



XXIst. International Congress of Hydatidology

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KENYA**



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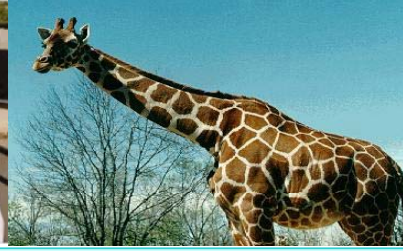
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Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the Kenya Society of Hydatidology, it is my great pleasure to invite you to participate in the XXIst International Congress of Hydatidology, which will be held in Nairobi, Kenya between August 16 - 21, 2004. This is the second time the Congress will be convened in Africa.

The XXIst International Congress of Hydatidology will provide an enabling platform to discuss the new developments in a wide range of aspects of Hydatid disease /Echinococcosis, as well as new strategies in the control of the disease. All these new trends will be presented to our participants in a friendly atmosphere of Kenyan hospitality.

Kenya is a country with diverse African culture. It also has a wide variety of wild animals that makes it the destination of choice in world tourism. Nairobi, Kenya's capital City, serves as a main link to various game parks such as Nairobi National Park, Maasai Mara, Lake Nakuru, and Tsavo. With numerous entertainment facilities during the evening, Nairobi will provide a friendly setting for every participant that cares for socializing after productive congress sessions.

We do hope that you will not only be able to join us, but also get an opportunity to explore and become a part of this unique country through this event. We will do our best to prepare a successful and memorable congress. We are honoured and eager to serve you, as your friends and colleagues, in making you feel at home.

Please feel free to write back with your ideas and suggestions which will greatly help us to organize a great, meeting, Kenya.

Looking forward to seeing you in Nairobi.

Sincerely yours,

Davy Koech
President of the Organizing Committee,
Kenya Society of Hydatidology



MAIN TOPICS

- 1. Biology of Echinococcosis**
- 2. Epidemiological aspects of Echinococcosis**
- 3. Control programmes and eradication of Echinococcosis**
- 4. Advances in diagnosis of Echinococcosis**
- 5. Advances in treatment of Echinococcosis**

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