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Adu-Sarkodie, Yaw (Sax)	AFR	Ghana	School of Medical Sciences, Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology (KNUST)	No	No	No	No	No
Amato, Andrew	EUR	Sweden	European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control	No	No	No	No	No
Bolan, Gail	AMR	USA	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)	No	No	No	No	No
Changalucha, John	AFR	United Republic of Tanzania	National Institute for Medical Research, Mwanza Medical Research Centre	No	No	Yes: GSK – research support to evaluate the safety and immunogenicity of the GSK HPV vaccines (ended 2011); HPV not part of STI guidelines	No	No

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Chen, Xiang-Sheng	WPR	China	National Center for STD Control, Chinese Academy of Medical Sciences and Peking Union Medical College	No	No	No	No	No
Chesson, Harrel	AMR	USA	Division of STI Prevention, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)	No	No	No	No	No
Cohen, Craig	AMR	USA	University of California, San Francisco	No	No	Yes: Consulted in the development of new drugs for bacterial vaginosis – Symbiomix Inc. (US\$ 8000)	Yes: Grants not related to STI studies (National Institutes of Health [NIH], CDC and the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation)	No
Garcia, Francisco	AMR	USA	Pima County Health Department	No	No	No	No	No

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Garcia, Patricia	AMR	Peru	School of Public Health and Administration, Universidad Peruana Cayetano Heredia	No	No	No	No	No
Garland, Suzanne	WPR	Australia	Royal Women's Hospital	No	No	Yes: Merck – award for HPV (US \$5,500) Japan Ministry of Health – surveillance of recurrent respiratory papillomatosis (US\$ 50 382); speaker at HPV symposiums GSK – vaccine trial (US\$ 98 000) CSLbio – cervical cancer genotypes (US\$ 210 000)	Yes: IARC – support work in HPV vaccine trials	No
Hawkes, Sarah	EUR	United Kingdom	University College London	No	No	No	No	No

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Higgins, Mary	EUR	Netherlands	International Confederation of Midwives	No	No	No	No	No
Holmes, King	AMR	USA	Department of Global Health and Department of Medicine, University of Washington, Harborview Medical Center	No	No	No	No	No
Klausner, Jeffrey	AMR	USA	Division of Infectious Diseases and Program in Global Health, David Geffen School of Medicine and Fielding School of Public Health, University of California, Los Angeles	No	Yes: Standard Diagnostic – syphilis test provided, travel support (US\$ 2000)	Yes: Hologic, Cepheid, Standard Diagnostics, ALere, MedMira, Chembio – free STI tests provided, not related to STI treatment (US\$ 5000) Flora Bioscience – candidiasis	No	No Syphilis test being discussed, but no commercial recommendations being made. Other STI diagnostics not part of the recommendations being discussed.

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Lewis, David	AFR	South Africa	Western Sydney Sexual Health Centre, Marie Bashir Institute for Infectious Diseases and Biosecurity, Sydney Medical School	No	No	No	No	No
Low, Nicola	EUR	Switzerland	Epidemiology and Public Health, University of Bern, Institute of Social and Preventive Medicine	No	No	No	No	No
Mabey, David	EUR	United Kingdom	London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine (LSHTM)	No	No	No	No	No
Miranda, Angelica Espinosa	AMR	Brazil	Núcleo de Doenças Infecciosas, Universidade Federal do Espírito Santo	No	No	No	No	No
Mullick, Saiqa	AFR	South Africa	University of the Witwatersrand, Hillbrow Health Precinct	No	No	No	No	No

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Palefsky, Joel	AMR	USA	Division of Infectious Diseases, University of California, San Francisco	Yes	No	No	No	No
Radcliffe, Keith	EUR	United Kingdom	European STI Guidelines Project, International Union against Sexually Transmitted Infections (IUSTI), Royal Society of Medicine	No	No	No	No	No
Sabirov, Ulugbek	EUR	Uzbekistan	National STI Program, Republican Center for Dermato-Venereology	No	No	No	No	No
Schünemann, Holger	AMR	Canada	Department of Clinical Epidemiology and Biostatistics, McMaster University	No	No	No	No	No
Steen, Richard	EUR	Italy	Erasmus University	No	No	No	No	No
Stephenson, Judith	EUR	United Kingdom	University College London	No	No	No	No	No

