

**High-level Meeting on Universal Health Coverage**  
**Thursday, 21 September 2023, 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.**  
**United Nations Headquarters, New York**

**PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME**

<p><b>10:00 -10:30 a.m.</b> Conference Room 1</p>	<p><b>Opening segment</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• H.E. Mr. Dennis Francis, President of the 78<sup>th</sup> session of the General Assembly</li> <li>• Ms. Amina J. Mohammed, Deputy Secretary-General, United Nations</li> <li>• Dr. Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus, Director-General, World Health Organization</li> <li>• Mr. Ajay Banga, President of the World Bank Group (TBC)</li> <li>• H.E. Ms. Rebecca Naa Okaikor Akufo-Addo, First Lady of Ghana</li> </ul>
<p><b>10:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.</b> Conference Room 1</p>	<p><b>Plenary segment</b></p> <p>Statements by Member States and Observers of the General Assembly</p>
<p><b>11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.</b> Conference Room 2</p>	<p><b>Multistakeholder panel 1:</b> What is a primary health care approach and why does it matter?</p> <p><b>Co-Chairs</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• H.E. Ms. Susan Nakhumicha Wafula, Cabinet Secretary for Health of the Republic of Kenya</li> <li>• H.E. Ms. Acko Ankarberg Johansson, Minister of Healthcare of Sweden</li> </ul> <p><b>Panelists</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms. Neda Milevska-Kostova, Board Chair, International Alliance of Patients' Organizations</li> <li>• Mr. Francis Omaswa, Executive Director, African Center for Global Health and Social Transformation</li> <li>• Mr. Jagan Chapagain, Secretary-General of the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies</li> <li>• Ms. Gabriela Cuevas Barron, UHC 2030 Co-Chair</li> </ul>
<p><b>3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.</b> Conference Room 2</p>	<p><b>Multistakeholder panel 2:</b> Aligning our investments for health and well-being in a post-COVID world</p> <p><b>Co-Chairs</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• H.E. Mrs. Azhar Giniyat, Minister of Healthcare of Kazakhstan</li> <li>• H.E. Mr. Chris Fearne, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Health of Malta</li> </ul>

	<p><b>Panelists</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ms. Mercy Mwangangi, Co-chair, Steering Group of the Future of Global Health Initiatives</li><li>• Mr. Werner Hoyer, President of the European Investment Bank</li><li>• Ms. Inger Ashing, CEO, Save the Children</li><li>• Ms. Sania Nishtar, Senator</li></ul>
<p><b>5:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.</b> Conference Room 1</p>	<p><b>Closing segment</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• H.E. Mr. Dennis Francis, President of the 78<sup>th</sup> session of the General Assembly</li></ul>