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Global WHO Evidence-to-Policy (E2P) Summit

Evidence as a catalyst for policy and societal change. Towards more equitable, resilient and sustainable global health.

The Summit is organized by WHO's Evidence-informed Policy Network (EVIPNet), a global leader in empowering countries to put actionable evidence into the hands of users. With its global network and community of practice, EVIPNet country teams have been running successful knowledge translation initiatives in more than 50 countries.

EVIPNet Americas Regional Meeting.

Draft Agenda

Time: 12:00 p.m. – 2:40 p.m. (EST)

12:00-12:15 Welcome and Introduction

Moderator

12:15-12:50 Panel 1 – The uses of evidence during the COVID-19 pandemic: shared issues, challenges and lessons learned

- *COVID-END (Jeremy Grimshaw / John Lavis)*
- *Media and dissemination (Elmer Huerta)*
- *The use of evidence in LAC during the pandemic (Ludovic Reveiz)*
- *Moderator: Tomás Pantoja*

12:50-1:35 Panel 2 - Confronting the pandemic with the support of evidence ecosystems: experiences of LAC Ministries of Health

- *Ministry of Health, Chile*
- *Ministry of Health, Colombia*
- *Departamento de Ciência e Tecnologia - DECIT, Ministry of Health, Brazil*
- *National Institute of Health, Ministry of Health, El Salvador*
- *Moderator: Evelina Chapman*

1:35-1:45 Virtual break

1:45-2:35 Interactive dialogue (Panel 3) - strategies and mechanisms for institutionalizing the use of evidence

Representation from Ministers of Health and evidence producers in the Region

- *Moderators: Jorge Barreto, Ludovic Reveiz*

2:35-2:40 Closing remarks
