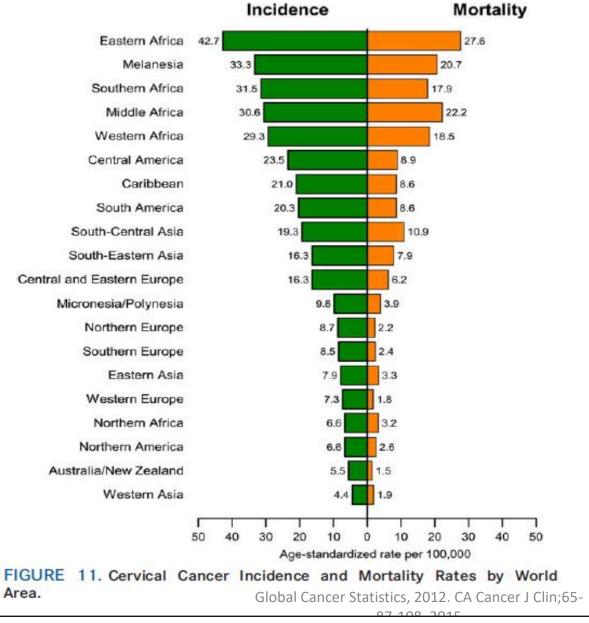
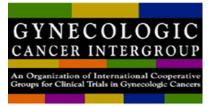


# Cervix Cancer Research Network (CCRN)

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- 4<sup>th</sup> most common cancer women
- Over 500,000 new cases/260,000 deaths per year
- Mortality varies 2-27/100,000
- Cancer burden likely to rise



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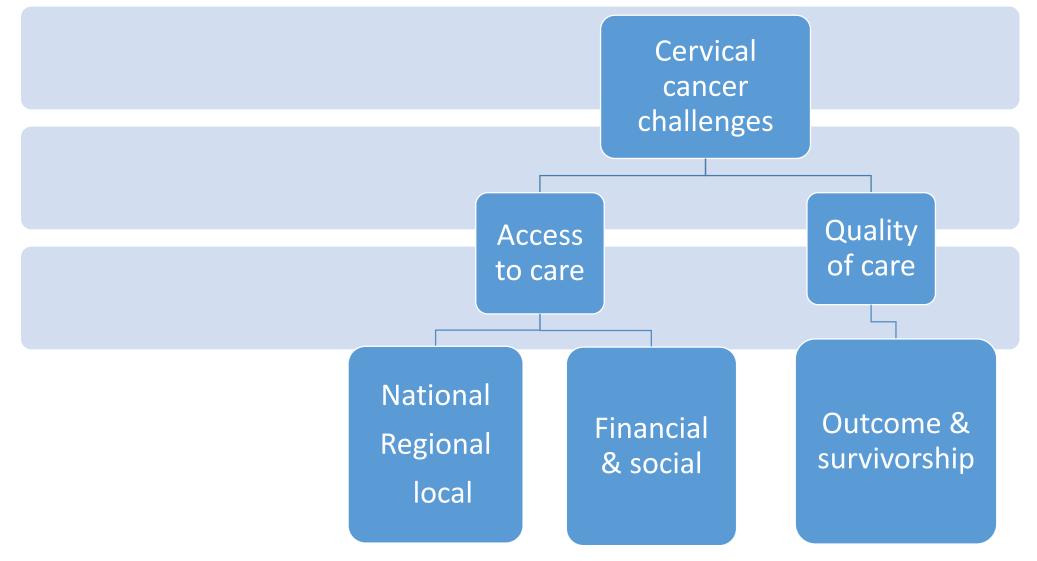


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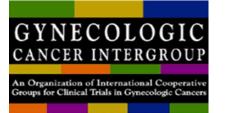


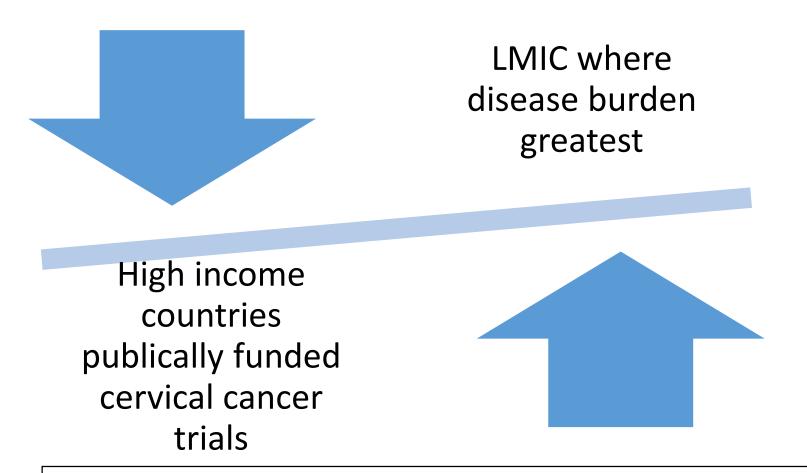
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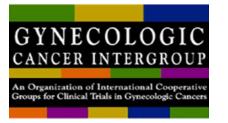
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## **Cervical Cancer**







# What is CCRN ?

- A Network of centres with expertise in the management of cervical cancer
- Established in 2011 by Prof Henry Kitchner & managed by GCIG
- These centres are generally in LMIC
- Common goal to promote research and good clinical practice in the treatment of women with cervical cancer
- Recognised that participation in research raises the standards for all patients.
- Inclusion of patients from diverse ethical and cultural backgrounds in clinical trials is essential to validate potentially practice changing approaches.

