UK-India Tackling AMR in the Environment from Antimicrobial Manufacturing Waste Global Stakeholder's Forum Nov 29th (Wed) to Dec 5th (Tues) 2023 Indian Institute of Technology Bombay, Mumbai, India

Initial Information about Planned Programme Meeting

• This is an *in-person* meeting of all 5 project teams of the UK/India-AMR programme (UK and Indian partners).

• This meeting is being hosted in our Mumbai partners at the Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay (IITB), India.

- Project teams will meet on the November 29th, November 30th & December 1st, 2023.
- Excursions in and around Mumbai are scheduled for December 2nd & 3rd, 2023.

• A *hybrid* **Global Stakeholder Forum** will be held on December 4th & 5th, 2023. This will be led by the AMR-WATCH team.

• Project teams planning to attend the programme meeting are advised to budget:

o £1,500 per UK delegate (inclusive of flights, accommodation, and meeting attendance).

o R 50,000 per Indian delegate (inclusive of internal travel and meeting attendance).

• UK teams travelling to India are required to complete a course of travel vaccinations.

Vaccinations should be completed at least 8 weeks before the trip. Please refer to the <u>NHS</u> <u>fitfortravel</u> website for recommended vaccinations for travel to India.

• Visa applications can be completed <u>online</u>. Visa fees will depend on the visa type and duration of visa, and can cost approximately £210 for business visas of one year duration. Visa processing can range between three working days and three months depending on nationality of the visa applicant.

• Attendees requiring visas should start their application as soon as possible as there might be delays in securing visa appointments.

• The Indian Rupee is a *closed currency*, so Indian Rupees will only be exchangeable on arrival and departure from India.



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