

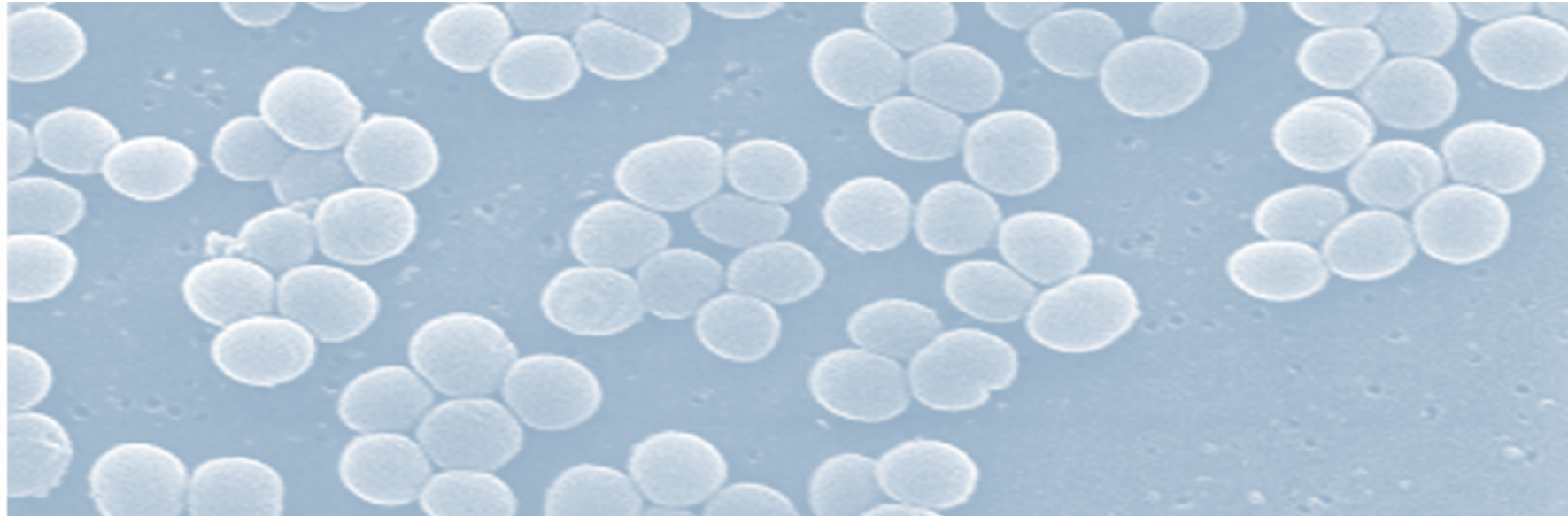


Finding connections



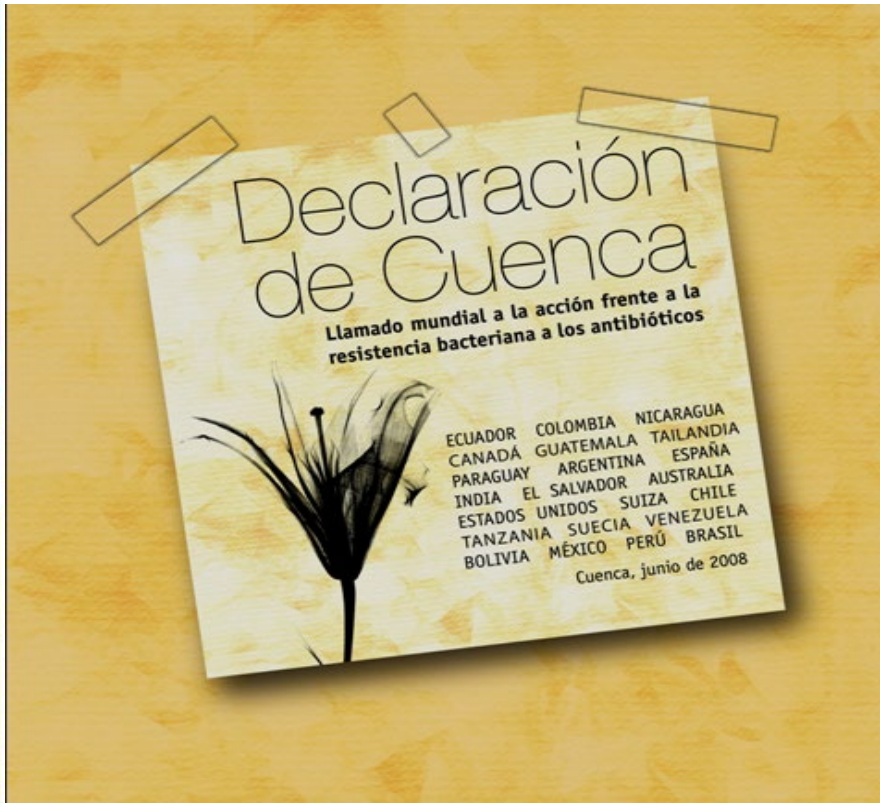
MOBILIZING COMMUNITIES TO TACKLE ANTIBIOTICS RESISTANCE:

**PARTICIPATORY AND ACTION RESEARCH.
INNOVATION**



The problem is not the bacteria but ourselves.

The destruction of mother earth and the cosmos by the consumer society which has invaded and destroyed the sacred site of different forms of life including the world of bacterias



The Cuenca Declaration, 2008



- ABR is a real threat to global health, especially in developing countries and to the poor.
- The magnitude and multi-causes of the problem impels a coordinated and multilateral approach.



A Comprehensive Approach

- A social and political awareness
- Through health promotion, participative education/ research
- Involving academy staff, social activists and community leaders.
- From the perspective of the health of the ecosystem.



Strategies

- Establish a sustainable base through existing networks:
- Construction, development and consolidation of an action network:

Recovering the Harmony of the Ecosystems



Philosophy



- Knowledge and the values of the native peoples of our *Abya Yala*
- There is one life at the same time in many forms.
- We have to protect this life as a whole.

ABR is global health problem

- Awareness, monitoring and policies are limited
- Community, health professionals, authorities need to be involved
- Ecological dimension to the problem,
- Medical, social, economic, political
- „Governments, international organizations, pharmaceutical and the general population.

Activities: engage people, organizations to understand and develop agendas

- Promote social, political and environmental awareness
- Promote the prevention of infectious diseases and effective treatment
- We build processes of based on the participation of communities

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LINES OF WORK

RESEARCH

GENERATE LOCAL,
NATIONAL AND
REGIONAL
EVIDENCE

TRAINING

CHANGE OF
FOCUS IN THE
TRAINING OF
HUMAN
RESOURCES

EDU-
COMMUNICATION

MAKE VISIBLE AND
SENSITIZE PEOPLE TO THE
INCREASE IN ANTIBIOTIC
RESISTANCE. INCLUSION
OF ABR IN THE THE
AGENDA OF SOCIAL AND
HEALTH NETWORKS



How to make a difference

- aim: a real change
- comprehensive/holistic
- impact in the community
make practical change at individual, family and community level and try to impact national, local and regional policies.

STRATEGIES



**COOPERATION
BETWEEN
ACADEMIA,,
COMMUNITY
AND HEALTH
WORKERS.**



**PARTICIPATION
AND
COMMUNITY
MOBILISATION**



**CONSTRUCTION
OF NETWORKS**



ART AND CULTURE



Reimaginando la Resistencia









Pedalea con conciencia... usando los antibióticos con prudencia!

José Cardoso, Pedro Astudillo, Pablo Chica





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