WHO WEBINAR

WHO’s multi-country Special Initiative for Action on the Social Determinants of Health for Advancing Equity

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ABOUT

Join us to find out more about building a fairer, healthier world through a new WHO Special Initiative for Action on the Social Determinants of Health for Advancing Equity that aims to bolster WHO’s impact in countries in this area.

Opening remarks:
Dr Zsuzsanna Jakab, Deputy-Director General, WHO
Dr Naoko Yamamoto, Assistant Director-General, UHC/Healthier Populations Division, WHO
Dr Erika Placella, Deputy Head, Global Program Health, Federal Dept of Foreign Affairs, Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation
Sir Michael Marmot, Director, Institute of Health Equity, University College London
Professor Patrick Bodenmann, Chair of Medicine for Vulnerable Populations, University of Lausanne/UNISANTE
Ms Maria del Carmen Cruz Martinez, General Secretary, Latin America Domestic Worker’s Confederation

LAUNCH SPEAKERS

A panel with representatives of several of the participating country teams, including WRs and national governments, will discuss addressing the social determinants of health, and why this initiative is timely now in light of COVID-19 and the Sustainable Development Agenda.

MODERATED BY Dr Kumanan Rasanathan, Head, Equity and Health Unit, Social Determinants of Health. More information: contact Dr Nicole Valentine valentinen@who.int and see: