

### World Health Assembly – NCD Alliance calendar of events

Date	Time (EST)	Session/Event Title	Host	Location / RSVP
<b>Saturday, 16 May, 2026</b>	Full Day	World Heart Summit	World Heart Federation	Campus Biotech, 9 Chemin des Mines, 1202 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
<b>Sunday, 17 May, 2026</b>	9:00-13:00	World Heart Summit	World Heart Federation	Campus Biotech, 9 Chemin des Mines, 1202 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	<b>12:00-12:45</b>	<b>Turning Political Commitments into Measurable Action: Advancing the New Global Targets on NCDs</b>	<b>World Heart Federation, NCD Alliance (NCDA)</b>	<b>Campus Biotech, 9 Chemin des Mines, 1202 Geneva, Switzerland. The event is a part of the World Heart Summit. The event is free of charge but registration is required. Register <a href="#">here</a></b>
	12:30-14:30	From Progress to Power: How African Institutions are Redefining the Future of Global Health	Merck	InterContinental Hotel, Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
<b>Monday, 18 May, 2026</b>	7:30-9:30	Addressing Obesity To Reduce The Global Burden Of Cardiovascular Disease	Co hosted by the National Heart Foundation of Australia	École Hôtelière de Genève, Restaurant Vieux Bois, Avenue de la Paix 12, 1202 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>

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	8:00-9:00	Evidence to action: Preventing lead poisoning to save lives	The World Health Organization, Bloomberg Philanthropies, and Resolve to Save Lives	Restaurant Vieux Bois, Avenue de la Paix 12 CH-1202 Genève, Suisse (Located immediately outside of the United Nations palais). Register <a href="#">here</a>
	8:00-10:30	Locally Led, Globally Scaled. The Next Phase of the Global Breast Cancer Initiative (GBCI)	City Cancer Challenge (C/Can)	InterContinental Hotel, Ballroom B, Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	10:30-12:00	Smart Financing and Integrated Care as Pathways to People-Centered Universal Health Coverage	The Joint Learning Network for UHC, PATH, Amref Global Health, Global Network of People living with HIV	Auditorium de la Pastorale – 106 Route de Ferney, Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	11:00-11:45	NCDs and mental health: from declaration to delivery	Boehringer Ingelheim in collaboration with NCD Alliance (NCDA)	InterContinental Geneve by IHG, 7, Chem. du Petit-Saconnex 9, 1209 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	12:00-14:30	Closing the gap In cardiovascular health: Delivering prevention through national plans, primary care, and integrated action	World Heart Federation	École Hôtelière de Genève – Restaurant Vieux Bois, Avenue de la Paix 12, 1202 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>

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	12:00-15:00	The Future of Health Security and Sustainable Investment	Foreign Policy,  In partnership with Bupa, Environmental Defense Fund, IFPMA, Lilly, McKinsey Health Institute, Philips, Sanofi, Seed Global Health, Waters Advanced Diagnostics, World Health Summit	InterContinental Geneve, 7, Chem. du Petit-Saconnex 9, 1209 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	12:30-14:00	From Gaps To Gains: Delivering UHC through Gender-Responsive Health System	The George Institute for Global Health, Humanity & Inclusion, Imperial College London, NCD Alliance, CSEM for UHC2030, WaterAid, Women in Global Health	Auditorium de la Pastorale – 106 Route de Ferney, Geneva, Switzerland. Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>
	13:00-14:20	The Belém Health Action Plan (BHAP): From COP30 to COP31 – Promoting Continuity in Climate and Health Action	Brazil Türkiye UAE	Room XVI Palais des Nations
	13:00-14:20	Investing in Healthy Ageing – a foundation for population health and well-being	France Japan, Thailand, HelpAge International and International Federation of Older Persons	Room XI Palais des Nations