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Unemo, Magnus	EUR	Sweden	Department of Laboratory Medicine, Microbiology, Örebro University Hospital	No	No	No	No	No
Vuylsteke, Bea	EUR	Belgium	Institute of Tropical Medicine	No	No	No	No	No
Wald, Anna	AMR	USA	University of Washington, Virology Research Clinic, Harborview Medical Center	No	No	Yes: Involved in the development of herpes simplex virus (HSV) vaccination	No	No
Wasserheit, Judith	AMR	USA	Department of Global Health and Medicine, University of Washington	No	No	No	No	No
Wong, Thomas	AMR	Canada	Division of Community Acquired Infections, Centre for Communicable Diseases and Infection Control, Public Health Agency of Canada	No	No	No	No	No

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Workowski, Kimberly A.	AMR	USA	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Division of Infectious Diseases, Emory University School of Medicine	No	No	No	No	No

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Methodologist

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Santesso, Nancy	AMR	Canada	Department of Clinical Epidemiology and Biostatistics, McMaster University	No	No	No	No	No

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Members of the External Review Group

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Abu-Raddad, Laith	EMR	Qatar	Department of Public Health, Weill Cornell Medical College, Cornell University, Qatar Foundation – Education City	No	No	No	No	No
Akolo, Chris	AMR	USA	FHI 360	No	No	No	No	No
Benaken-Schwartz, Adele	AMR	Brazil	STI, AIDS and Viral Hepatitis Department, Ministry of Health	No	No	No	No	No
Betiu, Mircea	EUR	Republic of Moldova	Nicolae Testemițanu State University of Medicine and Pharmacy	No	No	No	No	No
Chitwarakorn, Anupong	SEAR	Thailand	Department of Diseases Control, Bureau of AIDS, TB and STIs, Ministry of Public Health	No	No	No	No	No

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Deal, Carolyn	AMR	USA	National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID), United States Department of Health and Human Services, National Institutes of Health	No	No	No	No	No
Gale-Row, Margaret	AMR	Canada	Professional Guidelines and Public Health Practice Division, Centre for Communicable Diseases and Infection Control, Public Health Agency of Canada	No	No	No	No	No

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Geisler, William	AMR	USA	University of Alabama at Birmingham	No	Yes: Activbiotics Pharma, LLC – involved in protocol development of phase 2 clinical trial of rifalazil for chlamydia treatment (US\$ 4987) Warner Chilcott LLC – review efficacy data for clinical trial of a chlamydia drug – FDA discussion (US\$ 10 640)	No	No	No
Kamb, Mary	AMR	USA	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	No	No	No	No	No

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Kettani, Amina	EMR	Morocco	Direction de l'Epidemiologie, Service des MST-sida, Ministry of Health	No	No	No	No	No
Kiros, Mizan	AFR	Ethiopia	Disease Prevention and Control Directorate Federal Ministry of Health	No	No	No	No	No
Latif, Ahmed	AFR	Zimbabwe	Public Health Consultant	No	No	No	No	No
Mayaud, Philippe	EUR	United Kingdom	Clinical Research Department, Faculty of Infectious and Tropical Diseases, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine	No	No	No	No	No
McCartney, David	EUR	United Kingdom	Research and Technical Support, International Planned Parenthood Federation	No	No	No	No	No
Mir, Ali M.	EMR	Pakistan	Population Council	No	No	No	No	No

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Ortayli, Nuriya	EMR	Turkey	United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA)	No	No	No	No	No
Sanchez, Pablo	AMR	USA	The Ohio State University - Nationwide Children's Hospital Clinical & Translational Research (Neonatology) Center for Perinatal Research	No	No	No	No	No
Sayabounthavong, Khantanouvieng	WPR	Lao People's Democratic Republic	Center for HIV/AIDS and STIs, Ministry of Health	No	No	No	No	No
Singh, Aman Kumar	SEAR	India	National AIDS Control Organization, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare	No	No	No	No	No

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