

2025 GLOBAL CONFERENCE ON CLIMATE AND HEALTH

The 2025 Global Conference on Climate and Health will take place in Brasília, Brazil, from 29 to 31 July 2025. In line with the Belém Health Action Plan, a proposal that Brazil is presenting for the voluntary adoption of the UNFCCC parties and the endorsement of the civil society and non-State actors. The Plan is based on a set of policies based on the best available scientific evidence, covering both the health sector and cross-sectoral actions that maximize co-benefits for health. It also seeks to be a framework to engage the support of climate philanthropies, Multilateral Development Banks, climate funds and other stakeholders who could address the underinvestment in the adaptation of the health sector to climate change, considering climate justice and the health impact on those more vulnerable.

The event aims at consolidating and sharing the existing evidence on the implementation of health adaptation policies to climate change and address health co-benefits from ambitious and just climate actions at the international, national, and subnational levels. In this context, placing health equity and social participation is essential to the action agenda for the health sector and to the success of COP30.

This Global Conference is co-organized by the Government of Brazil, the World Health Organization (WHO), the Pan American Health Organization (PAHO), and the Alliance for Transformative Action on Climate and Health (ATACH). The 2025 convening will mark the V Global Conference on Climate and Health and will serve as the annual, in-person meeting of ATACH members.

The program is organized in plenary sessions, panel discussions, workshops, open discussions, and dynamic Idea Labs sessions. It will showcase innovation and impact from a range of stakeholders in implementing climate-health strategies to improve health based on the two cross-cutting priorities:

- Health equity and climate justice;
- Leadership and governance on climate and health with social participation.

The three days workshop activities will be structured around the three main lines of action of the Belém Health Action Plan:

- Health Surveillance and Monitoring;
- Evidence-based Policy Strategy and Capacity Building;
- Innovation and Production.

Main Outcomes:

- Concrete inputs to the Belém Health Action Plan's draft;
- Articulation of countries' responsibilities and commitments under ATACH to support the Belém Health Action Plan;
- Defined pathways to promote health as a core pillar of climate action in the lead-up to COP30;
- Belém Health Action Plan supporting documents:
 1. Synthesizing Evidence on Climate and Health Public Policies

2. Synthesis Report on Social Participation in Climate and Health Adaptation: A desk-based review highlighting relevant experiences, lessons learned, and strategies to strengthen participatory processes, with a focus on Black, Indigenous, local, and traditional communities.

Key Partners

- Baku COP Presidencies Continuity Coalition for Climate and Health;
- Government of Brazil;
- Pan American Health Organization (PAHO);
- Oswaldo Cruz Foundation (FIOCRUZ);
- United Nations Development Program (UNDP);
- United Nations Environment Program (UNEP);
- United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC);
- World Health Organization (WHO);
- World Meteorological Organization (WMO).

Sponsorship:

- Kingdom of Spain;
- United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland;
- Gates Foundation;
- The Rockefeller Foundation;
- Wellcome Trust.

Participants: Academic researchers of climate, environment and health sectors, Ministries of Health or National Health Authorities policy-makers, civil society representatives, grass-roots movements, philanthropic organizations, high-level representatives of Indigenous and traditional communities, International Organizations and Multilateral Development Banks.

AGENDA

DATE: July 29th, 2025

TIME: 09:00 - 18:00

LOCATION: International Convention Center of Brazil (CICB). St. de Clubes Esportivos Sul Trecho 2 Conjunto 63, Lote 50 - Asa Sul, Brasília - DF, 70200-002.

TIME	ACTIVITY
9:00 AM - 10:00 AM	<p>OPENING CEREMONY</p> <p>Opening remarks (5') from high-level representatives about the climate-health nexus and the role of the health sector in COP 30.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • H.E. Alexandre Padilha, Minister of Health - Brazil; • H.E. Marina Silva, Minister of the Environment and Climate Change – Brazil • H.E. Ratu Atonio Rabici Lalabalavu, Fiji Minister for Health and Medical Services • H.E. Ibrahima Sy, Senegal Minister of Health and Social Action • Ana Toni, COP30 CEO • Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus, Director-General – World Health Organization (WHO) (<i>video</i>) • Jarbas Barbosa, Director – Pan American Health Organization (PAHO) • Youssef Nassef, Director of Adaptation – United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) • Tony Kay, Deputy Head of Mission of The United Kingdom to Brazil • Juan José Escobar Stemann, Chargé d'Affaires of the Embassy of Spain to Brazil • Olavo Noletto Alves, Executive Secretary of the Council for Sustainable Economic and Social Development (CDESS/SRI/PR) (TBC) • Fernanda Magano, President – National Health Council (CNS) • Tânia Mara Coelho, President – National Council of Health Secretaries (CONASS)
10:00 AM - 12:30 PM	<p>SESSION 1: THE BELÉM HEALTH ACTION PLAN</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentation of the draft Belém Health Action Plan Mariângela Simão, Secretary of Health and Environment Surveillance, Ministry of Health, Brazil (15') - Post-presentation moderated pocket dialogues with key stakeholders Moderator: Maria Neira, Director of the Department of Public Health and Environment - WHO

