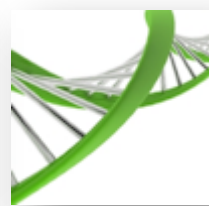
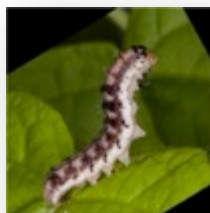




Insecticide Resistance Action Committee

SMART GOALS & OBJECTIVES 2017 - 2018



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Specific Measurable Achievable Realistic (Resourced) and Time Bound

IRAC International

The IRAC Network is made up of a series of inter-company Committees dedicated to prolonging the effectiveness of insecticides and acaricides by countering the development of resistance. The Committees operate at a global level (IRAC Executive) and at a regional or country level (IRAC Country Groups) and the whole network is termed IRAC International (abbreviated to IRAC).

The IRAC Executive Committee provides technical information, coordination and support for IRAC through a series of international Teams and Working Groups. Annual goals and SMART objectives for each of the teams are set in accordance with the overall IRAC Mission and should be reviewed periodically during the year within the teams to evaluate progress.

The IRAC International Mission

- Facilitate communication and education on insecticide and traits resistance
- Promote the development and facilitate the implementation of insecticide resistance management strategies to maintain efficacy and support sustainable agriculture and improved public health

IRAC Public Health WG Objectives 2017-18

Goals	Objectives	Date
Identify potential, new or existing resistance issues. Set up Team Working Groups or Focal Points as necessary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monitor and report to the Executive on any potential, new or existing national, regional or global resistance issues relating to Vectors and Hygiene pests, that could require action by IRAC • Investigate the viability of a US Public Health IRAC country group (possibly focused on <i>Aedes spp.</i> mosquitoes), support such a group if sufficient interest is found to create it 	Ongoing Q2 2018
Provide expert input into IRM initiatives with identified partners, interact with groups working in the same field and participate/organise relevant meetings.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Set up a schedule of IRAC PH Team conference calls, meetings for 2017/18. Identify and invite relevant experts and observers from groups interested in Public Health IRM e.g. vectors, hygiene pests (WHO, BMGF, IVCC, etc.) to participate and promote IRAC as an expert technical group with such third parties • Lobby the WHO, VCAG, etc., in support of pragmatic IRM activities • Actively support and promote the RBM VCWG's "IRM MOOC" (Massive Open Online Course) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Produce and deliver relevant material • Review and provide the IRAC view of IRM 	Ongoing Ongoing Q1 2018
Formulate the IRAC position on ongoing questions and issues as these arise	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promote the rational use of mixtures/combinations and synergists in VC • Actively engage with third parties to identify and promote best practice insecticide resistance monitoring, and results interpretation 	Ongoing Ongoing
Preparation of Public Health communication material	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review and update IRAC educational material to reflect new products that have entered the VC market • Review and update IRAC educational material to reflect relevant new control paradigms, e.g. self-limiting traits, eave tubes, etc. • Seek opportunities to give IRM related presentations on behalf of IRAC at appropriate trade and scientific meetings • Seek opportunities to produce articles on IRM for trade journals, etc. • Investigate the opportunity to create a team communications rep, with the aim of improving and coordinating proactive team communications with third parties 	Q2 2018 Q2 2018 Ongoing Ongoing Q1 2018