazel Shillingford-Ricketts, Dominica Ministry of Health and Environment and Dr Cova Bascaran, International Centre for Eye Health

08.50 – 09.00 Discussion