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ministries of Health (30') H.E. Ratu Atonio Rabici Lalabalavu, Fiji Minister for Health and Medical Services H.E. Ibrahima Sy, Senegal Minister of Health and Social Action Hussain Alrand, Assistant Undersecretary Public Health, UAE Hossam Abd el-Ghaffar, Minister Assistant for Institutional Reform - Egypt Helen Yaxley, Lead of Climate Change and Health - FCDO/UK Vugar Mammadov, Head of International Cooperation Department - Azerbaijan • Multilateral international organizations (20') Anban Pillay, Deputy Director General at National Department of Health - G20 Presidency South Africa Youssef Nassef, Director of Adaptation - UNFCCC Daphne Von Buxhoeveden, Head of Unit - EU Commission Danilo Moura, Climate and Environment Specialist - UNICEF • Civil society and academia (20') Mario Moreira, President - FIOCRUZ Emma Rawson-Te Patu, President - WFPHA Jeni Miller, Executive Director - GCHA Victor Dzau, President - National Academy of Medicine, USA • Grass-root movements, indigenous and traditional communities (20') Ângela Kaxuyana, COIAB Representative - COICA Sandra Andrade, President - CONAQ Sandra Patiño, Head of Livelihoods and Health - Amazon Conservation Team Marta Giani, Women's movement of Pará - The People's Summit <p>- Remarks from the audience on the Belém Health Action Plan (30')</p> <p>- Closing remarks and next steps - Ministry of Health of Brazil (5')</p>
12:30 PM - 2:00 PM	Lunch

	<p style="text-align: center;">IDEA LABS</p> <p>Happening simultaneously in three parallel rooms, Idea Labs are an open and participatory space designed to foster contributions that showcase innovative initiatives, stimulate interdisciplinary dialogue, elevate underrepresented voices, and inspire action. Selected from an open <u>Call for Proposals</u>, the Idea Labs will complement the Belém Health Action Plan agenda to promote solution-oriented discussions at the intersection of climate and health, including the exploration of health co-benefits into multi sectoral policy making and research.</p>		
<p style="text-align: center;">2:00 PM - 3:00 PM</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Idea Lab 1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">14:00–14:30 Beating the Heat: Innovations and best practices from the frontlines of Climate Change <i>Organizers: PATH and AIIB</i> <i>Presenters: Dr. Swati Mahajan, Vera Siesjo</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">14:30–15:00 Children's Environmental Health Index <i>Organizers: Ministry of Environment and Climate Change (Brazil), Ministry of Health (Brazil), UNICEF, and Vital Strategies</i> <i>Presenters: Danilo Moura (UNICEF), Izabel Ferreira (Vital Strategies)</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Idea Lab 2</p> <p style="text-align: center;">14:00–14:30 Malawi's strategy to build health system resilience amid climate change <i>Organizer: Seed Global Health</i> <i>Presenters: Hendricks Mgodie, Ministry of Health, Malawi; Emilia Carrera, Rockefeller Foundation; Jessica Clarke, WHO (moderator)</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">14:30–15:00 The Climate Change and Urban Health in Latin America Open Data Portal and City Profiles: Leveraging local evidence to drive regional action on climate and health <i>Organizer: Climate Change and Urban Health in Latin America (SALURBAL-Climate)</i> <i>Presenter: Nelson Gouveia, Professor, Department of Preventive</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Idea Lab 3</p> <p style="text-align: center;">14:00–14:30 Andean Health and Climate Change Plan. ORAS-CONHU: Bolivia, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru, and Venezuela <i>Organizer: Organismo Andino de Salud–Convenio Hipólito Unanue</i> <i>Presenters: Bertha Luz Pineda Restrepo Coordinadora de Cambio Climático y Desigualdades, Organismo Andino de Salud-Convenio Hipólito Unanue; Diego Moreno Heredia Profesional especializado, Líder de cambio climático. Subdirección de Salud Ambiental, Ministerio de Salud y Protección Social de Colombia; Daniel Buss Jefe de la Unidad Cambio Climático y Determinantes Ambientales de la Salud,</i></p>

