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Conference Room 6 UN Conference Building New York





















End Extreme Poverty & Share Prosperity through Achieving UHC by 2030



Please join a high-level event on universal health coverage (UHC). This event will emphasize the importance of country-led health system strengthening as a key driver to achieve SDG3 by 2030. Aligned with the theme of the HLPF2017, this event will demonstrate examples of UHC as a key contributing factor to SDG1 and SDG8.

The discussion will centre on two key themes:

- 1. UHC as a key driver to achieve healthy lives for all
- 2. Resource needs for attaining health related SDGs

Moderator

Dr. Elizabeth Cousens, Deputy Chief Executive Officer, UN Foundation

Opening

Dr. Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus, Director-General, WHO

Keynote

Dr. Jorge Basso, Minister of Public Health, Uruguay Dr. Takao Toda, Steering Committee Co-Chair 2017-2018, UHC2030

Launch: Cost Estimates of Attaining SDG3

Dr. Agnès Soucat, Director of Health System Governance of Financing, WHO

Panel Discussion

Dr. Jaime Burrows, Vice-Minister of Public Health, Chile Dr. Phusit Prakongsai, Director Bureau of International Health, Ministry of Public Health, Thailand Dr. François Gave, Counsellor for Sustainable Development, French Permanent Mission to the United Nations Ms. Mandana Kooijmans, Global Health Policy & Advocacy Advisor, Cordaid, The Netherlands

Closing and Outlook

Mr. Michael Myers, Managing Director, The Rockefeller Foundation Mr. Hiroshi Minami Ambassador, Deputy Permanent Representative of Japan to the United Nations

