UHC FORUM 2017

Neglected Tropical Diseases

Driving progress towards UHC

15 December 2017 (9:30am to 12 noon)

Peony room (11th floor), Tokyo Prince Hotel

Agenda

Master of ceremonies: Mr. Daisuke Imoto, Head, DNDi Japan

Welcome and opening remarks

09:30 to 09:35	Introduction by the master of ceremonies
09:35 to 09:45	Welcoming remarks ● Prof. Shigeru Kohno, President, Nagasaki University
09:45 to 09:55	 Official opening of the meeting Prof. Keizo Takemi, Member of the House of Councillors, Japan. Chairman, Special Mission Committee on Global Health Strategy, Liberal Democratic Party
09:55 to 10:00	MC introduces the second part of the meeting and hands over to the moderator

Launch of the 5th report of the London Declaration on NTDs

Reaching a Billion - Ending NTDs: A gateway to UHC

Moderator: Dr. Julie Jacobson, Chair of the Stakeholders' Working Group, Uniting to Combat NTDs

10:00 to 11:05	 Keynote speech Dr. Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus, Director-General, World Health Organization
	 In conversation - Ending NTDs: A gateway to UHC Dr. Tim Evans, Senior Director, World Bank Group Ms. Kelly Saldana, Director, Office of Health Systems, USAID His Excellency Bahar Idriss Abu Garda, Federal Minister of Health, Republic of Sudan Mr. Haruo Naito, Representative Corporate Officer and CEO, Eisai Co., Ltd.
	Remarks • Mr. Mark Suzman, Chief Strategy Officer and President, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation









Japanese contribution to NTDs and UHC

Towards launching a Japanese NTD Network

Moderator: Prof. Hiroyoshi Endo, Professor, St. Luke's International University

11:05 to 11:55	Congratulatory remarks ■ Dr. Yasuhiro Suzuki, Chief Medical & Global Health Officer, Vice-Minister for Health, Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare, Japan
	 Panel discussion Prof. David Molyneux, Lymphatic Filariasis Support Centre, Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine Dr. BT Slingsby, CEO, Global Health Innovative Technology (GHIT) Fund Mr. Hisakazu Hiraoka, Advisor Human Development Department, Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) Prof. Kenji Hirayama, Dean, Institute of Tropical Medicine, Nagasaki University

Closing remarks

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	 Prof. Kazuyo Ichimori, Professor, Nagasaki University