		<i>Medicine at the University of São Paulo School of Medicine</i>	<i>OPS/OMS Washington DC</i> 14:30–15:00 Artificial Intelligence for Climate-Resilient Health Systems: Innovations from the Global South <i>Organizers: The Global South Artificial Intelligence for Pandemic and Epidemic Preparedness and Response Network (AI4PEP)</i> <i>Presenters: Andre Carvalho; Taylor Cargill; Guilherme Goedert</i>
3:00 PM - 5:00 PM	<p style="text-align: center;">WORKING GROUPS</p> <p>The working groups will be conducted concurrently in three distinct rooms, each dedicated to one of the three strategic lines of the Belém Health Action Plan:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health Surveillance and Monitoring; • Evidence-Based Policy Strategy and Capacity Building; • Innovation and Production. <p>Each session shall commence with an opening presentation of a selected Supporting Document related to the topic (15'), followed by a presentation delivered by member countries of ATACH (20'), highlighting exemplary best practices pertaining to the respective line of action. All themes and discussion that follows must consider the two cross-cutting priorities of the Plan and should be linked to one or more of the expected outcomes of the Conference. This introductory segment will be succeeded by in-depth discussions (90') focused on the analysis and refinement of the measures proposed within the draft version of the Plan.</p>		
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	<p>Document (15')</p> <p>Climate and environmental risks to malaria elimination in Brazil <i>Organizer: Boston Consulting Group</i> <i>Presenters: Nicholas Luter, Victor Stangherlin</i></p> <p>→ 2 ATACH member country best-practice presentations (20') - mini roundtable discussion moderated by Head Facilitator.</p> <p>1. Prevention and control of climate sensitive diseases: A Climate-Health Early-Warning Digital Solution for Nepal <i>Presenters:</i> <i>Dr Pramod Joshi, Executive Chief, Nepal Health Research Council (NHRC)</i> <i>Dr Meghnath Dhimal, Chief/Senior Research Officer Research Section, Nepal Health Research Council (NHRC)</i></p> <p>2. Advancing a Climate-Informed Early Warning and Response System in Bangladesh <i>Presenter: Md Mamunur Rashid, Joint Secretary, Health Services Division, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare</i></p>	<p>Document (15')</p> <p>Climate Care Champions Program <i>Organizer: Swasti</i> <i>Presenter: Dr. Cecilia Sorensen - Global Consortium on Climate and Health Education (GCCHE), Columbia University</i></p> <p>→ 2 ATACH member country best-practice presentations (20') - mini roundtable discussion moderated by Head Facilitator.</p> <p>1. Building National Capacity on Climate Change Adaptation for Health <i>Presenter: Ms Carolyn Tateishi, Director, Climate Change and Health Office Health, Canada</i></p> <p>2. Enhancing Health Workforce Capacity for Climate Action in Nepal <i>Presenter: Dr Bikash Devkota, Secretary, Ministry of Health and Population, Nepal</i></p> <p>→ In-depth discussion of the proposed measures within this line of action (80'): replicability, regional contexts, challenges, implementation, opportunities, partnerships, gaps and needs, etc:</p>	<p>Document (15')</p> <p>Health and Climate: A Contemporary Look from the Amazon <i>Organizer: A Concertation for the Amazon - Uma Concertação pela Amazônia</i> <i>Presenters: Marcia Castro and Erika Pellegrino</i></p> <p>→ 2 ATACH member country best-practice presentations (20') - mini roundtable discussion moderated by Head Facilitator.</p> <p>1. Climate Resilient Infrastructure for Basic Services (CRIBS) – A systematic approach to making primary health care and education facilities resilient to climate change <i>Presenters: Mr Dave McConalogue, Head of Health, FCDO Nigeria and Dr Zakariya Mohammed, Director/Head, Climate Change and Environmental Health (CCEH) Division, Public Health Department, Federal Ministry of Health & Social Welfare, Nigeria.</i></p> <p>2. Resilient Infrastructure and Services - Vietnam <i>Presenter: Dr Thai Ha</i></p>
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	<p>→In-depth discussion of the proposed measures within this line of action (80’): replicability, regional contexts, challenges, implementation, opportunities, partnerships, gaps and needs, etc:</p> <p>1.1. Strengthening Climate-Informed Health Surveillance and Early Warning Systems</p>	<p>2.1. Taxonomy of Adaptation-Related Terms within the Climate and Health Nexus</p> <p>2.2. A Knowledgeable and Adaptive Workforce to Address the Challenges of Climate Change</p> <p>2.3. Foster Community Resilience and Raise Awareness about Climate Change</p>	<p><i>Le, Deputy Director of Vietnam Administration of Disease Prevention (VADP), Ministry of Health MoH, Vietnam</i></p> <p>→In-depth discussion of the proposed measures within this line of action (80’): replicability, regional contexts, challenges, implementation, opportunities, partnerships, gaps and needs, etc:</p> <p>3.1. Climate-Resilient Infrastructure and Essential Services</p> <p>3.2. Health Programs Guided by Climate Change Considerations</p>
<p>5:00 PM - 6:00 PM</p>	<p align="center">STRATEGIC ROUNDTABLE: ALIGNING WORKING GROUP SOLUTIONS WITH THE COP30 ACTION AGENDA</p> <p>This roundtable will bring together the lead facilitators of the three working groups to follow up on the first day of discussions on the Belém Health Action Plan. Offering an overview of the solutions discussed in each group, the session will conclude with remarks from the General Coordinator of the COP30 Action Agenda, who will introduce key concepts such as activation groups and acceleration plans. The objective is to guide the next steps of the Conference to align the proposed solutions from the Working Groups with the Action Agenda framework leading up to COP30.</p> <p>Moderator: Maria Neira, Director of the Department of Public Health and Environment - WHO (5’)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marina Romanello, Executive Director - Lancet Countdown. Working group 1 Head Facilitator (10’) • Daniel Buss, Head of Climate Change and Environmental determinants of Health - PAHO. Working group 2 Head Facilitator (10’) • Vincent Bretin, Director of Climate and Health - UNITAID. Working group 3 Head Facilitator (10’) • Bruna Cerqueira, General Coordinator of COP30 Action Agenda (15’) 		

	Special moment with Dr Maria Neira , (Director Department of Environment, Climate Change and Health, WHO) to celebrate a career dedicated to advancing Environmental Health. Moderated by Secretary of Health and Environment Surveillance, Mariângela Simão , Ministry of Health, Brazil Secretary.
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM	WELCOME RECEPTION AND CULTURAL EVENT: A TASTE OF THE BRAZILIAN EXPERIENCE

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TIME: 08:30 - 18:30

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TIME	ACTIVITY
08:30 AM - 10:30 AM	<p>SESSION 2: LEARNING FROM THE ATACH EXPERIENCE</p> <p>This session will explore ATACH as a key mechanism to promote and track the implementation of the Belém Health Action Plan. It will also examine the Alliance's role in monitoring how health is being integrated into National Adaptation Plans (NAPs) and Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs), highlighting progress, challenges, and opportunities to strengthen accountability and country-level action at the intersection of climate and health.</p> <p>Master of Ceremony: Helen Yaxley, Climate and Health Policy Lead - FCDO-UK</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Taking stock and update on HNAPs and NDCs Elena Villalobos Prats, ATACH Secretariat Lead - WHO - 20' - Roundtable 1 with Ministries of Health from all six WHO Regions - 45' <p>Moderator: Carolyn Tateishi, Director, Climate Change and Health Office - Health Canada - 3'</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • H.E. Ratu Atonio Rabici Lalabalavu, Fiji Minister for Health and Medical Services • H.E. Ibrahima Sy, Minister of Health and Social Action, Senegal • Hussain Alrand, Assistant Undersecretary of Public Health - United Arab Emirates • Md. Mamunur Rashid, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Bangladesh • Phillip Swann, Climate Change and Health Focal Point and Acting Director of Public Health - Ministry of Health and Wellness, Bahamas • Falko Drews, Senior Scientific Advisor - Environmental Health Protection, Climate and Health, Federal Ministry of Health Germany <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Roundtable 2 with key ATACH constituencies about priorities and role of ATACH in supporting implementation of climate change and health priorities, including the Belem Health Action Plan - 45'

	<p>Moderator: Jerome Weinbach, Deputy Director for European and International Affairs - Ministry of Labor, health, solidarities and families, France - 3’</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seonmi Choi, Senior Climate Environmental Advisor - The Global Fund • Kimberly Humphrey, Board Member - Doctors for the Environment Australia • Fawzia Rasheed, Senior Advisor, Climate and Environment Lead - Aga Khan Development Network • Talita Gobbi, Head of Sustainability in Brazil - AstraZeneca, on behalf of the Sustainable Markets Initiative Health Systems Task Force • Tatiana Porto, Director of Public Affairs - Sanofi, on behalf of the Sustainable Markets Initiative • Nancy Aburto, Deputy Director, Food and Nutrition Division - Food and Agriculture Organization • Cecilia Sorensen, Director, Global Consortium on Climate and Health Education - Columbia University <p>- Closing remarks and summary by the UK (Helen Yaxley) - 5’</p>
<p>10:30 AM - 12:30 PM</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SESSION 3: SOCIAL PARTICIPATION</p> <p>This plenary session will bring together different actors - Ministries of Health, the private sector, community leaders, grass-roots movements, indigenous peoples, academic institutions etc. on the barriers and facilitators to promote social participation in the decision-making processes on climate and health.</p> <p>The discussion will highlight existing experiences, explore the challenges faced, and identify what is needed to make policymaking processes more inclusive and equitable—not only at the local level, but also at the global level.</p> <p>Moderator: Gerry Eijkemans, Director of Social and Environmental Determinants for Health Equity – Pan American Health Organization (PAHO) (10’)</p> <p>- Opening remarks by moderator: developing institutional mechanisms for social participation in climate and health governance - from local to global.</p> <p>Roundtable themes and representatives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Weibe Tapeba, Secretary for Indigenous Health – Ministry of Health, Brazil (10’) (TBC) Theme: Indigenous agency and community experiences in climate and health • Mahryan Sampaio, Co-founder – Perifa Sustentável (10’) Theme: Environmental racism and climate justice

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Bianca Carvalho, Representative – WHO Youth Council (10’) Theme: Youth participation in climate and health ● Daouda Diouf, Head of Climate action & Health resilience - Foundation (10’) Theme: Leveraging the support of the private sector ● Fernanda Lopes, Epidemiologist, PhD and Master's in Public Health, Abrasco Theme: Building public health goods as an NGO (TBC) (10’) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Q&A (40’) - Closing remarks and wrap up (5’) 		
12:30 PM - 2:00 PM	Lunch		
2:00 PM - 3:00 PM	<p style="text-align: center;">IDEA LABS</p> <p>Happening simultaneously in three parallel rooms, Idea Labs are an open and participatory space designed to foster contributions that showcase innovative initiatives, stimulate interdisciplinary dialogue, elevate underrepresented voices, and inspire action. Selected from an open Call for Proposals, the Idea Labs will complement the Belém Health Action Plan agenda to promote solution-oriented discussions at the intersection of climate and health, including the exploration of health co-benefits into multi sectoral policy making and research.</p>		
	<p style="text-align: center;">Idea Lab 1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">14:00–14:30 Effects of Drought in Brazil: Birth outcomes, hospitalizations, and all-cause mortality <i>Organizers: Centro de Integração de Dados e Conhecimentos para Saúde (Cidacs/Fiocruz-Ba)</i> <i>Presenters: Aline dos Santos Rocha, Paulo Victor Maciel da Costa, Danielson Jorge Delgado Neves</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Idea Lab 2</p> <p style="text-align: center;">14:00–14:30 Financing the Belém Health Action Plan: Achieving Climate-Health Resilience through Blended Capital Solutions <i>Organizer: Health Finance Coalition</i> <i>Presenters: Alex Honjiyo (HFC), Tamer Rabie (World Bank), Seon Mi Choi (Global Fund)</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Idea Lab 3</p> <p style="text-align: center;">14:00–14:30 Operationalizing Healthcare System Transformation within Planetary Boundaries: Lessons from the Lancet Commission on Sustainable Healthcare <i>Organizers: Lancet Commission on Sustainable Healthcare</i> <i>Presenters: Matthew Eckelman, Fawzia Rasheed, Omnia El Omrani</i></p>