### **CCRN background**

GCIG established 1993 Currently comprises 29 cooperative groups

Main mission is to promote academic trials in Gyn cancer

CCRN

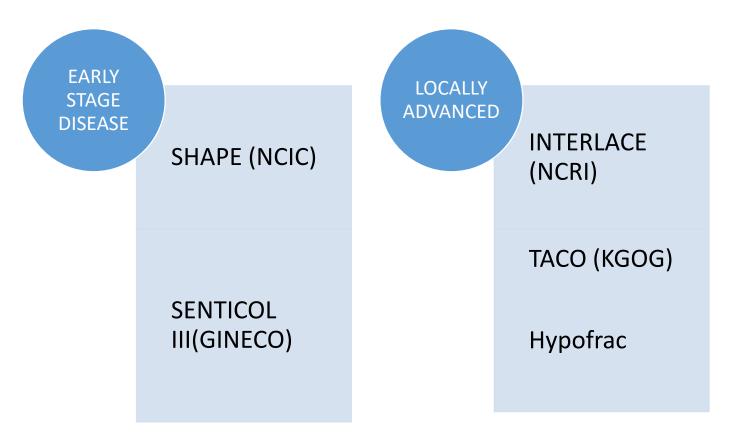
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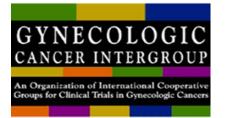
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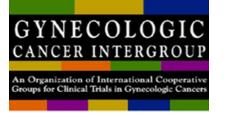
### **Current CCRN studies**





### **CCRN standard operating procedure**





# Resources & Research Capability

- Site information-contacts/ number of new cancers, Gyn ca & Cervix
- Site resources-pathology/radiology/IT/ indemnity insurance
- Clinical trials ops-CTU/Personnel /tumour boards/ previous trials experience/details of ethics and regulatory approval processes
- Radiation therapy –facilities/documentation/dosimetry audit



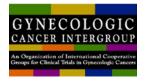
### CCRN trials-Capability questionnaire

1. Are your clinical trial subjects entitled to medical management without cost as long as required; and entitled to financial compensation for clinical trial related injury or death?

2. Do you have (national) definitions of what constitutes 'clinical trial related injury or death'?

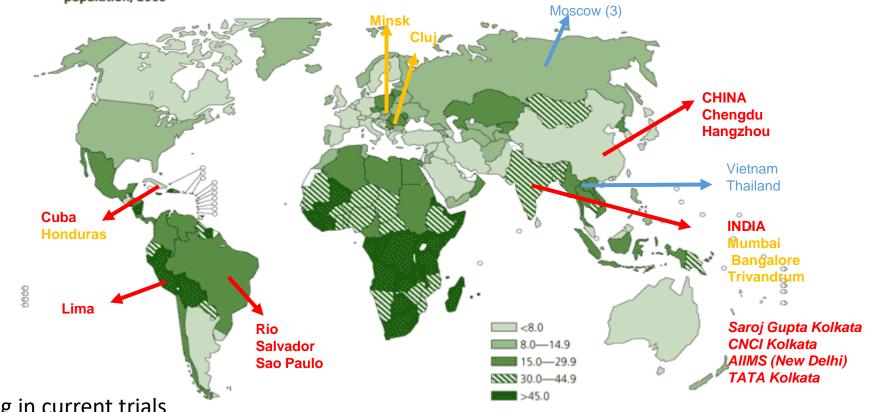
3. Do you follow ICH Good Clinical Practice [GCP] Guidelines?

4. As well as protocol-mandated reporting through the data reporting mechanism, is there a national regulatory procedure for reporting serious adverse events .



#### **Current CCRN sites**

Fig. 1. Worldwide incidences of cervical cancer per 100 000 females (all ages), age-standardized to the WHO standard population, 2005<sup>4</sup>



Blue- participating in current trials

- Red CCRN approved
- Gold- approved with contingency

Black- pending



## Meeting objectives

- Establish new partnerships to further care of women with cervical cancer
- Facilitate the exchange of ideas in developing *new* trials
- Encourage participation in *ongoing* CCRN trials
- Understand HIV & Cervical cancer and its unique challenges



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#### International clinical trials-Challenges

