CROI 2018 Pre-Conference Meeting

SAME-DAY ART INITIATION: NEW DATA FROM TRIALS AND PRACTICE

Sunday, March 4, 2018, 12-2 pm, Westin Copley Hotel, 10 Huntington Ave, Boston

AGENDA

12:00-12:05 Introductions/goals of meeting (as brief as possible)
12:15-12:25 Niklaus Labhardt, “Same-day ART initiation after home-based HIV testing in rural Lesotho: An open-label randomized controlled trial (CASCADE trial)”
12:05-12:15 Sydney Rosen, “Same-day ART initiation in the SLATE trial in South Africa: preliminary results”
12:25-12:35 Pich Seekaew, “Implementation research of same-day ART service at Thai Red Cross Anonymous Clinic in Bangkok, Thailand”
12:35-12:45 Oliver Bacon, “The Rapid ART Program Initiative for HIV Diagnoses (RAPID) in San Francisco”
12:45-12:55 Jonathan Colasanti, “A rapid entry program in the South: improving access to care and viral suppression in Atlanta”
01:05-01:10 Serena Koenig, Commentary on international studies
01:10-01:15 Carlos Del Rio, Commentary on U.S. studies
01:15-01:55 Discussion
01:55-02:00 Wrapup
02:00-03:00 Room available for optional continuation of discussion and/or small group meetings

Each presenter has been asked to speak for 8 minutes, allowing 2 minutes for questions of clarification. Those who are available are invited to continue the discussion after 2 pm.

Contact details and brief biographies for all presenters and participants will be circulated prior to the meeting. Copies of presentations must be obtained directly from presenters, as many contain data that are not yet publicly available.

A summary report of key findings of the meeting will be prepared after CROI ends.

Further information or questions: Sydney Rosen, sbrosen@bu.edu, Serena Koenig, skoenig@bwh.harvard.edu. Directions and contact numbers will be available at http://www.bu.edu/sph/about/departments/global-health/global-health-events/croi-2018-pre-conference-meeting/.