	<p>14:30–15:00 Popular Health Surveillance: Enhancing health systems in public health emergencies associated with climate change</p> <p><i>Organizer: Fundação Oswaldo Cruz – Ceará</i> <i>Presenters: Fernando F Carneiro - Participatório/Fiocruz Ceará</i> <i>Graciela Stornini de Almeida - Movimento Sem Terra/RS</i> <i>Teka Potiguara - Movimento Indígena Potiguatapuia/Ce</i></p>	<p>14:30–15:00 Healthy, Safe, and Sustainable Food Procurement in Health Settings for Transformative Action</p> <p><i>Organizer: Initiative on Climate and Nutrition I-CAN</i> <i>Presenters: Nancy Aburto. Director of the Food and Nutrition Division at the Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO)/ Opening remarks: Dr Hossam Abdelghaffar, Ministry of Health and Population Arab Republic of Egypt.</i> <i>Speakers: Ms Diana Picon, International Climate Director, Health Care Without Harm/Dr Vanessa Garcia Larsen/Chief of Risk Factors and Nutrition Unit, Pan American Health Organization, PAHO/Ruobin Wu, Food and Nutrition Consultant, Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO).</i></p>	<p>14:30–15:00 The Right to Clean Air – From Brazil to Australia and the Pacific</p> <p><i>Organizer: Climate and Health Alliance</i> <i>Presenters: Michelle Isles (CAHA), Dr Kimberley Humphrey, Dr Evangelina Araujo - Instituto Ar, Martin Horvath - Respira Amazonia Coalition (multiple Australian and Pacific Leaders via a short film)</i></p>
<p>3:00 PM - 5:00 PM</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">WORKING GROUPS</p> <p>The working groups will be conducted concurrently in three distinct rooms, each dedicated to one of the three strategic lines of the Belém Health Action Plan, the goal is to analyze and refine the measures proposed within the draft version of the Plan:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Health Surveillance and Monitoring; ● Evidence-Based Policy Strategy and Capacity Building; ● Innovation and Production. <p>Each session shall commence with an opening presentation of a selected Supporting Document related to the topic (15'), followed by a presentation delivered by member countries of ATACH (20'), highlighting exemplary best practices pertaining to the respective line of action. This introductory segment</p>		

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<p>Working group 1 - Health surveillance and monitoring</p> <p>WORK ORDER: →Presentation of a selected Supporting Document (15')</p> <p>Developing Geospatial Innovations for Healthcare Services and Decision Making to Address Communicable and Non-Communicable Diseases Arising from the Impacts of Climate Change in Thailand <i>Organizer:</i> <i>Geo-Informatics and Space Technology Development Agency (Public Organization)</i> <i>Presenter: Chanika Sukawattanavijit, Senior Specialist of Geo-Informatics GISTDA</i></p> <p>→ATCH member countries best-practice presentation (20')</p> <p>1. Early warning system for heat waves - Senegal <i>Presenter: Dr Codou Badiane, ATACH Focal Point, Ministry of Health and Social Action, Senegal</i></p>	<p>Working group 2 - Evidence-based policy strategy and capacity building</p> <p>WORK ORDER: →Presentation of a selected Supporting Document (15')</p> <p>Strengthening evidence and capacity for gender-responsive climate action: Integrating sexual and reproductive health and rights (SRHR), gender-based violence (GBV), and harmful practices <i>Organizer: UNFPA</i> <i>Presenters: Ms. Zainab Yunusa, Chiagozie Udeh (tbc)</i></p> <p>→ATCH member countries best-practice presentation (20')</p> <p>1. Creation of the Health Sector Climate Change Committee as a decision-making body - Colombia <i>Presenter: Mr Diego Moreno Heredia, Specialized Professional, Leader and Climate Change Focal Point, Ministry of Health and Social Protection, Colombia</i></p>	<p>Working groups 3 - Innovation and production</p> <p>WORK ORDER: →Presentation of a selected Supporting Document (15')</p> <p>Adaptation Interventions to Sustain Maternal and Child Health Services During Floods and Heat Extremes: Evidence from Brazil, Zambia, and a Global Systematic Review <i>Organizer: University of Brasilia</i> <i>Presenters: Everton Nunes da Silva, Aline do Monte Gurgel</i></p> <p>→ATCH member countries best-practice presentation (20')</p> <p>1. Health Equity and Climate Justice - Timor-Leste <i>Presenter: Ms Bendonina dos Reis Jeronimo, Senior Environmental Health Officer and Focal Point for Climate Change and Health, Ministry of Health, Timor-Leste</i></p> <p>2. Building Resilient Health Systems in Pakistan through</p>

