

1st NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON HEALTH PROMOTION AND DISEASE PREVENTION

6-7 November 2019

Speke Resort Munyonyo, Kampala, Uganda

Day 1: General overview on health promotion and disease prevention in Uganda

Sub-theme: The evolution of health promotion practice in Uganda: Where we came from, where we are now, and where we want to go

Masters of Ceremony: Maurice Mugisha, Deputy Executive Director – UBC and Tabley Bakyaaita, MoH

Time	Session	Speaker	Session Chair
8:00 – 9:00	Arrival, registration, and breakfast		
9:00 – 9:15	Welcome remarks and conference objectives	Conference Convener	MoH
9:15 – 10:00	Historical perspective- The evolution of health promotion efforts in Uganda and its contribution to disease prevention	Prof. Francis Omaswa, ED, ACHEST	Dr. Henry Mwebesa, Ag. DGHS, MoH
10:00-11:00	Key note address 1- The role of Health Promotion in achieving Universal Health Coverage	Dr. Githinji Gitahi, CEO Amref Health Africa, Co-chair of the UHC2030 Steering Committee	Hon. Dr. Joyce Moriku, Minister of Health – Primary Health Care
11:00 – 12:45	Opening Ceremony - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conference Convener • Permanent Secretary • World Health Organization (WHO) Representative <i>on behalf of all UN agencies and other partners</i> • Hon. Minister of Health • Chief Guest: Prime Minister 		
12:45 – 13:00	Official photograph	All	Public Relations
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch		
14:00 – 15:00	Learning session- Part 1 - Sustainable Health Financing for Health Promotion (20 minute presentation) Part 2 - Local perspectives in financing health promotion and disease prevention initiatives	Main presenter -Dr. Nkechi Olalere, Executive Director, Strategic Purchasing Africa Resilience Centre – Nairobi Panelists – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WHO 	Dr. Diana Atwine, Permanent Secretary - MoH

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UNICEF • USAID 	
15:00 – 16:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Governance and leadership that yields results in health promotion and disease prevention • Use of technology to advance health promotion and disease prevention initiatives 	<p>Prof. John Francis Mugisha, VC - CUU</p> <p>Susan Serumaga, UNICEF</p>	<p>Hon. Sarah Opendi, MoH-GD</p> <p>Dr. Charles Olaro, Director-Clinical Services, MoH</p>
16:00- 17:00	<p>Breakout session 1- Governance and Leadership</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Integrated CHWR Implementation for Streamlined Community Interventions – <i>KCCA, Living Goods, Intrahealth</i> • Ebola Virus Disease (EVD) preparedness is a governance issue- <i>UNICEF</i> 		<p>Dr. George Upenthyo, CHS – Community Health, MoH</p>
	<p>Breakout session 2- Technology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Malo Solid Waste Allocation Application (Malo-App) - <i>Mbarara University of Science and Technology</i> • Using of text messaging platform to improve maternal health service delivery in Uganda: A case of SMS Maama mHealth Pilot - <i>SMS MAAMA</i> • Telehealth (e-health) as a feasible option for modern contraceptive information dissemination and consultation for Adolescent girls and young women in Lango sub-region: February 2019 – April 2019 - <i>USAID/RHITES-N, Lango</i> 		<p>Paul Mbaka, Ag. ACHS-Division of Health Information, MoH</p>
	<p>Breakout session 3 – Social Behavior Change Communication: From theory to practice Part 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applying human centered design and action media 		<p>Benjamin Sensasi, World Health Organization</p>
17:00 – onwards	Reception and exhibition		

Day 2: Learning from past experiences and setting the way forward for health promotion in Uganda

Sub-theme: National declarations to activate and galvanize stakeholders' commitment and accountability towards integrated and sustainable health promotion and disease prevention response.

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8:00 – 8:30	Arrival and registration		
8:30 – 9:30	Presentation: Regional experiences implementing Community Health Worker Programs and their impact in advancing the Health Promotion Agenda	Maureen Kerubo Adudans, Regional Community Health Advisor – UNICEF ESARO	Richard Kabanda, Ag. CHS-Health Promotion
9:30 – 10:30	Panel Discussion 2- Building support for community Health Initiatives to achieve UHC in Uganda	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hon. Dr. Michael Bukenya, Chair of Health Committee, Parliament of Uganda • Prof. Freddie Ssenkooba, MakSPH • Dr. Diana Nambatya Nsubuga, UHC Co-Chair, Africa/ Living Goods • Ms. Nargis Shirazi, Young Leader and Champion for UHC 	Dr. Sarah Byakika, CHS-Planning Policy and Finance, MoH
10:30 – 11:00	Tea break and poster gallery		
11:00 - 11:45	<p>Presentation – Using culture as a platform to promote health and prevent diseases</p> <p>Interactive panel- Perspectives in utilizing cultural institutions to promote healthy behaviors for disease prevention</p>	<p>Main presentation- Prime Minister Alur Kingdom</p> <p>Perspectives from Ministers of Health from the Kingdoms of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Buganda • Bunyoro • Busoga • Tooro 	MGLSD
11:45 – 12:15	Interactive Discussion – Reflections on the Obulamu Project and its impact in promoting health in communities	Sheila Marunga Coutinho Chief of Party, USAID CHC/ FHI360	Dr. Paul Kagwa – Former Assistant Commissioner Health Promotion & Education MOH

12:15- 13:00	Panel Discussion 3 – The role of academic institutions in shaping research, innovations, and Health Promotion workforce	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MakSPH • Uganda Martyrs • Clarke International • Uganda Christian • Kabale University 	Prof Everd B. Maniple, Former VC, VUU
13:00 – 13:45	Lunch		
13:45- 14:30	Panel Discussion 4 – Innovative experiences in promoting community health initiatives to prevent diseases	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DHE • Marie Stopes Uganda • Healthy Entrepreneurs • BRAC 	Chair – DHOs Forum
	Breakout session 4: Health Awareness <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intensifying social and community mobilization to find TB missing cases in Uganda – <i>FHI360/ USAID CHC Project</i> • The Role of Home-Based Testing and Assisted Partner Notification In The Prevention of New HIV Infections and Early Detection of HIV Infected People- <i>Alive Medical Services</i> • The Model Household Approach: Empowering individuals, families, and communities to take ownership of their health – <i>Pathfinder</i> 		Tabley Bakyaita, Ag. ACHS-HPE, MoH
	Breakout session 5: Capacity Strengthening <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A concern for health educators’ efforts to close gaps in immunization service delivery; Jinja Experience – <i>Jinja District Local Government</i> • Community Resource Persons- a Super Ingredient in TB Disease Prevention: Experiences from Kampala, Wakiso and Mukono Districts – <i>USAID Defeat TB Project Uganda</i> 		Dr. Alfred Driwale, Program Manager – UNEPI, MoH
	Breakout session 6 - Social Behavior Change Communication: From theory to practice Part 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Effectively monitoring SBCC programs 		Dr. Richard Mugahi, MoH
15:30 – 16:00	Poster presentations		
16:00 – 16:30	National declaration for health promotion	Conference Convener	Dr. Henry Mwebesa, Ag. DGHS, MoH
16:30 – 17:30	Closing ceremony – commitments from stakeholders <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Permanent Secretary, MoH • USAID • UNICEF • WHO • Minister of Health 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Permanent Secretary, MoH • USAID • UNICEF • WHO • Minister of Health 	
17:30	Tea and departure		