High-Level Dialogue to Assess Progress on and Intensify Commitment
To Scaling Up Diagnosis and Treatment of
Paediatric HIV and TB in Children Living with HIV

Agenda (as of November 5, 2020)

DAY 1 - 5 NOVEMBER 2020

14:00 – 15:00 CET: Opening Session
Moderator: Monsignor Robert J. Vitillo, General Secretary, International Catholic Migration Commission (ICMC); Attaché for Health, Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See to the UN in Geneva (5 minutes)

- Rationale for Convening the High-Level Dialogue to Assess Progress on and Intensify Commitment to Scaling Up Diagnosis and Treatment of Paediatric HIV and TB in Children Living with HIV: His Eminence Cardinal Peter Turkson, Prefect, Dicastery for the Promotion of Integral Human Development (7 minutes)
- PEPFAR commitment to children: Ambassador Deborah L. Birx, U.S. Global AIDS Coordinator and Special Representative for Global Health Diplomacy (7 minutes)
- Status of Paediatric HIV: Dr Shannon Hader, Deputy Executive Director, Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS, UNAIDS (5 minutes)
- Access to better medicines and diagnostics, and the strategic intersection between TB and HIV: Mariângela Batista Galvão Simão, Assistant Director-General, Access to Medicines and Health Products, World Health Organization, WHO (5 minutes)
- Report on Rome Action Plan progress: Chip Lyons, President & CEO, Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation, EGPFA (5 minutes)
- Beyond 2020: partnering to end TB in children: Dr Lucica Ditiu, Executive Director, Stop TB Partnership (5 minutes)
- A mother and activist’s perspective and expectations: Maurine Murenga, Founder and Executive Director of the Lean on Me Foundation (5 minutes)

Open discussion

15:00 – 16:00 CET: Presentation of the epidemic, challenges, and political goals on TB in children, particularly those living with HIV
Moderator: Monsignor Robert J. Vitillo - Purpose and Structure of the session (4 minutes)

- Global Burden and Global Targets of TB and TB/HIV in children: Dr Tereza Kasaeva, Director WHO Global TB Programme (12 minutes)
- Access to TB drugs and diagnostics in children, including the global funding landscape: Dr Lucica Ditiu, Executive Director, Stop TB Partnership (12 minutes)
- Challenges and Opportunities to address during High Level Dialogue: Representative of people affected with TB (12 minutes)
- Questions for clarification (15 minutes)
- Highlights of discussion: Fr. Richard W. Bauer, MM, BCC, LCSW, Director of Spiritual and Psychosocial Care, Eastern Deanery AIDS Relief Programme (EDARP), Kenya (5 minutes)

16:00 – 17:00 CET: Solutions and actions related to research and development of diagnostics for children (HIV and TB)
Moderator: Monsignor Robert J. Vitillo - Purpose and structure of the session (3 minutes)

- Setting the Scene on research and development of HIV diagnostics: Lara Vojnov, Diagnostics Advisor in the Global HIV, Hepatitis and STI Programmes, WHO (10 minutes)
Setting the Scene on research and development of TB diagnostics: Nazir Ismail, Team Lead Diagnostics, WHO Global TB Programme (10 minutes)

Open discussion: Commitments to be taken, proposals for additional actions (33 minutes)

Key highlights and commitments: Cheri Vincent, Chief of Infectious Diseases Division, USAID (4 minutes)

17:00 – 18:00 CET: Solutions and actions related to research and development of medicines for children (HIV and TB)
Moderator: Philippe Duneton, Executive Director, UNITAID - Purpose and structure of the session (3 minutes)

Setting the Scene on research and development of HIV medicines: Martina Penazzato, Paediatric Lead for the Global HIV, Hepatitis and STI Programmes, WHO (10 minutes)

Setting the Scene on research and development of TB medicines (preventive therapy, treatment for drug sensitive and drug resistant TB, counter-indications for co-infection): Lindsay McKenna, MPH, TB Project Co-Director, Treatment Action Group, TAG (10 minutes)

