

# Pemba Summer School 2026

## Neglected tropical diseases: control and data analysis

5 July (Sunday)		
All day	Arrival from Zanzibar and accommodation of participants	
Evening	Welcome dinner	
6 July (Monday)		
10:00	Official opening	MoH Zanzibar
11:00	Welcoming note and logistics	Dr Said
12:00	Lunch at the PHL laboratory	
14:00	Zanzibar: Health care system, policy and priorities; demography, socioeconomic status	MoH Zanzibar
15:00	PHL-IdC: structure, organization, aims, resources, research and training activities	Dr Said
16:30	Break	
17:00	Neglected tropical diseases: main concepts and examples of control	Dr Montresor
17:30	Take home, discussion, questions	Facilitators
7 July (Tuesday)		
09:00	Overview of neglected tropical diseases	Dr Panaite
09:45	Schistosomiasis and soil-transmitted helminthiasis	Dr Montresor
10:15	Lymphatic filariasis	Dr Shaali
10:45	Break	
11:30	Cross-cutting activities and global progress in 2025	Dr Gabrielli
12:00	Overview of geostatistical approach to data analysis	Dr Chaters
12:30	Take home, discussion, questions	Dr Purkiss
13:00	Lunch	
Afternoon	Visit to the schistosomiasis control centre and activities in the transmission areas	
8 July (Wednesday)		
09:00	Overview of One Health concept	Prof. Rinaldi
10:00	Water and sanitation infrastructure	Prof. Fabbicino
10:45	Break	
11:15	Rabies (remote)	Dr Abela (WHO)
12:00	Take home, discussion, questions	Facilitators
12:30	Lunch	
Afternoon	Visit to Chake Chake Hospital	
9 July (Thursday)		
09:00	Malaria international situation	WHO (TBC)
	Malaria situation in Zanzibar	MoH Zanzibar
10:00	Dengue global situation and diagnostics (remote)	Dr Velayudhan (WHO) Dr Wong (WHO CC)
11:00	Break	
12:15	Take home, discussion, questions	Facilitators
12:30	Lunch	
Afternoon	Visit to the Mosquito control centre	
10 July (Friday)		
Morning	Collection of faecal and urine specimens in school	Dr Ghanil
	Take home, discussion, questions	Facilitators
12:30	Lunch	
Afternoon	Demonstration of laboratory diagnostics for urine and faeces	Dr Ghanil

<b>11 July (Saturday)</b>	
All day	Recreational activities (picnic on the beach)
<b>12 July (Sunday)</b>	
All day	Free

<b>MODULE 1</b>	
<b>Statistical analysis of epidemiological data on One Health (Dr Chaters)</b>	
<b>13 July (Monday)</b>	
Morning	Presentation of the module, organization of the group and discussion of its objectives
Afternoon	GROUP WORK
<b>14 July (Tuesday)</b>	
Morning	GROUP WORK
Afternoon	GROUP WORK
<b>15 July (Wednesday)</b>	
Morning	GROUP WORK
Afternoon	GROUP WORK
<b>16 July (Thursday)</b>	
Morning	GROUP WORK
Afternoon	GROUP WORK

<b>MODULE 2</b>	
<b>Observation of health services performances and health data collection (Dr Montresor-Dr Painate-Dr Gabrielli)</b>	
<b>13 July (Monday)</b>	
Morning	Presentation of the module, organization of the group and discussion of its objectives
	Discussion/Interview with primary health workers
Afternoon	GROUP WORK
<b>14 July (Tuesday)</b>	
Morning	Observing district health centre(s) work. Discussion/Interview with those responsible
Afternoon	GROUP WORK
<b>15 July (Wednesday)</b>	
Morning	Observing a district hospital (Vitongoji) Discussion/Interview with staff
Afternoon	GROUP WORK
<b>16 July (Thursday)</b>	
Morning	Observing referral hospital work (Mkoani) Discussion/Interview with staff
Afternoon	GROUP WORK

<b>MODULE 1 + MODULE 2</b>	
<b>17 July (Friday)</b>	
Morning	Presentation and discussion of project results
Afternoon	Diplomas and official closing of the school
Evening	Farewell party
<b>18 July (Saturday)</b>	
	Departure for Zanzibar