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	13:00-14:20	Advancing local production for equitable access, resilient health systems, and global health security	Indonesia Netherlands South Africa Nigeria CEPI Gavi	Salle C WHO Headquarters Webstreaming
	13:00-14:20	Wellbeing, sustainable economies and future generations: Advancing the Economics of Health for All	Finland Belgium, Ethiopia, Indonesia, UNRISD, NCD Alliance (NCDA)	Salle VIII Palais des Nations
	13:00-15:00	The AMR–Health Security Equation: Why Diplomacy Matters for Cooperation?	Health Diplomacy Alliance	Warwick Geneva 14 Rue de Lausanne 1201 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	13:30-15:00	Childhood Cancer in the Global NCD Agenda: A Call to Action for Lifelong Integration and Access to Care	Co-hosted with St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital, Gobierno De La República Guatemala, Government of Sri Lanka, NCD Alliance (NCDA), Unicef, AfricaCDC	International Museum of the Red Cross and Red Crescent, Av. de la Paix 17, 1202 Genève, Switzerland Hybrid event. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	14:00-15:00	Early detection of cardiovascular-renal-metabolic conditions: from silent to seen	Boehringer Ingelheim	InterContinental Geneve by IHG, 7, Chem. du Petit-Saconnex 9, 1209 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>

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	14:30-16:00	Decent Work for UHC: Investing in a Resilient Workforce in Challenging Contexts	Cordaid, Frontline Health Workers Coalition (FHCW), Global Alliance for Surgical, Obstetric, Trauma and Anaesthesia Care (G4 Alliance)	Auditorium de la Pastorale – 106 Route de Ferney, Geneva, Switzerland. Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>
	15:30-16:30	Every breath counts: making the right diagnosis at the right time	Boehringer Ingelheim	InterContinental Geneve by IHG, 7, Chem. du Petit-Saconnex 9, 1209 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	16:30-18:00	Launch of the UHC2030 narrative on digital transformation of health systems for universal health coverage	UHC2030, CSEM, Transform Health, OECD, DTH-Lab and GIDH	CSEM Civil Society networking space - Auditorium de la Pastorale, 106 Route de Ferney, Geneva, Switzerland Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>
	18:00	What's Next for Philanthropy ? Investing in Local Leaders for Impact	The Global Surgery Foundation	Ballroom A, Hôtel InterContinental Geneva, Switzerland & virtual. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	18:00-19:30	Multisectoral Action to Achieve the Global Nutrition Targets	WorldVision International, Action contre la Faim, Ireland, Scaling Up, Save the Children, El Salvador, Senegal, Madagascar, Bangladesh	Salle C WHO Headquarters Hybrid event

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	18:00-19:30	Financing the Future: Investing in Health Workforces for Economic Resilience and Universal Health Coverage	The World Medical Association	Warwick Hotel, Mont Rose Room, 14 Rue de Lausanne, Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	18:00-19:30	Partnership in action for UHC - sustaining the momentum for country-led and self-reliant health financing amid fiscal constraints	Japan, UN Foundation, Ghana, Nigeria, Thailand	Room XI Palais des Nations
	18:00-19:30	Africa's Public Health and Primary Health Care, Solidarity and Sovereignty Agenda	Zimbabwe, Eswatini  Belgium, Nepal, South Africa, African Public Health Foundation, World Federation of Public Health Association & Public Health Association of South African & UK-Faculty of Public Health, AU Sub-regions -SADC ECSA Health Community and College of Health Sciences and West Africa	Room VIII Palais des Nations

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	18:00-19:30	From Global Strategy to Country Impact: Scaling Emergency, Critical and Operative Care	Ethiopia, Nepal WFSA, Medical Women's Federation, International College of Surgeons, International Council of Nurses, International Federation of Medical Students'Associations	WHO Headquarters, EB Room, Geneva, Switzerland. Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>
	18:00-20:00	Strengthening Health Evidence: Towards a Global Standard on Sex & Gender in Research Design	The George Institute for Global Health	Hotel President Wilson, Quai Wilson 47, 1211 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	18:00-21:00	Launch of the Global Coalition on Oral Health  Advancing Universal Health Coverage for Oral Health by 2030	Co-hosted by: Brazil, Egypt, France, the Philippines and Mauritius	Hotel N'vY, Geneva 18, rue de Richemont, 1202 Geneva, Switzerland. Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>
	<b>18:30-19:30</b>	<b>Implementing the 2025 Political Declaration on NCDs and Mental Health in an Era of Global Health Reform</b>	<b>NCD Alliance</b>	<b>The Warwick Hotel Rue de Lausanne 14 1201 Switzerland Switzerland Register <a href="#">here</a></b>

