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### Biography

Dr Valerie McCormack is a cancer epidemiologist based at the International Agency for Research on Cancer. Dr McCormack's research has a strong African focus, with active fieldwork across ten Sub-Saharan African countries. Her major activities are in the areas of breast cancer survival and strategies to improve it in the African context, building on the ABC-DO cohort. She also leads studies on the etiology of esophageal cancer in East and Southern Africa, and on the intergenerational effects of cancer in LMICs. Her more recent interests are in skin cancer in persons with albinism.