Technical Consultation on Global Prevalence and Disease Burden of Vitamin D Deficiency – Workshop 2

March 29, 2017
The W Hotel Conference Center
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March 30, 2017
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Wednesday, March 29

8:30 – 9:00  Breakfast

9:00 – 9:30  Introduction and Workshop 2 Objectives – Gilles Bergeron

9:30 – 10:00  Workshop 1 Summary – Megan Bourassa

10:00 – 12:00  Session 1: Group Discussion for recommending entry points for a vitamin D strategy
Moderator – Mireille Mclean

  10:00 – 10:30  Questionnaire Results
Megan Bourassa

  10:30 – 11:00  Morning Break

  11:00 – 12:00  Discussion of Decision Roadmap Strategy

1. Prevalence of low vitamin D status
2. Identification of high risk groups
3. Prevalence of bone disease

12:00 – 1:00  Lunch

1:00 – 5:00  Session 2: Lessons learned from interventions and implications
Moderator – Maria Elena Jefferds

  1:00 – 1:35  Fortification Strategies
Mona Calvo

  1:35 – 2:10  Bio-addition
Kevin Cashman

  2:10 – 2:45  Supplementation Strategies
Susan Whiting

  2:45 – 3:15  Afternoon Break

  3:15 – 5:00  Discussion of Intervention Strategies

6:00  Dinner at Eataly – 101 Liberty Street (Westfield World Trade Center)
Thursday, March 30

8:30 – 9:00   Breakfast

9:00 – 11:00  Session 3: Research Agenda Discussion
  Moderator – Ken Brown
  
  9:00 – 9:30   Discussion of Research for Pregnancy Outcomes
               Dan Roth
  
  9:30 – 10:00  Discussion of Research for Respiratory Infections
               Adrian Martineau
  
  10:00 – 10:15 Morning Break
  
  10:15 – 11:00 Prioritization of Additional Research Topics

11:00 – 12:00 Discussion of Next Steps and Meeting Close out – Gilles Bergeron

12:00 – 1:00   Lunch