

Newsletter

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In this 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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Working Party International Safe Motherhood and Reproductive Health

Members of the working party went to the <u>White Ribbon symposium</u> 11 March 2023. The subject this year was: "What the world needs now". Guests and speakers from Sweden, Netherlands, Zanzibar and Namibia talked from their own perspectives about what we can do to reduce global maternal mortality and what we can do to give every woman, everywhere in

the world a positive pregnancy experience. Thomas van den Akker (<u>chair of the working</u> <u>party</u> handed over the annual White Ribbon award to Prof Kitty Bloemenkamp (<u>gynecologist</u> for all the work that she has done.

Africa Health Conference, 6-8 March Rwanda

"A scared crow does not walk, so we overcome fear to walk and to work in the rhythm of *African drums. Our bodies are our communities and our systems. Committed for Mother Africa*". Spoken word artist, Vanessa Chiksakula. Read Christina de Vries's report <u>here</u>.



Dutch Global Health Film Festival 2023 (DGHFF)

This April the 6th edition of <u>the Dutch Global Health Film Festival</u> will take place! In the lead-up to <u>ECTMIH 2023</u>, we have chosen the highly relevant theme Planetary Health.

3 April (Utrecht) en 26 April (Maastricht) 2023 The Erie Situation (2021) & The New Boats (2022) More information & tickets!



Working party Health and Climate

One of the members of the Working Party Health and Climate, Arno Maas, wrote an interesting thesis about climate change and child health in Malawi. Read here all about it.

Another tip for you: The Dutch government (De Tweede Kamer) wants to know what your opinion is about the Climate. Maybe you have some time left his week to fill in the questionnaire. <u>https://klimaat.raadpleging.net/</u>



Dutch platform for Family Medicine and International Health

They are celebrating their 10th anniversary this year. Wow beautiful to see all the work that you have done in the last years. You are welcome at their symposium on 5th of April: Traits, Trauma and Travel. <u>Apply here</u>

Dutch global health day - 1 June 2023 - Save the date

We would like to invite you all for our spring activity, **The Dutch global health day.** An event organised by the NVTG, OIGT & KCGH. Programme is from 12h00 – 18h00 in Utrecht. Sharing power as a step toward shifting power. "We have to move away from problematizing people and problematise structures. And we have to understand this work isn't about zero-sum outcome where if I give up power, I have no place to be or the work I did isn't relevant. Sharing power is the first step to shifting power." (Maragh-Bass)

We like to share all the different experiences in the working parties. What are the difficulties we encounter? How are the different global health partnerships organised? Are we sharing our power? And what can we learn from each other.

An interesting interactive program will be made, and we hope to see you all.

ECTMIH 2023 UTRECHT
ECTMIH - 20-23 November 2023 Utrecht Abstract submissions open until Sunday 30 April 2023
Tropencarrièredag
Utrecht Global Health Summer Schools
DJS congres - save the date



Working Party Global Child Health

Beautiful work has been done by Albertine Baauw and her colleagues in finishing the new guideline for refugee children. Albertine is a pediatrician and global health physician and for the last decade she has worked to improve healthcare for refugee children in the Netherlands.

Refugee children, guidelines for newcomer research by pedriatricians See guideline

Article about Medical disasters in the Dutch Indies

Leo van Bergen wrote an interesting article about our own history in the Dutch Indies from medical perspective. <u>Read the artikel.</u>

Science board

As discussed at the symposium in November, a new science board will start this year. Koos

van der Velden will be the chair of this science board. More info on the NVTG website

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