

2021 Virtual Regional Consultations on Climate and Health

African Region Consultation

May 4th 2021



African Region Consultation Agenda, May 4th

Time (Brazzaville time, GMT+1)	Activity	Timing
9:00 - 9:35	Welcome and opening remarks by event hosts (WHO, GCHA)	35 mins
9:35 - 10:20	Consultation Session 1: <i>What climate change-related health impacts have you already experienced in your country or region?</i>	45 mins
10:20 - 10:28	Break	8 mins
10:28 - 11:05	Case Studies <i>5 case studies will be shared</i>	37 mins
11:05 - 11:35	Lunch Break	30 mins
11:35 - 12:20	Consultation Session 2 <i>What should decision makers prioritize to protect health from climate change?</i>	45 mins
12:20 - 12:35	Workshop Pitch and Break	15 mins
12:35 - 13:20	Workshops (Choose 1 of 3 - descriptions below)	45 mins
13:20 - 13:30	Closing	10 mins

Workshops:

International Federation of Medical Students Associations

The role of future health professionals is imperative to drive the mobilization of the health community for climate action. In this session, students will share their grassroots advocacy efforts for health and climate change ranging from building the awareness and resilience of their communities to transforming their curricular education to be better equipped to address the accelerating health impacts of climate change on their future patients - as the first-line responders.

Health Care Without Harm

This workshop will showcase practical experiences of healthcare professionals working to advocate for policies and practices that promote health, and, adopt sustainable procurement models that consider environmental and health implications. We will demonstrate how we are working with health systems in Africa to identify, track, monitor and document environmental health implications of healthcare activities, to reduce their carbon footprints through data collection, monitoring and reporting systems

Global Climate and Health Alliance

Join us as we explore different pathways to promote Climate - Health resilience that go beyond national boundaries and achieve local and global results.

Engage in the way that best fits your organisation, and convey the urgent issues and actions into a statement to present to policymakers.

Get involved in ongoing initiatives to stay connected internationally and continue to foster the effort for a healthy and just future.