



## ***Commemoration of World TB Day 2014***

### **“Tuberculosis is still undiagnosed in many places, especially in large cities, Diagnosis and Treatment for All”**

PAHO’s headquarters, Washington, D.C., 21st March 2014, 14:00 – 16:00, Room C  
Virtual session in English: [www.livestream.com/paho](http://www.livestream.com/paho)

## **AGENDA**

### **14:00 – 14:20 OPENING**

Moderator:

***Mr. Daniel Epstein***, Acting Director, Department of Communications, PAHO

Opening remarks:

***Dr. Carissa Etienne***, Director, Pan American Health Organization

***Mrs. Beth Hogan***, Acting Assistant Administrator, Latin America and Caribbean Bureau, USAID

### **14:20 – 14:45 BEST PRACTICES IN TB CASE DETECTION IN VULNERABLE POPULATIONS**

#### ***Video presentation***

Objective:

To present and discuss best practices that have improved TB case detection in three countries of the Region

Moderator:

***Dr. Mirtha del Granado***, Advisor, TB prevention and control - HIV, Hepatitis, Tuberculosis and Sexually Transmitted Infections – HT Unit, PAHO

Video presentations from:

#### ***Peru:***

*Community work and increased TB surveillance*

#### ***El Salvador:***

*Introduction of new diagnostic technologies and TB detection strategies in prisons*

**Haiti:**

*TB/HIV case detection and integrated management*

Discussion

14:45 – 15:45 **TUBERCULOSIS AND ITS SOCIAL DETERMINANTS IN THE AMERICAS**

**Panel**

Objective:

To exchange experiences on the approach to social health determinants in the social development policies of the invited countries within the context of universal health access

Moderator:

**Dr. Francisco Becerra**, Assistant Director Pan American Health Organization

Special guests:

- **Dr. Jarbas Barbosa**, Secretary for Health Surveillance, Ministry of Health, Brazil
- **Dr. Cuauhtemoc Mancha**, Assistant Director General of Preventive Programs - CENAPRECE, Secretary of Health, Mexico
- **Mr. Victor Salcedo Ríos**, Municipal mayor of El Agustino, Lima, Peru

Discussion

15:45 – 16:00 **PATIENT'S TESTIMONY, CONCLUSIONS AND CLOSING**

Moderator:

**Dr. Marcos Espinal**, Director, Communicable Diseases and Health Analysis - CHA, PAHO

Patient's testimony:

**Mrs. Karen Rivas**, Colombia

Conclusions and closing

16:00

**Reception**