Statement from Dr. Yati Soenarto on new data from separate studies in Asia and Africa on the safety, efficacy, and potential lifesaving impact of rotavirus vaccines

“Nearly all children get rotavirus, but not every child dies from it,” said Dr. Yati Soenarto, professor of pediatrics and consultant for gastroenterology, Universitas Gadjah Mada and Dr. Sardjito Hospital in Indonesia. “Rotavirus diarrhea is deadly where children do not have access to medical care. Vaccination is the best way to protect children in poor countries and prevent rotavirus diarrhea deaths.”

For more information, please visit: http://www.path.org/news/pr100805-rotavirus-vaccines-Asia.php

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