	<p>2. Heat Surveillance Saves Lives: The Netherlands' National Heatwave Plan in Review <i>Presenter: Ms Anna van der Togt, Coordinator Sustainability & Climate Resilience in Public Health, Ministry of Health, Welfare and Sport, The Netherlands</i></p> <p>→In-depth discussion of the proposed measures within this line of action (80'): replicability, regional contexts, challenges, implementation, opportunities, partnerships, gaps and needs, etc:</p> <p>1.2 Identify and Prioritize Climate-Related Health Risks and Diseases, and Formulate Strategies to Address Them</p>	<p>2. Collaboration between the French public health agency and cities to estimate the co-benefits of climate change adaptation actions <i>Presenter: Dr Jérôme Weinbach, Deputy Director for European and international Affairs, French Social Ministries</i></p> <p>→In-depth discussion of the proposed measures within this line of action (80'): replicability, regional contexts, challenges, implementation, opportunities, partnerships, gaps and needs, etc:</p> <p>2.4. Gender-Responsive Adaptation Policies</p> <p>2.5. Multisectoral Strategies for the Adoption of Public Policies with Co-Benefits for the Health Sector</p>	<p>Equity-Centered Adaptation <i>Presenter: Dr Mehreen Mujtaba, Director Climate Change and Health/Director Nutrition, Associate Professor Climate Change, Environmental Health and Sustainable Development, Ministry of National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination, Pakistan Health Services Academy, Pakistan</i></p> <p>→In-depth discussion of the proposed measures within this line of action (80'): replicability, regional contexts, challenges, implementation, opportunities, partnerships, gaps and needs, etc:</p> <p>3.3. Evaluation of Adaptation and Resilience Policies and Actions in the Health Sector</p> <p>3.4. Adaptation for Just Transitions</p>
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<p>5:00 PM - 6:30 PM</p>	<p>ROUNDTABLE: MEANS OF IMPLEMENTATION FOR ADAPTATION IN THE HEALTH SECTOR</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Opening remarks: the state of the art in climate and health financing for adaptation and outstanding challenges 2. Supporting adaptation efforts for the health sector in developing countries 3. Presenting the Belém Health Action Plan as a menu of options for investment <p>Moderator: Manisha Bhinge, Vice President for Health – The Rockefeller Foundation (55’)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dane McQueen, Special Advisor – Gates Foundation • Tamer Rabie, Senior Health Specialist – World Bank • Estefania Jimenez Rodriguez, Climate Change Specialist – Adaptation Fund • Latsamee Inthavongsa, Director of Primary Healthcare Division - Laos • UNDP representative (video) <p>Q&A (25’)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Wrap up: Means of implementation for the Belém Health Action Plan Ambassador Liliam Chagas, Head of the Climate Department – Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Brazil (10’)
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LOCATION: International Convention Center of Brazil. St. de Clubes Esportivos Sul Trecho 2 Conjunto 63, Lote 50 - Asa Sul, Brasília - DF, 70200-002.

TIME	ACTIVITY
08:30 AM - 10:00 AM	<p>SESSION 4: ATACH TASK TEAM ON INDICATORS (WHO)</p> <p>Objective: To present an update on key monitoring and reporting processes relevant to climate and health including the Global Goal on Adaptation (GGA), the Lancet Countdown, WHO's Global Survey on Climate and Health, GPW14, and the Sharm-El Sheikh Adaptation Agenda. Opportunities for alignment and integration of indicators will also be explored. The session will also discuss potential approaches to measure progress on the implementation of the priorities included in the Belem Health Action Plan. The session may also explore the integration of indicators related to financing and means of implementation to support the effective tracking of the Belém Health Action Plan.</p> <p>Moderator: Gueladio Cisse, Senior Scientist and Technical Advisor - CSRS, opening remarks 3'</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Amy Savage, Technical Officer - WHO HQ (5') • Marina Romanello, Executive Director - Lancet Countdown (15') • Antonis Kolimenakis, Technical Officer CCH - WHO HQ (13') • Kanza Ahmed, Global Public Health Advisor and Epidemiologist - UKHSA (5') <p>- Roundtable: Measuring progress in the development of health indicators and alignment with the implementation of the Belem Health Action Plan (45')</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Country Perspective Surveillance: Tatiana Marrufo, Coordinator of Health and Environment - Institute of Public Health, Mozambique • Country Perspective V&A: Do Manh Cuong, Deputy Head, Division of Environmental and Occupational Health - Ministry of Health Viet Nam • Country Perspective Equity: Mauricio Barreto, Public health expert-CIDACS/FIOCRUZ/BAHIA • Indicators for Monitoring and Evaluation of investments: Brian Riley, Health Specialist - ADB • Incorporation of health indicators in Paris agreement processes: Youssef Nassef, Director, Adaptation Division - UNFCCC <p>- Summary and closing remarks (4 min)</p>