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<b>Tuesday, 19 May, 2026</b>	7:30-9:30	Strengthening Global Health Financing through Digital Infrastructure: Introducing HealthFund Hub	Global Health Finance Coalition (GHFC)	SDG Solutions Space - 15 Avenue de Séche, SDG Solutions Space - 15 Avenue de Sécheron, 1202 Geneva, Switzerland. Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>
	8:30-10:30	Cities for Health: How local leadership, data, and policy are driving the future of care	Foreign Policy  In partnership with MSD, Novartis, Novo Nordisk, The Rockefeller Foundation	Hôtel Royal Genève Rue de Lausanne 41, 1201 Geneva, Switzerland Register <a href="#">here</a>
	9:30-10:30	Readiness, reach, results: strengthening health systems in low- and middle-income countries (LMICs) for NCD care	Boehringer Ingelheim	InterContinental Geneve by IHG, 7, Chem. du Petit-Saconnex 9, 1209 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	9:30-11:00	The Social Participation Village: Where every voice shapes health governance	IAPO, CSEM for UHC2030, Global Health Council, Save the Children, The George Institute	Auditorium de la Pastorale – 106 Route de Ferney, Geneva, Switzerland. Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>
	10:00-12:00	Building people-centred cancer systems: advancing rights, equity and support across the care pathway	Co-hosted by UICC and the McCabe Centre for Law and Cancer	Union for International Cancer Control (UICC) office 31-33 Avenue Giuseppe-Motta 1202 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>

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	10:00-12:00	Preventing Antimicrobial Resistance: Stewardship, Diagnostics and Innovation	The Infectious Disease Alliance (IDA) and Active Citizenship Network (ACN)	SDG Solution Space, Av. de Sécheron 15, 1202 Genève, Switzerland. Hybrid event. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	10:00-12:30	Second GCM Participants Gathering	WHO GCM	WHO HQ in Geneva Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>
	12:00-14:30	Women And Cardiovascular Disease: Closing The Research, Awareness, And Care Gap	World Heart Federation	École Hôtelière de Genève – Restaurant Vieux Bois, Avenue de la Paix 12, 1202 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	12:30-13:30	The obesity–liver connection: shaping the future of metabolic care	Boehringer Ingelheim	InterContinental Geneve by IHG, 7, Chem. du Petit-Saconnex 9, 1209 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	12:30-14:00	Fossil Fuels, Health, and Human Rights - Centering Health and Human Rights in the Global Transition Away from Fossil Fuels	Co-organised by: Global Climate and Health Alliance (GCHA) and Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR)	Geneva Press Club. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	13:00-14:20	<b>Adequate and Sustained Financing for NCDs and Mental Health: Approaches to Closing the Implementation Gap</b>	<b>Co-organised by the Government of Barbados, NCD Alliance and United for Global</b>	<b>WHO HQ - Room C/ Livestreamed</b> <a href="#">Watch this space for livestream</a>

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			<b>Mental Health.</b> <b>Co-sponsors:</b> <b>Government of the Philippines,</b> <b>Government of Brazil,</b> <b>UNDP, the UN</b> <b>Inter-Agency Task Force on NCDs and Healthy Caribbean Coalition.</b>	
	13:00-15:00	HEAR CSO Lunchtime Session	HEAR-CSO	Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>
	13:00-14:20	Healthy Longevity as a Whole-of-Society Life-Course Investment Strategy: Integrating Determinants, Prevention, Primary Care and Sustainable Financing	Qatar  Rwanda, Finland, Canada, Singapore, Japan, Korea, Netherlands, Switzerland	Salle XVI Palais des Nations
	13:00-14:20	CSO Dialogue 3: Domestic Leadership in Health Financing	Save the Children UK  Medicus Mundi, South Africa, UK, Canada	Salle B WHO Headquarters Hybrid
	13:30-17:00	AI for Universal Health Coverage, and UHC at a Crossroads	STUF United Fund Inc.	Hotel President Wilson Quai Wilson 47, 1211 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>

