

Consultation on Human Rights in the HIV response

Promoting human rights in HIV response:

Regional and subregional strategies and best practices

Agenda

12-13 February 2019, Room XII, Palais des Nations, Geneva, Switzerland

12 February 2019

10:00 – 11:30 High-level opening

Ms. Kate Gilmore, United Nations Deputy High Commissioner for Human Rights, OHCHR

Mr. Rico Gustav, Executive Director, Global Network of People Living with HIV

H.E. Ms. Maria Nazareth Farani Azevêdo, Permanent Representative of Brazil

Mr. Tim Martineau, Deputy Executive Director a.i., UNAIDS

Dr. Ren Mingui, Assistant Director-General for Communicable Diseases, WHO

General statements

11:30 – 13:00 Panel 1 – Setting the scene: ending AIDS by 2030 – human rights in the HIV response, challenges and opportunities

Dr. Dainius Pūras, Special Rapporteur on the right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health

Dr. Stefan Baral, Johns Hopkins University

Ms. Michaela Clayton, Director of AIDS and Rights Alliance for Southern Africa (ARASA)

Dr. Olusegun Odumosu, acting Executive Director, African Men for Sexual Health & Rights

Interactive dialogue

15:00 – 16:30 Panel 2 – Improving human rights in HIV response through regional and subregional strategies

Mr. Ralf Jurgens, Senior Coordinator, Human Rights, Global Fund to Fight AIDS, TB and Malaria

Mr. Adeolu Ogunrombi, Project Coordinator of YouthRISE Nigeria and West African Countries

Ms. Boemo Mmandu Sekgoma, Secretary General (ai), SADC parliamentary Forum

Ms. Marcela Romero, Regional Coordinator, REDLACTRANS

Interactive dialogue

16:30 – 18:00 Panel 3 – Regional accountability mechanisms to uphold human rights to and through health

Mr. Patricio Pazmiño Freire, Judge of the Interamerican Court of Human Rights

Ms. Lucy Asuagbor, Commissioner of the African Commission on Human and Peoples' Rights

Mr. Evghenii Alexandrovici Goloșceapov, Member of the Council for Preventing and Eliminating Discrimination and Ensuring Equality, Republic of Moldova

Mr. Bikas Gurung, Asian Network of People who use drugs (ANPUD)

Interactive dialogue

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10:00 – 12:00 Panel 4 – Delivering on the leave no one behind promise: addressing stigma, discrimination, violence and abuse

Mr. Victor Madrigal-Borloz, Independent Expert on sexual orientation and gender identity

Ms. Suzanne Aho Assouma, member of the Committee on the Rights of the Child

Ms. Eszter Kismodi, Reproductive Health Matters

Ms. Ruth Morgan Thomas, Global Coordinator, Global Network of Sex Work Projects

Interactive dialogue

12:00 – 13:00 Conclusions and closing

Ms. Annah Sango-Page, Zimbabwe Young Positives

Dr. Dainius Pūras, Special Rapporteur on the right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health