<p>10:00 AM - 11:30 AM</p>	<p align="center">SESSION 5: POLICY EVIDENCE TO BUILD RESILIENT HEALTH SYSTEMS</p> <p>Objective: To discuss the evidence base for resilient health systems in the context of climate change and present the key supporting documents Brazil will deliver at COP30.</p> <p>The session will present a synthesis of key insights from the working group discussions and introduce two supporting documents—on social participation and evidence synthesis—being prepared by Brazil for COP30. These documents align with the Belém Health Action Agenda, specifically Axis V: Fostering Human and Social Development, Objective 16: Promoting resilient health systems.</p> <p>Panelists will also highlight shared challenges in climate and health action, including technical gaps, limited availability of evidence, financial constraints, and competing policy priorities consolidated evidence and best practices from the conference. Moderators will summarize main findings and propose actionable recommendations from the Working Groups to guide future policies and strengthen collaboration at national, regional, and international levels.</p> <p>Moderator: Alan Dangour, Director of Climate and Health - Wellcome</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Head Facilitators from the Working groups (30') • Nick Watts, Professor – National University of Singapore (15') <i>Theme: Evidence for policy</i> - Rômulo Paes, Representative – Brazilian Association of Collective Health (ABRASCO) (7') - Lúcia Xavier - General Coordinator of the NGO Criola (7') <i>Theme: Governance with social participation</i> <p>Wrap-up remarks:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agnes Soares da Silva, Director of the Department of Environmental Health Surveillance and Worker Health – Ministry of Health, Brazil (10')
<p>11:30 AM - 12:30 PM</p>	<p align="center">SESSION 6: PARTICIPATORY PROCESSES IN COP 30</p> <p>A conversation with special envoys for Health, Civil Society, the Amazon Civil Society and Indigenous Peoples, on how climate and health can be integrated into the COP 30 process with social participation in place.</p> <p>Moderator: Alice Amorim Vogas, Program Director - COP30 Presidency (5')</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ethel Maciel, Special Envoy for Health – COP30 Presidency, Brazil (10') • Joaquim Belo, Special Envoy for Amazon Civil Society – COP30 Presidency, Brazil (10') • Sinéia do Vale Wapichana, Special Envoy for Indigenous Peoples – COP30 Presidency, Brazil (10') • André Guimarães, Special Envoy for Civil Society – COP30 Presidency, Brazil (10') <p>Q&A: 15'</p>		
12:30 PM - 2:00 PM	Lunch		
2:00 PM - 3:00 PM	<p style="text-align: center;">IDEA LABS</p> <p>Happening simultaneously in three parallel rooms, Idea Labs are an open and participatory space designed to foster contributions that showcase innovative initiatives, stimulate interdisciplinary dialogue, elevate underrepresented voices, and inspire action. Selected from an open Call for Proposals, the Idea Labs will complement the Belém Health Action Plan agenda to promote solution-oriented discussions at the intersection of climate and health, including the exploration of health co-benefits into multi sectoral policy making and research.</p>		
	<p style="text-align: center;">Idea Lab 1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">14:00–14:30 From Roots to Routes: Youth Driving Sustainable Change <i>Organizer: WHO Youth Council</i> <i>Presenters: Bianca Carvalho, Nick Blumenthal</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">14:30–15:00 Ultra-local climate and health Observatories: tackling disinformation and lack of voice to create upstream policy action</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Idea Lab 2</p> <p style="text-align: center;">14:00–14:30 Building Awareness of Climate-Driven Health Challenges through Community Engagement <i>Organizer: Grand Challenges Brazil Coordination</i> <i>Presenters: Mauricio Dutra, Hernán Argibay, Aline Rocha, David Soeiro</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">14:30–15:00 Use of Longitudinal Linked Data: Quantifying the effects of climate</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Idea Lab 3</p> <p style="text-align: center;">14:00–14:30 Exploring Just Transitions for Climate Resilient Supply Chains <i>Organizers: Unitaidd, Health Care Without Harm, and Asian Development Bank</i> <i>Presenters: Josh Karliner, HCWH, Vincent Bretin, Unitaidd, Clarice Rodrigues, Fiocruz, Brian Riley, ADB</i></p>

