

Coordinator, PEPFAR, Eric Goosby will discuss key policy and integrating PMTCT services with maternal health and family planning.

When: 18:30 –20:30

Where: Session Room 8 at AIDS 2010: XVIII International AIDS Conference

Tuesday 20 July

Press conference: UNAIDS calls for a global freedom of movement and the lifting of HIV travel restrictions

What: Restricting the mobility of people living with HIV undermines the AIDS response. UNAIDS Executive Director, Michel Sidibé congratulates countries which have recently lifted their travel ban and calls on others to follow suit.

Who: UNAIDS Executive Director, Michel Sidibé , Minister of Health of Namibia, Hon. Richard Kamwi , Assistant Secretary for Health, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Dr. Howard Koh, CEO of GNP+ Kevin Moody and IAS Senior Advisor, Ron MacInnis.

When: 10:00 –10:45

Where: Press conference room 2 at AIDS 2010: XVIII International AIDS Conference

Tuesday 20 July

Satellite session: How can HIV prevention be used to develop health systems and how can health systems be used to get greater traction for HIV prevention

What: The need to strengthen health systems has received a lot of attention. Participants discuss how to leverage synergies between the HIV response and health systems focusing on other areas like maternal and child health.

Who: WHO Director, Department of HIV/AIDS, Gottfried Hirnschall, UNFPA Country Representative, Vietnam, Bruce Campbell, UNICEF Senior Advisor, Rene Ekpini, UNODC's Fabienne Hariga, WHO Medical Officer, Department of HIV/AIDS, Kim Dickson and Professor of Epidemiology, International Health, and Health, Behavior and Society at Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, Chris Beyrer.

When: 18:30 –20:30

Where: Session Room 6 at AIDS 2010: XVIII International AIDS Conference

Wednesday 21 July

Press conference: Top world personalities join UNAIDS' high level commission to bring about a prevention revolution

What: UNAIDS holds a press conference to launch a new High Level Commission on HIV Prevention. Commissioners include nearly 20 top world personalities from politics, business and civil society.

Who: Nobel Laureate in Medicine, Professor Françoise Barré-Sinoussi, former President of Botswana, H.E. Festus Mogae, UNAIDS Executive Director, Michel Sidibé and Council on Foreign Relations' Laurie Garrett.

When: 10:00 –10:45

Where: Press conference room 2 at AIDS 2010: XVIII International AIDS Conference

Wednesday 21 July

Satellite session: Right for You! Creating Game Changing Strategies for HIV and Young People

What: Participants discuss game changing strategies for HIV prevention among young people.

Who: UNESCO's Dr Doug Kirby, SAYWHAT Programme Manager, Darlington Muyambwa and WHO's Shaffiq Essajee

When: 18:30 –20:30

Where: Session room 3 at AIDS 2010: XVIII International AIDS Conference

Thursday 22 July

Satellite session: Combination prevention in action - targeted approaches

What: For every two people who start on HIV treatment, five are newly infected. Participants discuss coordination of HIV prevention efforts in view of addressing the gaps in the national responses

Who: UNAIDS Director Department of Evidence, Strategy and Results, Bernhard Schwartlander, Global Coordinator for the Network of Sex Work Projects, Ruth Morgan Thomas, Director, Eurasian Harm Reduction Network, Shona Schonning, Deputy Executive Director – Programme, UNFPA, Purnima Mane, UNODC Regional Project Coordinator, Signe Rotberga, UNHCR's Senior Regional Global HIV/AIDS Coordinator for East and Horn of Africa, Dr.Patterson Njogu and ILO HIV/AIDS Regional Specialist for Asia and the Pacific, Richard Howard and WHO's Ying-Ru.

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