The Big Debate
Student worksheet

Complete all sections of this worksheet through your research and discussions. You will need this information to pass on at the expert conference.

1. Name of malaria stage

2. What happens in this stage of the malaria lifecycle?

3. Why is this stage important for the parasite – is there any element of this stage that is particularly critical for parasite survival?
4. Is there a choke point, i.e. a point where there are only a few parasites to eliminate? If yes, what is it and where does it occur?

5. Is this stage important for the disease – are there any symptoms at this stage?

6. What interventions can be targeted to this stage? Outline them below with their advantages and disadvantages.