

## **AGENDA**

## Parallel session on Pharmacovigilance and patient safety

6 September 2013, Delta Ottawa City Centre, Ottawa, Canada

## **Objectives:**

- 1. Raise awareness about the strengths, weaknesses and challenges of monitoring the safe use of medicines through the pharmacovigilance systems in the Region.
- 2. Confirm or propose changes to the objectives and lines of action of the PANDRH working group within the new Strategic plan.
- 3. Define additional priorities in the way forward.

6 September 2013 (Day 2)	
16:00 – 17:15 Richelieu/Frontenac Salon	
16:00	Introductory remarks. (José Luis Castro, PAHO/WHO)
16:05	Pharmacovigilance in the Region of the Americas: dynamics, challenges and perspectives. (Verónica Vergara, ANAMED, CHI)
16:20	Regulatory authority and Immunization programs: a joint work for patient safety. (David Wood, WHO).
16:35	Pharmacovigilance: the tool to complete the picture of medicines utilization (Claudia Vaca, MSPPS,COL)
16.50	General discussion
17.05	Conclusions.













