



SIDS SUMMIT FOR HEALTH:

For a healthy and resilient future
in Small Island Developing States



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as of 25/06/2021 morning

28 June 2021

First SIDS Leaders Dialogue: The Vision for a Healthy Resilient Future

10:00–11:00 CEST

Summit opening video

Dr Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus, Director-General, WHO

H.E. Taneti Maamau, President of Kiribati

H.E. Frank Bainimarama, Prime Minister of Fiji

H.E. Pravind Kumar Jugnauth, Prime Minister of Mauritius

H.E. Georges Rebelo Pinto Chikoti, Secretary-General,
Organization of African, Caribbean and Pacific States (OACPS)

Milikini Failautusi, Health Worker and Tuvalu advocate (video statement)

Mr Yannick Glemarec, Executive Director, Green Climate Fund

H.E. (Ms) Amina Mohammed, UN Deputy Secretary-General (Video statement)

Moderator: **Femi Oke**



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Panel 1: Tackling the NCD and mental health crises for healthier SIDS

15:00 – 16:20 CEST

Chaired by **Dr Matshidiso Moeti**, Regional Director, African Region, WHO

Minister of Health, Cabo Verde
Chief Medical Officer, Dominica
Assistant Undersecretary of Health, Bahrain
Deputy Minister of Health, Portugal
Katie Dain, Chief Executive Officer, NCD Alliance
Dr Adriana Blanco Marquizo, Head of the Convention Secretariat, WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control (FCTC)

Panel 2: Advancing equitable access to NCDs and mental health services through primary health care

16:30 – 17:50 CEST

Chaired by **Dr Hans Kluge**, Regional Director, European Region, WHO

Minister of Health, Belize
Minster of Health, Barbados
Minister of Health, Dominican Republic
Minister of Health, The Seychelles
Minister of Health, Trinidad and Tobago
Dr Ren Minghui, Assistant Director-General for Universal Health Coverage, Communicable and Noncommunicable Diseases, WHO



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Panel 3: SIDS driving global climate and health action

21:00 – 22:20 CEST

Chaired by **Elena Manaenkova**, Deputy Secretary-General, World Meteorological Association, and **Dr Maria Neira**, Director, Environment, Climate Change and Health, WHO

Minister of Health, Fiji
Minister of Health, Haiti
Minister of Health, Samoa
Director General, Ministry of Health, Vanuatu
Minister of Pacific Peoples and Associate Minister for Health, New Zealand

Panel 4: Accelerating implementation of the health response to climate change in SIDS

22:30 – 24:00 CEST

Chaired by **Dr Carissa Etienne**; Director; Pan American Health Organization/Regional Director, Region of the Americas, WHO
Minister of Health, Kiribati
Minister of Health, Marshall Islands
Minister of Health, Suriname
Minister of Health, Tuvalu
Jhannel Tomlinson, EU/CARIFORUM Project Youth and Fellows Technical Working Group, Jamaica



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Panel 5: Towards strong primary health care and universal health coverage

09:00 – 10:20 CEST

Chaired by Dr **Takeshi Kasai**, Regional Director, Western Pacific Region, WHO

Minister of Health, Cook Islands
Minister of Health, Federated States of Micronesia
Minister of Health, Guinea-Bissau
Minister of Health, Niue
Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Health, Singapore
Minister of Health, Timor Leste

Panel 6: Innovating to face health systems challenges: workforce, medicines and data

10:30 – 11:50 CEST

Chaired by Dr **Ahmed Al-Mandhari**; Regional Director; Eastern Mediterranean Region, WHO

Minister of Health, Nauru
Minister of Health, Sao Tome and Principe
Minister of Health, Tonga
Dr Osamu Kunii, Head of Strategy, Investment & Impact Division
Dr Mariangela Simao, Assistant Director-General for Access to Medicines, Vaccines and Pharmaceuticals



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Panel 7: Achieving COVID-19 recovery and emergency preparedness

13:00 – 14:20 CEST

Chaired by **Dr Poonam Khetrapal Singh**, Regional Director, South-East Asia Region, WHO

Minister of Health, Antigua and Barbuda
Minister of Health and Wellness, Jamaica
Minister of Health, Maldives
Minister of Health, Mauritius
Minister of Health, Saint Lucia
Vice-Minister of Health of Cuba
Director of the Office of Global Affairs, Department of Health and Human Services, USA
Dr Bruce Aylward, Lead, ACT-Accelerator (ACT-A) Hub
Dr Mike Ryan, Executive Director, WHO Emergencies Programme

Panel 8: Advancing health food systems, biodiversity and nutrition

14:30 – 15:50 CEST

Chaired by **Dr Zsuzsanna Jakab**, Deputy Director-General, WHO or **Dr Naoko Yamamoto**, Assistant Minister of Health, Comoros
Minister of Health, Guyana
Minister of Health, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Parliamentary Vice-Minister of Health, Labour and Welfare, Japan
Pierre K. Cooke Jr., One Young World Ambassador and Health Caribbean Technical Advisor
Ms Angélica Jacome, Director of the Office of Small Island Developing States, Least Developed Countries and Landlocked Developing Countries, FAO



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Second SIDS Leaders Dialogue: The Way Forward for a Healthy Resilient Future

16:00 – 17:00 CEST

Dr Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus, Director-General, WHO
H.E. Gaston Browne, Prime Minister of Antigua & Barbuda
H.E. Keith Rowley, Prime Minister of Trinidad and Tobago
H.E. Pōhiva Tuʻiʻonetoa, Prime Minister of Tonga (video statement)
Mr Java Sealy, Caricom Youth Ambassador
Ms Fekitamoeloa Katoa Utoikamanu, UN Under Secretary-General and High Representative for Least Developed Countries, Land-Locked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States (UN OHRLLS)

Moderator: **Nicola Barriteau**