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**UN INTERAGENCY  
TASK FORCE ON NCDs**



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## **“Friends of the United Nations Inter-Agency Task Force on the Prevention and Control of Non-communicable Diseases (NCDs): Supporting Member States to achieve the NCD-related targets for the Sustainable Development Goals”**

(side event on the occasion of the High-Level Political Forum on Sustainable Development)

Tuesday, 11 July 2017,

13:15-14:30, UN Headquarters, New York, Conference Room 7

This panel discussion will take stock of the progress made by the Task Force to help countries achieve SDG 3.4 on NCDs and other NCD-related SDG targets. This event will also highlight the financial requirements of the programmatic work of the Task Force, including four global joint programmes. The programmatic work builds countries' institutional capacities to ensure equal opportunity to integrate NCDs into national responses to the overall implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development.

### **Objectives:**

- Convene a set of partners to drive forward the work of the Task Force
- Showcase the results of the Task Force
- Describe the four global joint programmes developed by the Task Force
- Highlight bilateral and multilateral support needed for the work of the Task Forces

### **Welcoming remarks:**

WHO – Nata Menabde, Executive Director, WHO Office to the United Nations

### **Keynote speakers:**

Russian Federation – Tatyana Yakovleva, Deputy Minister of Health

Japan - Hiroshi Minami, Deputy Permanent Representative to the United Nations

Samoa - Leao Talalelei Tuitama, Minister of Health (TBC)

### **Panellists:**

Jamaica - Courtenay Rattray, Permanent Representative to the United Nations

Kyrgyzstan - Mirgul Moldoisaeva, Permanent Representative to the United Nations

France – Hayet Zeggar, Permanent Mission of France to the United Nations

NCD Alliance - Priya Kanayson, Advocacy Officer

UNDP - Mandeep Dhaliwal, Director, HIV, Health & Development

UNICEF - Maaïke Arts, Nutrition section

UNFPA - Anneka Knutsson, Director Sexual and Reproductive Health Branch

UNODC – Elizabeth Mattfeld, Global Program Coordinator

WHO – Oleg Chestnov, Assistant Director-General

### **Special feature:**

- The Task Force will hand out a new publication on "What government ministries need to know about NCDs"

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