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	14:00-15:00	In conversation: where lived experience meets policy	Boehringer Ingelheim, in collaboration with NCD Alliance (NCDA)	InterContinental Geneve by IHG, 7, Chem. du Petit-Saconnex 9, 1209 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	14:30-16:00	The Next Era of Cancer Care: Innovation, Policy and Sustainable Financing	MSD	Hotel d'Angleterre Geneva Register <a href="#">here</a>
	16:00-17:30	From Commitment to Implementation — Delivering the 2025 NCD Political Declaration	UNDP, UN Interagency Task Force on NCDs	Palais des Nations, Room H207-209, Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	16:00-18:00	Youth Voices for Health and Well-Being: A Networking and Learning Session	Co-organised by Transform Health and Medic	CSEM Space, Auditorium de la Pastorale, 106 Route de Ferney, Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	17:00-19:00	Harnessing AI and Technology to Advance Nutritional care for Children with NCDs	Columbia University Irving Medical Center, International initiative for Pediatrics and Nutrition (IIPAN), Cuddles Foundation, Permanent Mission of Greece	Hotel President Wilson, Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>

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	18:00-19:30	The Economics of Health For All: Taking Action	Public Services International, Medicus Mundi International, UNU IIGH, World Council of Churches, Society for International Development Colombia, Oxfam, Geneva Global Health Hub	Salle C WHO Headquarters Hybrid event
	18:00-19:30	Building the Economic Case for Domestic Investment in Health R&D in Africa	Africa CDC, Team Europe AU-EU Health Partnership Uganda, Ghana, Rwanda, Morocco, Egypt, Belgium, Germany, AfDB	Salle A WHO Headquarters Webstreaming
	18:00-20:00	Preventing childhood obesity and T2D: advancing leadership for sustainable impact	The International Diabetes Federation, World Diabetes Foundation and World Obesity Federation	Red Cross Museum, Geneva, Switzerland. Livestream, Zoom. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	18:00-20:30	Health Is Wealth: Why Investing in Health Professionals Pays Off	World Health Professions Alliance	Salle Mont Blanc, Warwick Hotel, 14 rue de Lausanne, 1201 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>

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	18:00-21:00	Always innovating: How the next generation of medicines and vaccines can deliver a healthier, stronger future	IFPMA	Ballroom ADE InterContinental Hotel 7-9, Chemin du Petit-Saconnex 1209 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	18:30-20:30	Oral Health at Work: A Roadmap for Prevention, Productivity and Workforce Well-being	FDI World Dental Federation	Hôtel Royal Genève, Suisse 41-43 Rue de Lausanne 1201 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
<b>Wednesday, 20 May, 2026</b>	<b>7:30-9:00</b>	<b>The Clean Air Dividend: Investing in Health for All</b>	<b>NCD Alliance (NCDA) and Union for International Cancer Control (UICC)</b>	<b>InterContinental, Ballroom C, Geneva, Switzerland.</b> Register <a href="#">here</a>
	7:30-9:30	A Digital Health Investment Taxonomy	Transform Health	InterContinental Hotel, 7, Chem. du Petit-Saconnex 9, 1209 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	7:30-9:30	Building Resilient Futures: Unlocking the Power of Sport and Physical Activity for Youth Mental Health in the Commonwealth	The Commonwealth & World Federation of the Sporting Goods Industry	Commonwealth Small States Office (CSSO) Rue Du Pre-de-la-Bichette 1 1202 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>

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	7:30-9:30	From Chaos to Care: Rebuilding the Global Health Architecture	<p>The Center for Indonesia’s Strategic Development Initiatives (CISDI)</p> <p>Co-organized by CISDI, the Primary Healthcare Impact Lab, Universitas Harkat Negeri, Tamaris Hydro, and the Program in Global Primary Health Care based at Harvard Medical School Office for Research Initiatives &amp; Global Programs, and at the Brigham &amp; Women’s Hospital Division of Global Health Equity</p>	<p>Warwick Hotel, Rue de Lausanne 14, 1201 Geneva, Switzerland.            Register <a href="#">here</a></p>
	7:45-9:45	Protecting Mental Health of Children and Youth in the Digital World	<p>The Ministry of Health of the Republic of Poland, the Ministry of Health of the Republic of Cyprus, the Australian Government, Orygen Institute, and the UNITE Parliamentarians Network for Global Health</p>	<p>The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Poland, L’Ancienne Route 15, 1218 Grand-Saconnex, Switzerland.            Register <a href="#">here</a></p>

