

Infectious Diseases Control: From Product Development to Public Health

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Abstract

There are difficulties in controlling environment conditions and preventing vector breeding and propagation. New drugs, drug combinations and regimens and vaccines need to be developed and tested. However, it is also of great importance to note that concerted efforts of various healthcare workers from different disciplines and administrations are needed to control tropical diseases.

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