## LEARNING CENTRE @ CSD-19

Conference Room B

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## **Chemicals Issues of Importance of Sustainable Development**

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## Synopsis:

This session covers three important policy topics in the thematic area on Chemicals:

(i) assessment of future trends in the production and use of chemicals and the potential effects of these trends on environment, health and sustainable development;

(ii) linkage between human health and environment as an important policy driver for increased priority given to chemicals;

(iii) partnerships as a tool for achieving sound management of chemicals.

Concrete examples will be presented.