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	8:00-9:00	The Lifesaving Potential of Death Data	Vital Strategies	InterContinental Geneve by IHG 9 Chemin du Petit-Saconnex 1209 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	8:00-9:30	UHC in a Fractured World: Resilient Health Systems amid Conflict, Climate, and Technological Transformation	Health Systems Global and Global Surgery Umbrella	Auditorium de la Pastorale – 106 Route de Ferney, Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	8:00-9:30	Pain in Global Health: Strengthening Coordinated Action for Equitable Access to Effective Pain Care	International Association for the Study of Pain	International Museum of the Red Cross and Red Crescent, Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	8:00-10:00	WHA79 Side Event: Advancing TB Diagnostics: Innovations for Screening and Improved Outcomes	Infectious Disease Alliance (IDA), Fondation Mérieux	SDG Solution Space, Av. de Sécheron 15, 1202 Genève, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	8:30-9:30	Kidney Health for All: Delivering Comprehensive Care from Prevention to Treatment	Devex	Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>

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	9:00-13:00	Health in a World of Crises and Impunity. The Report of the Johns Hopkins Center for Humanitarian Health–Lancet Commission on Health, Conflict, and Forced Displacement	Health, Conflict and Forced Displacement	Institute of Global Health, UNIGE   Campus Biotech Chemin des Mines 9, 1202 Geneva (Main theatre room), Switzerland. Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>
	9:30-11:30	Implementing the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control and wider NCD prevention targets by integrating the pharmacy workforce	FIP	Royal Hotel, Rue de Lausanne 41-43 1201 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	10:00-11:30	Driving Mental Health into UHC: From Political Leadership to System Implementation	UNITE – Parliamentarians Network for Global Health and Global Mental Health Action Network	Auditorium de la Pastorale – 106 Route de Ferney, Geneva, Switzerland. Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>
	10:00-12:00	WHA Side Event on Global HIV Management: Access to Treatment and Innovation	Infectious Disease Alliance (IDA)	SDG Solutions Space - 15 Avenue de Séche, SDG Solutions Space - 15 Avenue de Sécheron, 1202 Geneva, Switzerland. Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>
	11:00-12:30	Rethinking Global Health in a Changing World	WashU Public Health	Ballroom C, InterContinental Geneva, Switzerland. Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>

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	12:00-13:30	Online Safety: Artificial Intelligence, Social Media and Suicide Prevention	Co-hosted by IASP, Orygen, Safe Online, and Crisis Text Line	The Warwick Hotel, Rue de Lausanne 14, 1201 Genève, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	12:00-14:00	Country-Led, Globally Supported: The ALIGN-T1D Model	The ALIGN-T1D	InterContinental Geneve by IHG 9 Chemin du Petit-Saconnex Ballroom AE 1209 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	13:00-14:20	From Global Commitments to Integrated Lung Health Action: Advancing early diagnosis of lung cancer and access to inhaled medicines for COPD and asthma	UICC  Ministry of Health of Malaysia, Vital Strategies, International Union Against Tuberculosis and Lung Disease (The Union), Brazil, Philippines, NCD Alliance (NCDA)	Salle C WHO Headquarters Webstreaming
	13:00-14:20	Healthcare financing: Bridging Traditional and Innovative financing for UHC	Jordan Türkiye, Burkina Faso, OIC, Syrian Arab Republic	Room XVI Palais des Nations

