

HBV Forum 16 Meeting

Tuesday, May 26, 2026
 Grand Hyatt Barcelona
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*Denotes remote participation

12:00 PM	Registration and Lunch	
1:00 PM	Introductory Remarks and Program Overview	
1:00 PM	Welcome, Forum Updates, Program Overview and Acknowledgements	* <i>Ekene Osakwe, Forum for Collaborative Research</i>
1:05 PM	Steering Committee Co-Chair Welcoming Remarks	<i>Veronica Miller, Forum for Collaborative Research</i>
		<i>Carey Hwang, IntegerBio</i>
		<i>Norah Terrault, Keck School of Medicine of USC</i>
1:10 PM	Session I: Updates	
	Moderators: Veronica Miller, Forum for Collaborative Research & Norah Terrault, Keck School of Medicine of USC	
1:10 PM	<i>Rapid Fire Industry Updates</i>	<i>Sue Currie, Viron Therapeutics</i>
		* <i>Jerry Wallweber, Labcorp-Monogram Biosciences</i>
		<i>Emily Harrison, Precision BioSciences</i>
		<i>Tracy McGregor, nChroma Bio</i>
		<i>Todd Correll, Vir Biotechnology</i>
		<i>Kendra Congdon, Tune Therapeutics</i>
		<i>Christian Voitenleitner, Roche Diagnostics International</i>
1:30 PM	European Medicines Agency HBV Guideline Review Update	<i>Carey Hwang, IntegerBio</i>
1:35 PM	Feedback from the World Hepatitis Summit, Bangkok	<i>Cary James, World Hepatitis Alliance</i>
1:40 PM	Standardizing HBV Nomenclature, Update from Societies	<i>Norah Terrault, Keck School of Medicine of USC</i>
1:45 PM	Open Discussion	<i>All Meeting Participants</i>
2:05 PM	Session II: HBV and Metabolic Associated Steatotic Liver Disease	
	Moderators: Harry Janssen, Erasmus University Medical Center & Rebecca Taub, Madrigal Pharmaceuticals	
2:05 PM	HBV/MASLD Draft Paper: Emerging Issues & Recommendations from the Working Group	<i>Milan Sonneveld, Erasmus University Medical Center</i>
2:20 PM	Open Discussion	<i>All Meeting Participants</i>

3:00 PM	Break	
3:15 PM	Session III: Hepatitis Delta Therapeutics: Clinical Trial Endpoints	
	Moderators: Heiner Wedemeyer, Hannover Medical School & Jenny Stanton, Gilead Sciences	
3:15 PM	HDV Working Group: Summary of Key Discussions in Endpoints Design for HDV Clinical Trials	<i>Pietro Lampertico, University of Milan</i>
3:30 PM	Panel/Open Discussion	<i>Carey Hwang, Integer Bio</i>
		<i>Cary James, World Hepatitis Alliance</i>
		<i>*Yasmin Ibrahim, Hepatitis B Foundation</i>
		<i>All Meeting Participants</i>
4:15 PM	Session IV: Advancing HBV Treatment Access in Sub-Saharan Africa	
	Moderators: Veronica Miller, Forum for Collaborative Research & Homie Razavi, Center for Disease Analysis Foundation	
4:15 PM	2for1: Integrate to Eliminate Project Overview	<i>Philippa Easterbrook, Imperial College London</i>
4:25 PM	Panel/Open Discussion: Long acting HIV Injectables & HBV	<i>Norah Terrault, Keck School of Medicine of USC</i>
		<i>Bob Gish, Robert G Gish Consultants LLC</i>
		<i>All Meeting Participants</i>
5:00 PM	Session V: Hepatocellular Carcinoma: Gaps and Opportunities for Early Detection	
	Moderators: Lung-Yi Loey Mak, The University of Hong Kong & Terry Wright, Wright Bioscience Consulting LLC	
5:00 PM	Key Takeaways from the Hep B Foundation Workshop on Gaps and Opportunities to Improve Early HCC Detection	<i>*Brian McMahon, Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium</i>
5:15 PM	Perspectives from Asia	<i>Lung-Yi Loey Mak, The University of Hong Kong</i>
5:25 PM	Perspectives from Africa	<i>Asgeir Johannessen, Center for Global Health, University of Oslo</i>
5:35 PM	Perspectives from the Americas	<i>*George Ioannou, University of Washington/VA Puget Sound Healthcare System</i>
5:45 PM	Open Discussion	<i>All Meeting Participants</i>
6:30 PM	Meeting Wrap Up and Adjourn	
6:35 PM	HBV, Liver, and PSC Forums Networking Reception	