

8:30 am	Registration	
8:55 am	Welcome Professors Russell Pierre and Celia DC Christie	
	<i>Chairpersons: Professors Celia Christie and Robert Baltimore</i>	
9:00 am	The menace of antibiotic resistance	Robert Samuel Baltimore, MD Professor of Paediatrics (Infectious Diseases) and of Epidemiology (Microbial Diseases) and Clinical Professor of Nursing; Associate Hospital Epidemiologist (for Paediatrics), Yale New Haven Hospital, Yale School of Medicine
9:30 am	Sepsis and sepsis response syndrome in Jamaican children	Kathryn Swaby, MBBS 2 nd year Paediatric Resident, UWI, Mona
9:45 am	Febrile neutropenia in Jamaican children	Raja Dandamundi, MBBS 3 rd year Paediatric Resident, UWI, Mona
10:00 am	Neonatal sepsis at Yale: eight decades and counting	Matthew J Bizzarro, MD Associate Professor of Paediatrics (Neonatology); Medical Director, Neonatal Intensive Care Unit, Yale–New Haven Hospital
10:30 am	Investigating congenital diarrhoeal diseases: bench to bedside	Nadia Ameen, MBBS (UWI) Associate Professor of Paediatrics (Gastroenterology), Yale School of Medicine
11:00 am	Management of Hepatitis C infection: today and tomorrow	Joseph K Lim, MD Associate Professor of Medicine (Digestive Diseases); Director, Yale Viral Hepatitis Programme, Yale School of Medicine
11:30 am	Coffee Break	
	<i>Chairpersons: Professors J Peter Figueroa and Elijah Paintsil</i>	
12:00 pm	Amino acid metabolism, childhood growth and the risk of cardiovascular abnormalities	Marvin Reid, MD, PhD, Professor and Director, Tropical Medicine Research Institute and Sickle Cell Unit, UWI, Mona

12:30 pm	Comparison of pregnancy in the adolescent and mature woman	Minerva Thame, MBBS, DM Peds, PhD Professor of Paediatrics and Perinatology; Head, Department of Child and Adolescent Health; Deputy Dean of Post Graduate Affairs, UWI, Mona
1:00 pm	Memories of Ebola preparedness in a resource-limited setting – Jamaica	Tamara Thompson, MBBS, DM Medicine; Lecturer (Medicine and Infectious Diseases), UWI, Mona
1:20 pm	Severe acute respiratory infections in hospitalized children during Influenza A H1N1 circulation in the community	Sukiena Anderson-Gabriel, MBBS 1 st year Paediatric Resident, UWI, Mona
1:35 pm	Dengue fever epidemic in Jamaican children – clinical outcomes	Tarik Davidson, MBBS 4 th year Paediatric Resident, UWI, Mona
1:50 pm	Chikungunya virus epidemic in Jamaican children – clinical features and public health effects	Roxanne Melbourne-Chambers, MBBS, DM Peds; Lecturer (Paediatrics and Neurology), UWI, Mona
2:10 pm	Zika virus emerging epidemic in Latin America and the Caribbean – epidemiology, clinical features and preparedness	Celia DC Christie-Samuels, MBBS, DM Peds, MPH, FAAP, FIDSA, FRCP (Edin) Professor of Paediatrics (Infectious Diseases, Epidemiology and Public Health), UWI, Mona