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Shunmay Yeung is a Professor in Infectious Disease and Global Health and the Head of the Clinical Research Department at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine. She is actively clinically as a consultant in Paediatric Infectious Disease at St Mary's Imperial College Hospital in Paddington. She has worked internationally including in South Africa, Sierra Leone, Uganda, Cambodia, Thailand, Indonesia, and for the WHO in Geneva. Her current research focuses on multidisciplinary research aimed at improving the management of acute infections in children in a wide range of geographical and health service settings.

In this talk she will discuss the challenge of diagnosing and managing children with the fever and will cover some ongoing research projects including FIEBRE a multicentre study investigating the aetiology of fever in Laos, Malawi, Mozambique and Zimbabwe; and DIAMONDS a large European Union funded project developing a new transcriptomic based diagnostic test to improve the diagnosis and management of febrile illness.