



THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS CENTER FOR AFRICA CONFERENCE

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Building And Strengthening Accountability In African Health Systems

8th – 9th March 2018

Radisson Blu Hotel & Convention Centre

Kigali, Rwanda

AGENDA

Day 1, March 8th 2018	
8:00 – 9:30	Arrival of Participants, Invited Guests and VIPs
9:30 – 9:45	Welcoming Remarks Dr. Belay Begashaw Director General, SDGC/A
9:45 – 10:00	Dr. Takao Toda Vice President for Human Security and Global Health Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)
10:00 – 10:15	Ms. Zouera Youssoufou Chief Executive Officer, Dangote Foundation
10:15 – 10:30	Honorable Dr. Diane Gashumba Minister of Health of the Republic of Rwanda
10:30 – 10:45	Keynote Address Honorable Ambassador Claver Gatete Minister of Finance and Economic Planning of the Republic of Rwanda
10:45 – 11:30	Photo Session Tea and Coffee Break
11:30 – 13:00	Panel Discussion High Level Panel Discussion: In-Country Accountability Mechanisms to Strengthen Health System in Africa Moderator: Mr. George Ndirangu , Presenter and Producer, CNBC Africa Panellists: - Dr Delanyo Dovlo , Director, Health System Strengthening Cluster, WHO Regional Office for Africa (WHO/AFRO) - Mr. Robert Yates , Project Director of the UHC Policy Forum, Centre on Global Health Security, Chatham House



Day 1, March 8th 2018			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Dr. Takao Toda, Vice President for Human Security and Global Health, JICA - Ms. Zouera Youssoufou, Chief Executive Officer, Dangote Foundation - Honorable Dr. Patrick Ndimubanzi, Minister of State in the Ministry of Health in charge of Public Health and Primary Healthcare, Rwanda - Professor Philip Cotton, Vice Chancellor, University of Rwanda 		
13:00 – 13:15	Introduction of the Parallel Thematic Sessions		
13:15 – 14:45	Lunch Break		
14:45 – 17:30	<p>Parallel Thematic Session 1</p> <p><i>Building effective accountability framework to ensure optimal functioning of the health systems in Africa</i></p> <p>Resource Person: Dr Humphrey Karamagi, SDG Coordinator, WHO Regional Office for Africa (WHO/AFRO)</p> <p>Facilitator : Ambassador Hon. Dr. Richard Sezibera, Senator, Republic of Rwanda</p>	<p>Parallel Thematic Session 2</p> <p><i>Engender efficient, strong and long-lasting health accountability mechanisms in Africa using data, research and development.</i></p> <p>Resource Person: Dr. Githinji Gitahi, Chief Executive Officer, Amref Health Africa Group</p> <p>Facilitator: Dr. Don Goldman, Chief Medical and Scientific Officer for the Institute for Healthcare Improvement (IHI), Harvard University</p>	<p>Parallel Thematic Session 3</p> <p><i>Establishing appropriate solutions and other accountability mechanisms to ensure proper functioning of healthcare system in Africa</i></p> <p>Resource Person: Dr. Olushayo Olu, Resident Representative, WHO Rwanda</p> <p>Facilitator: Dr. Fletcher Tembo, Director for the Making All Voices Count Programme</p>
16:30pm (30 min)	Tea break at 16:30pm (30 min)		
19:00 – 21:00	Dinner		



Day 2, March 9th 2018	
8:00 – 9:00	Visit to Genocide Memorial Site
9:00 – 9:30	Arrival of Participants
9:30 – 11:00	Continuation of Parallel Thematic Discussions Development of Recommendations and Resolutions
11:00 – 11:30	Tea and Coffee Break
11:30 – 13:15	Plenary: Recommendation and The Way Forward Moderator: Professor Philip Cotton , Vice Chancellor, University of Rwanda Panellists: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ambassador Hon. Dr. Richard Sezibera, Senator of the Republic of Rwanda - Dr. Githinji Gitahi, Chief Executive Officer, Amref Health Africa Group - Dr. Olushayo Olu, Resident Representative, WHO Rwanda - Honorable Manthabiseng Phohleli, Deputy Minister of Health of the Kingdom of Lesotho - Dr. Takao Toda, Vice President for Human Security and Global Health, JICA - Professor Jeanine Condo, Director General, Rwanda Biomedical Center - Dr. Belay Begashaw, Director General, SDGC/A
13:15 – 14:45	Lunch Break
14:45 – 15:30	Address from Honorable Ministers / Country Delegates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Honorable Silvia Paula Valentim Lutucuta, Minister of Health of the Republic of Angola - Honorable Manthabiseng Phohleli, Deputy Minister of Health of the Kingdom of Lesotho - Mr. Chea Sanford Wesseh, Assistant Minister for Statistics in the Ministry of Health and Social Welfare of the Republic of Liberia
15:30 – 16:00	Tea and Coffee Break
16:00 – 16:15	Call to Action
16:15 – 16:45	Closing Remarks Dr. Belay Begashaw Director General, SDGC/A