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	13:00-14:20	Exploring integrated and equitable approaches to obesity prevention and management within health systems	Dominican Republic  Cochrane Collaboration, Asociación Latinoamericana de Diabetes, El Salvador, Panamá, World Diabetes Foundation, Mexico, World Obesity Federation and Chile	Salle VIII Palais des Nations
	14:00-15:30	Global health architecture reform and UHC	HEAR-CSO	Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>
	14:00-15:30	What Does Global Health Architecture Reform Have to Do With Universal Health Coverage?	Health Architecture Reimagined Civil Society Organizations Consortium (HEAR CSO)	Auditorium de la Pastorale – 106 Route de Ferney, Geneva, Switzerland. Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>
	14:30-16:00	Mental Health in Humanitarian Programs	Geneva Health Forum, The Alliance for International Medical Action, Terre des hommes	Capus Biotech, Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	15:00-18:30	Reducing the burden of stroke at WHA79  Strengthening health system readiness	Siemens Healthineers, Ministry of Health Egypt	Hotel President Wilson, Geneva, Switzerland. Room Apollon Register <a href="#">here</a>

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	16:00-17:00	Living healthier, living better: rehabilitation and assistive technology in UHC	ATscale, Global Cooperation on Assistive Technology, Humanity & Inclusion, International Cerebral Palsy Society, World Rehabilitation Alliance	Auditorium de la Pastorale – 106 Route de Ferney, Geneva, Switzerland. Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>
	17:00-19:30	Enabling Digital Health Systems for Health Equity: A Youth Call to Action	Co-organised by Transform Health and Medic	Giga Connectivity Centre, Campus Biotech, Chem. des Mines 9, 1202, Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	17:00-21:00	From Crisis to Resilience: Innovating for Health	The World Health Summit	InterContinental Hotel, Ballroom A, Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	17:00-19:00	Advancing the Implementation of the UN Political Declaration on NCD and Mental Health through Coordinated Humanitarian Action: a Civil Society Roundtable	IFRC, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine in collaboration with partners.	IFRC, Auditorium B, Petit-Saconnex Geneva Register <a href="#">here</a>
	18:00-19:30	Rethinking Global Health in a Changing World	WashU Public Health	Ballroom C, InterContinental Geneva, Geneva Switzerland or Zoom. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	18:00-19:30	Advancing refugee and migrant health in countries: shared experiences, successes, challenges, and the path forward	Co-hosted by the Government of Spain, with support from the WHO Special Initiative on Health and Migration	WHO Headquarters, Building A, Conference Room B. Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>

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	18:00-19:30	Gestational Diabetes and beyond: Strengthening Primary Care for Integrated Reno-Metabolic Health Across the Life Course	Co-hosted by Guatemala, Kenya, Tanzania, the International Diabetes Federation, the International Society of Nephrology, the World Diabetes Foundation, the United Nations Population Fund and the Novo Nordisk Foundation	Palais des Nations, Room VIII 14 Avenue de la Paix 1202 Geneva, Switzerland.
	18:00-20:00	Climate Change and Respiratory Health	Health Diplomacy Alliance and Geneva Health Forum	Campus Biotech, Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	18:00-20:30	Advancing Women’s Health and NCD Equity Across the Continuum of Care in the Eastern Mediterranean Region (EMR)	MSD, EM NCDA	Hotel d'Angleterre, Quai du Mont-Blanc 17, 1201 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	18:00-21:00	Rare Diseases: A Catalyst for Global Health Transformation	Rare Diseases International	The Graduate Institute, Geneva - Auditorium Ivan Pictet B (Via Hall Pétale 2). Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>
	18:30-20:00	A Sustainable and Ethical Future for Health Worker Mobility	Co-Hosted with Global Health Partnerships, OECD, The World Bank, IOM UN Migration	Rue de Lausanne 132 Geneva and Livestreamed. Register <a href="#">here</a>

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<b>Thursday, 21 May, 2026</b>	8:00-9:00	Global Health Architecture and Governance: Reflection in an Era of Predictable Uncertainty	Health Diplomacy Alliance	Rothschild Building, Rue Rothschild 28, 1202 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	9:00-10:30	From Vision to Action: A Holistic Approach to Metabolic Health and NCD Prevention and Care	European Association for the Study of the Liver (EASL) Healthy Livers Healthy Lives	InterContinental Hotel, Chemin du Petit Saconnex 7–9, 1209 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	9:00-17:00	Geneva Digital Health Day 2026	GDHUB	Campus Biotech, Chemin des Mines 9, 1202, Geneva, Switzerland. Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>
	10:00-12:00	AMGEN WHA79 side event: AI serving better patient outcomes	UICC, Amgen	Union for International Cancer Control (UICC) 31-33 Avenue Giuseppe Motta, 1202 Geneva – Switzerland Register <a href="#">here</a>
	12:00-13:00	Lowering Cholesterol, Increasing the Impact: The Case for Earlier Action to Address the CV Epidemic	Office of Health Economics & MSD	Mediterranée, Intercontinental Geneva , Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>