Open discussion: Commitments to be taken, proposals for additional actions (32 minutes)

Key highlights and commitments: Sasha Volgina, Programme Manager, Global Network of People Living with HIV, GNP+ (5 minutes)

18:00 – 18:15 CET: Wrap-up and overview of Day 2

Meg Doherty, Director, Global HIV, Hepatitis, STI Programmes, WHO

DAY 2 - 6 NOVEMBER 2020

14:00 – 15:00 CET: Solutions and actions on global, regional, and national regulatory processes for medicines and diagnostics for children (HIV and TB)
Moderator: Monsignor Robert J. Vitillo – Purpose and Structure of the Session (5 minutes)

Scene-setter on regulatory processes for TB and HIV medicines and diagnostics: Emer Cooke, Director Regulation and Prequalification Department, RPQ, WHO (10 minutes)

Open discussion: Commitments to be taken, proposals for additional actions (40 minutes)

Key highlights and commitments: David Ripin, Executive Vice President of Infectious Diseases, Clinton Health Access Initiative, CHAI (5 minutes)

15:00 – 16:00 CET: Solutions and actions on identifying and diagnosing children (HIV and TB)
Moderators: Monsignor Robert J. Vitillo - Purpose and Structure of the Session (5 minutes)

Setting the Scene on identifying and diagnosing children exposed to HIV and to TB (case-finding, demand creation, stigma, access, multiplexing): Jeff Lemaire, Diagnostics & Systems Lead, Innovation and New Technology, Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation, EGPAF (10 minutes)

Open discussion: Commitments to be taken, proposals for additional actions (40 minutes)

Key highlights and commitments: Dr. Jane Nakawees, Senior Technical Program Manager, Mildmay Uganda (5 minutes)
16:00 – 17:30 CET:
Solutions and actions on introduction and scale-up of medicines for children (HIV and TB)
Moderator: Monsignor Robert J. Vitillo - Purpose and Structure of the Session (5 minutes)

- Setting the Scene on introduction and scale-up of HIV medicines for children: Rachel A. Golin, MD, Acting Senior Technical Advisor for Pediatric Care and Treatment for S/GAC (10 minutes)
- Setting the Scene on introduction and scale-up of TB medicines for children (including preventive therapy and treatment – emphasis on co-infection): Brenda Waning, Chief, Global Drug Facility, Stop TB Partnership (10 minutes)
- Open discussion: Commitments to be taken, proposals for additional actions (60 minutes)
- Key highlights and commitments: Dr Dianne Jean-François, Country Director Haiti, Catholic Medical Mission Board, CMMB (5 minutes)

17:30 – 18:15 CET:
Review of commitments on diagnostics and medicines and accountability framework
Moderator: Monsignor Robert J. Vitillo (5 minutes)

- Review of commitments on diagnostics and medicines: Meg Doherty, Director, Global HIV, Hepatitis, STI Programmes, WHO & Dr Tereza Kasaeva, Director Global TB Programme, WHO (20 minutes)
- Accountability framework: Chip Lyons, President & CEO, EGPAF (10 minutes)
- Discussion (10 minutes)

18:15 – 18:40 CET: Concluding Remarks
Moderator: Monsignor Robert J. Vitillo (3 minutes)
- Closing remarks (22 minutes):
  - His Eminence Cardinal Peter Turkson, Dicastery for the Promotion of Integral Human Development (4 minutes)
  - Ambassador Deborah L. Birx, U.S. Global AIDS Coordinator and Special Representative for Global Health Diplomacy (3 minutes)
  - Dr Shannon Hader, Deputy Executive Director, UNAIDS (3 minutes)
  - Blessina Kumar, CEO, Global Coalition of TB Activists, GCTA (3 minutes)
  - Dr Lucica Ditiu, Executive Director, Stop TB Partnership (3 minutes)
  - Chip Lyons, President and CEO, EGPAF (3 minutes)
  - Soumya Swaminathan, Chief Scientist, WHO (3 minutes)