	<p><i>Organizers:</i> <i>Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul - Public Policies Post Graduate Program, THEMIS, Lab Inteligencia Social do Lugar</i> <i>Presenter: Carlos Dora, Prof Public Policies, Federal University Rio Grande do Sul, Porto Alegre, Brazil</i></p>	<p>extremes on minoritized migrant populations in Brazil <i>Organizers: London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine (LSHTM); Cidacs/Fiocruz Bahia</i> <i>Presenters: Julia Pescarini, Taisa Cortes, Qeren Fernandes</i></p>	<p>14:30–15:00 A Unified Health Voice for COP30: Regional Collaboration from Latin America and the Caribbean <i>Organizer: Red de Clima y Salud de América Latina y el Caribe (Global Climate and Health Alliance)</i> <i>Presenters: Stella Hartinger, Bertha Luz Pineda, Sila Apurina, Milena Sergeeva, Daniel Buss</i></p>
3:00 PM - 5:00 PM	<p style="text-align: center;">WORKING GROUPS</p> <p>The working groups will be conducted concurrently in three distinct rooms, each dedicated to one of the three strategic lines of the Belém Health Action Plan:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health Surveillance and Monitoring; • Evidence-Based Policy Strategy and Capacity Building; • Innovation and Production. <p>Each session shall commence with an opening presentation of a selected Supporting Document related to the topic (15'), followed by a presentation delivered by member countries of ATACH (20'), highlighting exemplary best practices pertaining to the respective line of action. This introductory segment will be succeeded by in-depth discussions (80') on the Belém Health Action Plan.</p>		
	<p>Working group 1 - Health surveillance and monitoring</p> <p>WORK ORDER: →Presentation of a selected Supporting Document (15') Strategic Vaccine Deployment Against Climate Health Threats <i>Organizer: Gavi, the</i></p>	<p>Working group 2 - Evidence-based policy strategy and capacity building</p> <p>WORK ORDER: →Presentation of a selected Supporting Document (15') Integrating mental health into adaptation action: Current state and recommendations for practice</p>	<p>Working groups 3 - Innovation and production</p> <p>WORK ORDER: →Presentation of a selected Supporting Document (15') Efforts Toward Achieving Carbon Neutrality in Japan's Pharmaceutical Industry</p>

	<p><i>Vaccine Alliance</i> <i>Presenters: Anamaria Bejar; Thiago Luchesi, Head, Public Policy & Analysis</i></p> <p>→ATACH member countries best-practice presentation (20')</p> <p>1. Building the resilience of health systems through the monitoring and surveillance of climate risks in Mozambique <i>Presenter: Dr Tatiana Marrufo, Program Coordinator of Environmental Health, including the Occupational Health Instituto Nacional de Saúde, Mozambique</i></p> <p>2. Disaster Medical Response in Japan <i>Presenter: Dr Izutsu Masato, Senior Coordinator for Global Health, International Affairs Division, Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare, Japan</i></p> <p>→In-depth discussion of the proposed measures within this line of action (80'): replicability, regional contexts, challenges, implementation, opportunities, partnerships, gaps and needs, etc:</p>	<p><i>Organizer: United for Global Mental Health</i> <i>Presenters: Dr. Alessandro Massazza, Policy and Advocacy Advisor; Dr. Marcio Gagliato</i></p> <p>→ATACH member countries best-practice presentation (20')</p> <p>1. How Local Government Leadership Strengthened Village Health Adaptation for Climate Resilience - Indonesia <i>Presenter: Ms Tutut Indra Wahyuni, Head of Working Team on Climate Change Adaptation and Environmental Disaster Directorate of Environmental Health, Ministry of Health, Indonesia</i></p> <p>2. Development of the Kenya Climate Change and Health Strategy <i>Presenter: Ms Rose Mokaya, Assistant Director, Public Health Climate Change & Health and Pollution Control Unit, Country ATACH Focal Point, Ministry of Health, Kenya</i></p> <p>→In-depth discussion of the proposed measures within this line of action (80'): replicability,</p>	<p><i>Organizer: Health and Global Policy Institute (HGPI)</i> <i>Presenters: Akira Shimabukuro, Eri Cahill</i></p> <p>→ATACH member countries best-practice presentation (20')</p> <p>1. Advancing Climate and Health through Digital Resilience, Leadership, and Governance: Egypt Healthcare Authority <i>Presenter: Dr Nermeen Ashour, Director of Sustainability and Green Transformation Unit, Egypt Healthcare Authority (EHA)</i></p> <p>2. Adaptive, Sustainable health system for a Changing Climate - Grenada <i>Presenter: Ms Kathy-Ann Morain, Health Disaster Management Officer, Ministry of Health, Grenada</i></p> <p>→In-depth discussion of the proposed measures within this line of action (80'): replicability, regional contexts, challenges, implementation, opportunities, partnerships, gaps and needs, etc:</p> <p>3.5. Health Supply Chain</p>
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	1.3. Strengthen Preparedness and Strategic Stockpiles of Supplies, Vaccines, and Medicines	regional contexts, challenges, implementation, opportunities, partnerships, gaps and needs, etc: 2.6. Worker's Health 2.7. Integrate Mental and Psychosocial Support (MHPSS) into Climate Change Adaptation Strategies in the Health Sector 2.8. Policies Dedicated to Persons with Disabilities (PWDs)	
5:00 PM - 6:30 PM	<p>CLOSING SESSION: THE ROAD TOWARDS COP 30 AND BEYOND - INCLUDING HEALTH INTO CLIMATE NEGOTIATIONS</p> <p>Wrap up and next steps for the health sector at COP30, including for the integration of health into the climate negotiations, and ATACH's role in supporting the implementation of the Belém Health Action Plan. Remarks by speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ana Toni, COP30 CEO • Cristian Morales, PAHO Representative in Brazil • Friday Phirri, Climate Change Health Advocacy Lead - AMREF • Igor Barbosa, Head of the Global Health Division - Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Brazil • Inamara Mélo, General Coordinator for Adaptation at the National Secretariat for Climate Change, Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change • Jess Beagley, Policy Lead - Global Climate and Health Alliance (video) • MoH representative (TBC) • Elena Villalobos Prats, ATACH Secretariat Lead, WHO 		