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	12:00-14:00	Addressing the Disproportionate Impact of CKM (Cardio-Kidney-Metabolic) Conditions on Women's Wellness	Global Alliance for Patient Access, Mended Hearts Europe, Global Patient Alliance for Kidney Health, Partnership to Advance Cardiovascular Health, International Atherosclerosis Society, Partnership for Women's Wellness	InterContinental, Room: Paris, Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	13:00-14:00	Predicting and Promoting Well-Being Societies: How Policy Benchmarking and Simulation Models Can Accelerate NCD Prevention	Movendi International	InterContinental Geneva, Room: Bruxelles, Chemin du Petit Saconnex 7-9, 1209, Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	13:00-14:20	Advancing Human Rights and Public Health through the ICJ Advisory Opinion on Climate and Health	UNU and Medicus Mundi International  Vanuatu, Barbados, Philippines, Timor-Leste, Mozambique, Fiji TBC	Room XI, Palais des Nations
	13:00-14:20	National integration of HIV services: sustaining quality, equity and community leadership in an era of funding transition	International Aids Society Coalition Plus, NCD Alliance (NCDA), GNP+ and IPPF	Salle B WHO Headquarters Hybrid event

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	13:00-14:20	Beyond Survival: Integrating Rehabilitation for Health, Longevity, and Equity	Handicap International Federation  Benin, Japan, Cameroon, Scotland	Salle D WHO Headquarters
	13:30-14:20	Women at the Heart of Health Diplomacy. Heal, Lead, Seal.	Health Diplomacy Alliance	Rothschild Building, Rue Rothschild 28, 1202 Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>
	15:30-16:50	Changing Paradigms of Global Health Governance and Health Security Architecture: Reflections from South and Southeast Asia	Centre for Social and Economic Progress, The Asian Collective for Health Systems	Rothschild Building, Rue Rothschild 28, 1202 Geneva, Switzerland. Hybrid event Register <a href="#">here</a>
	18:00-19:30	From Resolution to Action: Implementing the WHA Resolution on Skin Diseases	Côte d'Ivoire, Togo, International League of Dermatological Societies (ILDS), Anesvad Foundation, International Federation of Antileprosy Associations, GlobalSkin	Salle B WHO Headquarters Hybrid event Register for in-person attendance : <a href="#">here</a> Register for virtual attendance: <a href="#">here</a>
	18:00-20:00	Together for Better Liver Health - The Hidden NCDs: SLD as the next Global Public Health Priority	Global Liver Institute and Egyptian Ministry of Health and Population	Pavillion Gallatin - Geneva, Switzerland. Register <a href="#">here</a>

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<b>Friday, 22 May, 2026</b>	13:00-14:20	Contaminated Commercial Formula - the need for a global response to protect child health	Ibfan, ILCA, Panama  Burundi, Ecuador, Van Tulleken Foundation, Latin American and Caribbean Nutrition and Health Community of Practice	Garden Room T WHO Headquarters Webstreaming
	13:00-14:20	Immunizing Across the Life-Course: Supporting Healthy Ageing, NCD Management, and System Resilience	The International Federation of Pharmaceutical Manufacturers and Associations (IFPMA), the International Federation on Ageing (IFA), and the Global Allergy & Airways Patient Platform (GAAPP)	Salle B WHO Headquarters
	13:00-14:20	Delivering on Brain Health: Implementing IGAP and the Political Declaration on NCDs	Multiple Sclerosis International Federation, International Bureau of Epilepsy, Alzheimer's Disease International, OneNeurology Partnership Italy	Salle C WHO Headquarters