

Working Group on PAHO in the 21st Century

Recommendations of the Members of the Working Group

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The Ministry shares the opinion of the working group about the health situation of the peoples of Latin America and the Caribbean and the strategic challenges that the Governments must face to bring about change in order to:

- 1) reduce maternal and infant mortality and protein-energy malnutrition;
- 2) combat poverty and social exclusion;
- 3) promote the strengthening of democracy and the role of the State to better address health problems;
- 4) combat communicable diseases such as malaria and dengue, as well as certain other chronic conditions, by improving the quality of the physical environment;
- 5) improve access to health services;
- 6) increase and upgrade human resources for health;
- 7) increase the financial resources allocated to health.

The **MSPP** also supports the Working Group approach to the role of **PAHO** and the strategies that the Organization should adopt to promote partnerships and alliances in health between wealthy nations and poor nations strengthen technical cooperation among countries, etc.

Finally, the recommendations stemming from the deliberations of the Working Group are highly relevant, and the **MSPP** accepts them without reservation.