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**Last Chance: Early Bird
Registration for #WHS2026
Ends July 31**

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OCTOBER 11–13, 2026
BERLIN, GERMANY
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**From Crisis to Resilience:
Innovating for Health**

#WHS2026

Only a few days remain to benefit from the Early Bird rate, available until July 31. Join us from October 11–13, in Berlin for the World Health Summit 2026. Under the theme "From Crisis to Resilience: Innovating for Health," global leaders and change-makers from politics, science, civil society, and the private sector will discuss solutions to advance resilient, equitable, and future-ready health systems. At #WHS2026, you can expect:

- **400+ speakers** from around the world
- **75+sessions** addressing key global health priorities
- More than **4,000 participantson-site**
- Unique opportunities for **cross-sectoral exchange, collaboration, and networking**

Register Now



Voices at #WHS2026

Meet This Year's Speakers

Meet the first confirmed speakers taking the stage at #WHS2026:

- **Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus**, Director-General, World Health Organization (WHO)
- **Winnie Byanyima**, Executive Director, Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS)
- **Carsten Schneider**, Minister for the Environment, Climate Action, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety, Germany
- **Jayasree Iyer**, CEO, Access to Medicine Foundation, The Netherlands
- **Viktor Liashko**, Minister of Health, Ukraine
- **Catherine Kyobutungi**, Executive Director, The African Population and Health Research Center (APHRC), Kenya
- **Hiroiyuki Okuzawa**, President & CEO, Daiichi Sankyo, Japan
- **Sally Davies**, UK Special Envoy on Antimicrobial Resistance (AMR), United Kingdom



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Six Central Topics

Discover what's Shaping #WHS2026



The program is structured around six central topics:

- **Global Health Architecture:** Reshaping Financing and Governance Across the Global Health Ecosystem
- **Pandemic Prevention, Preparedness and Response:** Operationalizing Global Health Security
- **Health Equity for Women, Children, and Youth:** Ensuring Rights, Inclusion, and Participation
- **Future-Ready Health Systems:** Innovating with AI, Data-Driven Policies, and Workforce Empowerment
- **Conflict and Health:** Strengthening Resilience, Safeguarding Communities, and Rebuilding Infrastructure

- **Environmental Drivers of Health:** Securing Sustainable Futures through Climate Action and One Health

Beyond these topics, the program will explore a range of additional issues shaping global health today. The World Health Summit 2026 program will be published soon.

[Read the Commentary](#)



Get Involved

Multiple Ways to Be Part of WHS 2026

There are many ways to be part of WHS2026, from becoming a Partner or co-hosting a WHS Dialogue to hosting a Side Meeting or joining as a youth-led organization. Whether you want to increase visibility, foster collaboration, or drive meaningful impact, the WHS offers organizations and individuals various ways to contribute to the dialogue, share expertise, and connect with leaders and decision-makers.



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World Health Summit 2026 Teaser From Crisis to Resilience: Innovating for Health



The systems we rely on were designed for a world that no longer exists. From climate shocks and geopolitical tensions to growing inequalities and economic strain, today's challenges demand new approaches to health. Discover what is at the center of World Health Summit 2026 and join the global health community in shaping a more resilient and equitable future.

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News from the WHS Academic Alliance

Webinar: Global Governance of Major Outbreaks of Deadly Infectious Diseases



Amid renewed concern over Ebola and other emerging infectious disease threats, the WHS Academic Alliance Working Group on Health Science and Diplomacy hosted a webinar that highlighted the critical role of research, global governance, equitable access, community engagement, and international collaboration in strengthening pandemic preparedness and response. From the importance of coordinated research networks and evidence-based policymaking to the need for stronger multilateral cooperation, the discussion underscored why preparedness must begin long before the next outbreak.

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Session Highlights

Climate in Crisis, Health at Risk

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Youth at the Forefront of Climate Action for NCD Prevention

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