# Pneumonia Innovations Team Update

## **Key progress in past quarter:**

- Membership has grown to 136, a 50% increase in three months
- Three Sub-Groups formed (1) Respiratory Rate Timers, (2) Pulse Oximetry &
- Oxygen Therapy, (3) Antibiotics chaired by INSPIRELiving, University of British
- Columbia and USAID respectively. 6 calls held in last quarter
- UNICEF respiratory rate Target Product Profile on track for September release
- Malaria Consortium 4-country pneumonia diagnostic field trials initiated
- GSK Healthcare Innovation Award announced
- 4 Members make commitments to Every Newborn Action Plan
- 5 Members awarded Saving Lives at Birth Round IV grants

## Priorities for next quarter / Key issues for discussion:

- IHME Report on Pneumonia Burden Vs Funding released on World Pneumonia
- Day, November 12
- Pneumonia Innovators Profiles released World Pneumonia Day, November 12
- Submission for annual Pneumonia Innovations Summit drafted & submitted
- Priority briefings on BMGF funded azithromycin trials, oxygen therapy,
- Panel at 45th World Conference of the International Union Against Tuberculosis and Lung Disease, Barcelona, October 28 – November 1

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#### **New resources/outputs to add to CCM Central Website:**

http://ccmcentral.com/related-links/diarrhea-pneumonia-working-group/

- Updated Pneumonia Innovations Membership List
- PATH Respiratory Rate Timer Landscape Report
- Malaria Consortium Pneumonia Field Trials Project Brief
- UNICEF's Acute Respiratory Infection Diagnostic Aid Project, Kim Horn
- Hansen
- LifeBox presentation, lain Wilson
- PneumoniaCheck presentation, David Ku
- BioMedLink presentation, Terry Mandel
- Xhale presentation, Richard Melker
- BORN Project presentation, Annamarie Saarinen
- IDEO presentation, Ann Kim and Dave Weissburg

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