

PROFILE OF MRS. VNV ENYA



My **name** is Mrs. Veronica Nnenna Victor Enya (Nee Asianya). I am a Deputy Director (Laboratory Services) in the department of Public Health and Epidemiology, NIMR and a PhD student of Medical Microbiology, department of Microbiology, School of Post Graduate Studies, University of Benin, Benin-City. I have M.Sc. in Pathogenic Microbiology and Fellow Medical Laboratory Science Council of Nigeria (FMLSCN): Medical Microbiology.

I have carried out several research studies and presently my **research focus** is on co-morbidity between Poverty Related Diseases and Non communicable diseases: "The Role of Human Leukocyte Antigen Class II Alleles in the Occurrence of Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus Among Patients with HIV and Pulmonary Tuberculosis co-infection in Nigeria": PhD project on-going.

I have obtained several **Trainings** which include: CITI Program Course for Principal Investigators: Biomedical Researchers 1-Basic Course 24th August 2019. (ii) Assessing Genomic Data Using Ensembl Browser 24th June 2019. (iii) Ethics and Medical Laboratory Jurisprudence 15th June 2019. (iv) Administrative and Management Training course for Medical Laboratory Scientists of Directorate Level in Public Health Institutions, Abuja, 11th -13th June, 2019. (v) Basic Genomics and Bioinformatics workshop (Hands-on) 22nd to 26th April 2019. (vi) Hands on Training Course in Human Assisted Reproductive Technology: Basic Course in Semenology and Intra Uterine Insemination (IUI) at Embryology Academy for Research and Training (EART), Mumbai, India 3rd -6th April 2017. (vii) Medical Laboratory Inspectors Training, Abuja, 11th -12th September 2017. (viii) Scientific Manuscript Writing and Career Development 5th-6th November, 2017. (ix) A 1-day dissemination and training workshop on "Compliance of Health Research Ethics Committees in Nigeria with National and International Ethical Standards" NIMR, Lagos 25th January 2016. (x) Implementing International Quality Management System (QMS), Eko Hotel and Suites, Lagos, 20th November 2014. (xi) Grants and Research Proposal writing workshop, Shehu Musa Yeradua Conference Centre, Abuja, 9th -10th Nov. 2014. (xii) A 2-day Scientific Workshop on Research Study Design, Ethics and Data Management NIMR, Lagos 27th - 28th November 2013. (xiii) A 10-day in-house Intensive Training workshop on "Basic Malaria Microscopy" NIMR, Lagos, 30th January-10th February 2012. (xiv) Human Subject Protection and Ethical Review of Research Protocols, by NIMR& NHREC, Mainland Hospital, Yaba, Lagos 28th June-1st July 2011. (xv) Good Clinical Practice, NIMR, Lagos 22nd-25th August 2011. (xvi) Multi Drug Resistant *Mycobacterium Tuberculosis* Complex Testing Using Hain GT-Blot 48. NIMR, Lagos 18th -22nd May 2009. (xvii) Quality Management System (ISO 9001:2008) training, NIMR, Lagos 16th-19th June 2009. (xviii) International Training Course for Laboratory Technicians on HIV/AIDS/STIs. Centre for Study and Disease Control University of Younde I, Cameroun. 5th -31st March 2007. (xix) HIV/AIDS: Diagnosis, Management and Prevention. Sheraton Hotels and Towers, Abuja. 16th -19th August 2000.

I have received **5 Research Support- Grants/awards**: (a). NIMR Pre-Doctoral Research Development Grant (PRDG) 2018. Grant Number: 1 NIMR-PRDG-0008-18-01 (b) 6th PAN-African Malaria Conference the International Convention Centre, Durban, South Africa 6th -11th October 2013. Antimalarial Drug Prescription Pattern and Use in Lagos: Implication for Policy and Treatment outcome **Oral presentation**. (c) 6th IAS Conference, Rome, Italy 17th -20th July 2011. Prevalence of MDR-TB amongst patients with HIV and TB co-infection seen at the DOTS Clinic of NIMR **Oral presentation**. (d) 16th ICASA, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia 4-8 December 2011. HIV-1/*Plasmodium falciparum* malaria co-infection and correlation: A study of febrile patients **Poster presentation**. (e) 18th African Union Conference for TB/HIV and other lung diseases International Conference Center, Abuja, Nigeria 2-5th March 2010. Evaluation of a rapid PCR Assay for detection of MDR among HIV-TB co-infected patients seen at DOTS clinic of NIMR, Lagos, Nigeria. **Oral presentation**.

I have **27 Research Publications** in local and International Peer-Review Journals.