

1st International Conference on the PEN-Plus Regional Strategy to Address Severe NCDs in Africa (ICPPA 2024)



Theme: Prioritizing Person-Centered Approach to Chronic and Severe NCDs: Type 1 Diabetes, Sickle Cell Disease, and Childhood Heart Diseases

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DAY 1: TUESDAY, April 23, 2024

Time		Item	Speaker / Presenter	Location
07:30 – 09:00	Arrival, and Registration	Arrival and registration	WHO	Julius Nyerere International Conference Center

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09:00 -10:55	Opening Ceremony	Tanzanian National Anthem (5 mins)	All	Selous Hall (Main Hall)
		Welcome address, introduction of Distinguished Guests and local delegates from Tanzania (10 mins)	Dr. John Jingu, Permanent Secretary MoH (Tanzania)	
		Introduction to the ICPPA - Video (5 mins)		
		Cultural Dance (5 mins)		
		Actions to accelerate the implementation of the NCD Global Compact 2020-2030 – Video (5 mins)	Dr. Bente Mikkelsen, Director NCDs, WHO HQ	
		Remarks by UN Resident Coordinator, Tanzania (5 mins)	Mr. Zlatan Milisic	
		Goodwill message from Helmsley Charitable Trust (5 mins)	Mr. James Reid, Helmsley Charitable Trust	
		Overview of the PEN-Plus Strategy - Video <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Animation Explainer (5 mins) • Live-Action Overview (5 mins) 		
		Beat NCDs for Future Generations: Children’s Message (15 mins)		
		Goodwill messages from Ministers of Health: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minister of Health, Cabo Verde (10 mins) • Minister of Health, Gabon (10 mins) 	H.E. Dr. Filomena Gonçalves Prof. Adrien Mougougou	
		Keynote address from the WHO Regional Director for Africa (Video- 10 mins)	Dr. Moeti Matshidiso, WHO Regional Director for Africa	

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		Remarks from Minister of Health Tanzania (15 mins)	H.E. Umyy A. Mwalimu	
		Photo Session (5 min)	All	
11:00 – 11:45		Tea Break (Lobby)	Press Briefing (Mikumi Hall)	

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<u>Plenary 1: Accelerating the Global Compact - ending the neglect of Noncommunicable Diseases (NCDs) across the life course in Africa</u>				
Chair(s): Dr. Adelheid Werimo Onyango, WHO AFRO UHP Director & Prof. Obiageli Nnodu, Director CESRTA Rapporteurs: Dr. Kaitesi Mukara (WHO AFRO), Dr. Kouamivi Agboyibor (WHO AFRO), Dr. Emily Wroe (NCDI Poverty Network Director of Programs)				
12:00 – 12:15	Plenary 1	Presentation: Noncommunicable diseases (NCDs) in the African region: Epidemiology, trends, challenges and opportunities	Prof. Jean-Marie Dangou, NCDs Expert	Selous Hall (Main Hall)
12:15 – 12:30		Presentation: Severe Noncommunicable Diseases (NCDs) affecting children, adolescents, and young adults in the African region: A focus on type I diabetes, rheumatic heart disease, and sickle cell disease	Dr. Gene Bukhman (Center for Integration Science, NCDI Poverty Network)	
12:30 – 13:00		Discussion	All	
13:00 – 14:00		Lunch break		

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14:00 – 15:00		<p>Round table: How can an equity-driven agenda raise the priority of NCDs in the WHO African Region?” (60 mins)</p> <p>Moderator: Prof. Ana Mocumbi</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • H.E. Dr. Filomena Gonçalves, Minister of Health, Cabo Verde • Dr. Olivia Ouedraogo, Director NCDs, MOH Burkina Faso • Mr. James Reid, Hemsley Charitable Trust • Ms. Emmanuella Selase, Person living with type 1 diabetes • Dr. Fouzia Shafique, Associate Director for Health, UNICEF • Prof. Tumaini Nagu, Chief Medical officer, Tanzania 	Prof. Ana Mocumbi, Universidade Eduardo Mondlane, NCDI Poverty Network	
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<p>Plenary 2: Policy Frameworks and Strategies for Integrating NCD Interventions in Primary Health Care (PHC): from WHO PEN to PEN-Plus</p> <p>Chair(s): Dr. Neil Gupta, Policy Director, Center for Integration Science, NCDI Poverty Network & Dr. Cynthia Mwase, Director Health Africa BMGF</p> <p>Rapporteurs: Dr. Joseph Mwangi (WHO South Africa), Dr. Wubaye Walelgne Dagnaw (NCDI Poverty Network, Ethiopia)</p>				

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15:00 – 15:15	Plenary 2	Presentation: WHO's PEN and PEN-Plus approach to address evolving NCD challenges	Prof. Jean-Marie Dangou, NCDs Expert	Selous Hall (Main Hall)
15:15 – 15:30		Presentation: Integrating NCD interventions in primary health care and the PEN-Plus regional strategy	Dr. Kouamivi Agboyibor, WHO AFRO	
15:30 – 15:45		Presentation: Integrating PEN and PEN-Plus into primary and first level referral facilities: the Tanzanian experience	Prof. Kaushik Ramaiya (Secretary Tanzania NCD Alliance) & Dr. Mary Mayiga (National Institute of Medical Research, Tanzania)	
15:45 – 16:00		Discussion	All	
16:00 – 16:45		Panel discussion: Integration of NCD service delivery at PHC and first-level referral hospitals (45 minutes) Moderator: Dr. Alarcos Cieza, Head, NCD integrated support, HQ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Evariste Ntaganda, Director, NCDs, MoH Rwanda • Dr. Elizabeth Juma, Team Lead, ESPEN, WHO African Region 	Dr. Alarcos Cieza, Head, NCD integrated support, HQ	

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Miss Eunice Owino, Sickle Cell Disease Advocate and Voices for PEN-Plus • Dr. Deogratias Munube, Consultant Paediatric Haemato-oncologist, Sickle Clinic, Mulago Hospital, Uganda • Dr. Fastone Goma, Centre for Infectious Disease Research, Zambia 		
16:45 – 17:00		<i>Closing for Day 1</i>		
17:30 – 19:30		Tanzania night event: Cocktail		Lobby