



High Level Event

“No One Left Behind: Global Health, Access to Care, Inequalities and Migration”

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The **2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development** is a plan of action for people, planet and prosperity. Its goal, among others, is to promote physical and mental health, well-being, extended life expectancy, universal health coverage, access to quality health care by improving gender equality, the economic empowerment and education for women and girls and the reduction of inequalities. **The 2030 Agenda** offers a major opportunity to improve global health and end disparities in access to health-care by promoting a more holistic approach, which recognizes the interdependence between health and development. This is clearly reflected in Sustainable Development Goal 3, with its wide-ranging objective to ensure health and well-being for all. There is a bold commitment to end the epidemics of AIDS, tuberculosis, malaria and other communicable diseases by 2030, and to achieve universal health coverage, with no one left behind.

Despite the considerable progress made in global health in the past twenty years, inequities, not just in terms of income or wealth, but also in terms of access to health systems, still persist. Achieving the targets set in the 2030 Agenda and ensuring health and well-being for all, with particular attention to vulnerable populations such as migrants and people living in areas of crisis, requires strong global leadership.

Italy will hold the Presidency of the **G7** until the end of 2017. It has taken the decision to focus on issues related to migration, the environment and global health during the G7 Summit, which was held in Taormina on 26-27 May 2017.

The **G20 summit**, currently chaired by Germany, will be held in Hamburg 7-8 July 2017 and will represent an additional opportunity to demonstrate strong commitment for the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and the Addis Ababa Action Agenda and global health.

In consideration of these important events, a high level meeting in Italy, jointly organised by the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, Friends of the Global Fund Europe, and the Global Fund, after the G7 and G20 Summit, would be an opportunity to take stock of the outcomes and support preparations for the G7 Health Ministerial Meeting which will take place in Milan on 5 November 2017.

Objective

To increase awareness of global health inequities and inform Italian stakeholders of the outcomes of the G7 and G20 in relation to global health; to discuss upcoming challenges in relation to SDGs, global health and migration issues, to present best practices and strategic priorities for improving global health and achieving the SDGs.

AGENDA

08:30 - 09:30	Meeting Registration & Welcome Coffee
09:30 - 10:10	Welcoming remarks: Walter Ricciardi, President of the ISS
	Opening: Beatrice Lorenzin, Minister of Health, Italy
10:10 - 10:20	Setting the scene: <i>Stefano Vella - from AIDS, Malaria and Tuberculosis to Global Health</i>
10:20 - 11:40	First session: “Global Health and the Agenda 2030: No One Left Behind” This session will focus on global health and the Sustainable Development 2030 agenda with particular emphasis on the most vulnerable with focus on women, girls and children; Moderator: Emilia Grazia De Biasi, Senator, Head of the Health Commission at the Italian Senate <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Ambassador Pietro Sebastiani, Director General, International Cooperation and Development, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Italy○ Flavia Bustreo, Assistant Director-General, Family, Women’s and Children’s Health, WHO○ Archbishop Silvano M. Tomasi, Dicastery for Promoting Integral Human Development, the Holy See○ Dr. Kesetebirhan Admasu, Executive Director, Roll back Malaria○ Rosemary Mburu – Executive Director, WACI health, African Health Platform, Kenya
11:40 – 13:00	Second session: “Achieving universal health coverage - best practices towards 2030” This session will focus on the gaps toward UHC and will expose intervention and best practices towards an equitable and sustainable health system; Moderator: Giuseppe Ippolito, Scientific Director, Istituto Nazionale Malattie Infettive <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Christoph Benn, Director External Relations, The Global Fund○ Laura Frigenti, Head of Italian Agency for International Cooperation○ Lucica Ditiu, Executive Director, Stop TB Partnership○ Erika Castellanos, Director of Programs, GATE○ Maria Grazia Panunzi, President of AIDOS (Associazione Italiana Donne per lo Sviluppo) and member of the Italian Network on AIDS, Rights and Health
13:00 - 14:30	LUNCH BREAK
14:30 - 15:50	Third Session “Health and Migration”

	<p>This session will focus on protection and health intervention in migration contexts, on root causes of migration flows and on their links with human rights, country development, economic empowerment, and on ways to mitigate migrants suffering and protect their health;</p> <p>Moderator: Fabiola Anitori, Senator, Italian Senate</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Federico Soda, Director, Coordination Office for the Mediterranean, International Organization for Migration (OIM) ○ Concetta Mirisola, Executive Director of the National Institute for Migration (INMP) ○ Robert Vitillo, Secretary General, The International Catholic Migration Commission ○ Francesco Aureli, International Health Observatory ○ Pietro Bartolo, Medical Director of Lampedusa, Italy
15:50 - 17:10	<p>Round table: “G7 and G20 crosstalk”</p> <p>This round table will focus on the health outcomes of the Italian G7 summit, and on the positive links with the German G20; with a particular attention to multilateralism in G7/G20 process.</p> <p>Moderator: Sandra Zampa, Member of Parliament, Italian Parliament</p> <p>Discussants:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mathias Licharz, Head of division on Global Affairs of the of German Federal Chancellery ○ Ambassador Raffaele Trombetta, Italian G7 Sherpa (TBC) ○ Gaetana Ferri, General Director Communication and European and International relations, Ministry of Health, Italy ○ Laurent Vigier, Chair, Friends of the GF Europe
17:10 - 17:30	Closing