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SECTION A: INDIVIDUAL INFORMATION

A.1. Personal Information

Name	Sonali Kochhar, MD
Post or Position	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Medical Director, Global Healthcare Consulting• Clinical Associate Professor, Department of Global Health, University of Washington, Seattle• Scientific Researcher, Department of Public Health, Erasmus University Medical Center, Rotterdam
Employer, Research Institution or Affiliation	Global Healthcare Consulting; University of Washington, Seattle; Erasmus University Medical Center, Rotterdam

A.2. Short Biography

Dr Sonali Kochhar, M.D., Clinical Associate Professor, Department of Global Health, University of Washington, Seattle; Scientific Researcher, Department of Public Health, Erasmus University Medical Center, Rotterdam and Medical Director, Global Healthcare Consulting, has twenty years of experience in a Leadership position for Global Phase I-IV Clinical Research, Epidemiology and Safety Studies for Vaccines and Drugs conducted in the USA, Europe, Asia, Africa and India in Adult and Pediatric populations, Infectious Diseases (HIV/AIDS, Influenza, Group B Strep, RSV, Diarrheal Diseases, Malaria, Tropical diseases), Vaccines for Pregnant Women, Introduction of New Vaccines, Pandemic Preparedness, Translating research into programs by Healthcare Systems Strengthening (including Governance, Capacity Building, Logistics and Supply Chains) for Immunization and Reproductive, Maternal and Child Health programs, Research Ethics for Vaccines, Epidemics, and New Technologies, HIV/AIDS Prevention, and Treatment, and working with vulnerable and at-risk populations (including women, adolescents, children, MSMs, IDUs and Sex Workers).

Dr Kochhar has conducted multiple studies- including vaccine trials- in Kenya, Uganda, Zambia, The Gambia, South Africa, the United States, India, Bangladesh and Nepal. She provides expertise for Vaccine Research and Development (including for Viral Vectors (MMV, AAV, Ad-5 etc), DNA, Proteins, Inactivated, Subunit Vaccines, Adjuvants etc).

She has set up global multi-million dollar International Strategic Partnerships, Policy, Ethics and Regulatory Development, Communications, Institutional Strengthening, Strategy and Advocacy with Government Partners (across Asia-Pacific, Africa, and South America), International Aid Agencies (Gates Foundation, USAID, Basque Government etc.), Public

Health Authorities, International and Bilateral Organizations (e.g. WHO, NIH, CDC), Regulatory Bodies (including the FDA, EMEA, African and Asian National Regulatory Authorities), Ethical Committees, Scientific Organizations, International Pharmaceutical Companies, Local Communities and the Media.

She has co-authored multiple internationally accepted Vaccine Safety Research Standards, Case definitions of Adverse Events for Vaccines Research, Guidelines for Vaccine Safety Research and Template Research Protocols. She is the Lead for the development of Maternal and Neonatal Case Definitions for Maternal Immunisation (MI) and has co-authored guidelines for vaccines in pregnant women clinical trials. The definitions are being utilized in clinical research, observational studies and AEFI surveillance for Vaccines and Maternal and Child Health Research globally. She has helped to develop Research Ethics for Vaccines, Epidemics, and New Technologies.

She is a member of various International Steering Committees, including the Wellcome Trust's Independent Review Panel (IRP) for Clinical Study Data Requests and Vivli (Centre for Global Clinical Research Data Sharing), Vice-Chair for the Brighton Collaboration Science Board, International Alliance for Biological Standardization Human Vaccine Committee, Maternal Immunization Pharmacovigilance programs for Low and Medium Income Countries, the Gates Foundation funded Global Alignment of Immunization Safety Assessment in Pregnancy (GAIA), UK-Medical Research Council funded Immunizing Pregnant Women and Infants (IMPRINT) network etc. She is an Expert Working Group member of the PREVENT (Pregnancy Research Ethics for Vaccines, Epidemics, and New Technologies) Wellcome Trust Project, Viral Vector Vaccine Safety Working Group, European Commission Expert Evaluator for Vaccine Research, Medical Advisory Panel member of Group B Strep Support, UK, the International Society for Pharmacoepidemiology (IABS) Vaccine Special Interest and Maternal Immunization Expert Groups and the Vienna Vaccine Safety Initiative working on global vaccine research and safety. She was on the International Steering Committee of the WHO Consultation on Safety of Immunization in Pregnancy in Mothers and Newborn Children and served as the Session Chair for the WHO Pediatric Deliberative Session on neonatal events in maternal immunization. She was a member of the Gates Foundation's Global Health Clinical Consortium Leadership Group, Harvard University's Multi-Regional Clinical Trial Group, Maternal Immunization Pharmacovigilance programs for Low and Medium Income Countries, and expert groups involved in the development of a WHO globally integrated Vaccine Safety Monitoring system, Safety Standards for Malaria, Tuberculosis and AIDS Vaccine trials.

Kochhar serves on International Scientific Advisory Boards, as Guest Faculty for International Vaccinology Programs (including the LIVE (Leading International Vaccinology Education) Master's Program, Europe) and the Oxford Vaccinology course), as a reviewer for international journals and has published numerous peer-reviewed publications and book chapters.

She has been awarded the Yale World Fellowship for 2011 (Yale University's International Leadership Program); Vaccinology Fellowship Award for significant achievements in Vaccinology from Fondation Mérieux and University of Geneva; Global Leadership Awards

from Eli Lilly & Company, Indianapolis, U.S.A; Bharat Jyoti (Light of India) Award for medical achievements and the Serviers Young Investigator Award by Institut de Recherches Internationales, Servier, France.

SECTION B: DISCLOSURES

B.1. Financial Interests

None

B.2 Other Real or Potential Conflicts of Interest

None