

## 75th session of the UN General Assembly (UNGA 75)

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### 75th Session of the UN General Assembly (15-30 September 2020)

- The UN will hold the first annual '**SDG Moment**' on **18 September**. *The details of this event remain under discussion.*
- **High-level Meeting to Commemorate the 75th anniversary of the United Nations:** The Meeting will take place as previously scheduled on **21 September 2020**, and the Declaration, whose negotiations concluded in July, will be formally adopted at this Meeting.
- The High-Level UNGA **General Debate Week** will take place from **22 September through 26 September, and 29 September 2020**.
- **High-level Summit on Biodiversity:** The Summit will be convened by the President of the General Assembly on **30 September 2020**. The Summit will focus on the need to accelerate action on biodiversity for sustainable development. HoS/G will work towards developing the post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework to be adopted at the 15th meeting of the Conference of Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity in 2021.
- **High-level Meeting on the 25th anniversary of the Fourth World Conference on Women:** The Meeting will take place on **1 October 2020**.

This year, UNGA has also extended its use of the **silence procedure** and has empowered UNGA President to circulate draft decisions to all Member States at least 72 hours after consulting with the General Committee. If there are no objections raised, such decisions are considered adopted. It is expected that the **Omnibus Resolution on "Comprehensive and Coordinated Response to the COVID-19 Pandemic"** will be adopted via this mechanism.

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### NCD-related activities & events calendar - regularly updated calendar

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## **NCD Alliance's activities and events around UNGA75**

**Save The Date: Wednesday, 23 September 2020, 08:00-09:15 EDT // 14:00-15:15 CEST**

**Virtual dialogue on *Revisiting social impact models in the COVID-19 era: Improving NCD access through people-centred care to deliver on UHC***

## SAVE THE DATE

WEDNESDAY  
23<sup>rd</sup> SEPTEMBER 2020

14:00-15:15 CEST



### OBJECTIVES

This virtual event will convene the NCD community to:

- Discuss lessons from the COVID-19 pandemic to inform access strategies and business models to improve NCD prevention, treatment and care;
- Understand what social impact means in the context of NCD prevention and control and how it can be achieved through people-centred approaches that meet social and financial objectives;
- Explore relevant approaches to incorporate a people-centred lens to M&E models when designing and implementing health programmes to achieve better health outcomes and deliver shared value;
- Inform the key themes of a NCDA discussion paper on "Rethinking social impact in the context of NCDs to advance a people-centred approach to access", including a framework to measure shared value in NCD programming.

### A virtual dialogue on:

### "Revisiting social impact models in the COVID-19 era: Improving NCD access through people-centred care to deliver on UHC"

As the world faces the impacts of COVID-19, the pandemic has also heightened the vulnerability of people living with NCDs (PLWNCDs) due to greater health risks and social inequities. Through disruption of health services, the COVID-19 pandemic has laid bare the failure of the vast majority of governments to adequately guarantee the health of their citizens, compounding inequities in access to care.

In recent years, a series of novel and innovative business models were explored to improve access to NCD prevention, treatment and care among the most vulnerable communities, while aiming to be commercially sustainable. Such models seek to achieve 'social impact' through business, that is: creating economic value in a way that also advances social and economic conditions for communities.

For social impact to be embraced in the context of NCD prevention and control, ensuring it is driven by the needs of communities is imperative in order to reconcile social objectives and financial viability.

Powered by a people-centred lens, the concept of social impact can provide a transformational lever to mobilise all sectors – including governments, policymakers, multi-lateral agencies, civil society, healthcare providers and relevant private sector entities – around their collective role to respond to emerging and health challenges posed by NCDs and other health crises.

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**Save The Date: Wednesday, 30 September 2020, 08:00:09:45 EDT // 14:00-15:45 CEST**

**Online roundtable on *Building forward better: A new approach to mobilize investment for noncommunicable diseases***

*This event is invitation only.*

**Event start date:** Tuesday, 15 September, 2020

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