

DAY 1: Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2021, 9:30 AM – 3:20 PM

How resilient have we been in ensuring the health and well-being for all Ghanaians during the COVID-19 pandemic?

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*Arrival and Check-in (9:30 am – 10:00 am)*

Time	Discussion Topic	Facilitator/Speaker
10:00 am – 11:00 am	Opening Ceremony	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. Anastasia Yirenkyi, Dir. TAMD, MOH</li> <li>• MOH Choir</li> <li>• Nana Ehunabobrim Prah Agyensaim VI, Paramount Chief of Assin Owirenkyi Traditional Area</li> <li>• H.E. Stephanie S. Sullivan, US Ambassador to Ghana</li> <li>• Dr. Matshidiso Moeti, Reg. Dir, WHO AFRO</li> <li>• Minister for Environment, Science, Technology, and Innovation</li> <li>• Minister for Local Government, Decentralisation and Rural Development</li> <li>• Minister for Roads and Highways</li> <li>• Hon. Kwaku Agyeman-Manu, Minister for Health</li> <li>• H.E. Nana Addo Dankwa Akufo-Addo, President of the Republic</li> </ul>
11:05 am – 12:50 pm.	<b>Presentation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Holistic Assessment: The Unprecedented Year 2020 In Retrospect               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Q and A</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. Ernest Konadu Asiedu, Head, QMU, PPMED, MOH</li> </ul>
12:55 pm – 1:05 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Voices from the Field</li> </ul>	
<i>Break (1:10 – 1:25 pm)</i>		
1:30 pm – 3:00 pm	<b>Panel Discussion</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Holistic Assessment: The Unprecedented Year 2020 in Retrospect</li> </ul>	<b>Moderator:</b> Prof. Alfred Yawson, Head, CHD, UGMS <b>Speakers:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. Ernest Konadu Asiedu, Head QMU, PPMED, MOH</li> <li>• Prof. Richard Adanu, Rector, GCPS</li> <li>• Dr. Patrick Kuma-Aboagye, DG, GHS</li> <li>• Dr. Lydia Dsane-Selby, CEO, NHIA</li> <li>• Mad. Vicky Okine, ED, AHRH</li> <li>• Dr. Anastasia Yirenkyi, Dir. TAMD, MOH</li> </ul>
<i>Closing (3:05 pm – 3:20 pm)</i>		

DAY 2: Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2021, 8:30 AM – 1:30 PM

Harnessing lessons from today to create a more resilient Ghanaian health system tomorrow

*Arrival and Check-in (8:30 am – 9:00 am)*

<p>9:00 am – 10:00 am</p>	<p><b>Plenary Session: Panel Discussion</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conversations by the fire side – Lessons from COVID-19 Response in preparation for building resilient systems</li> </ul>	<p><b>Moderator:</b> Dr. Linda Vanotoo, Country Dir., HSSA/R4D  <b>Speakers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. Ahmed Ogwell Ouma, DD, Africa CDC,</li> <li>• Dr Ambrose Otau Talisuna, WHO Technical Representative</li> <li>• Hon. Nana Ayew Afriyie, Chairman, PSCH</li> <li>• Dr. Patrick Kuma Aboagye, DG, GHS</li> </ul>
<p>10:05 am – 10:15</p>	<p><b>Voices from the Field</b></p>	
<p>10:20 am – 11:35 am</p>	<p><b>Presentation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Continuity of essential health and nutrition services during the COVID-19 pandemic</li> </ul>	<p><b>Presenter:</b> Dr. Anthony Adofo Oforu, DDG, GHS</p>
	<p><b>Plenary Session: Panel Discussion</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Continuity of essential health and nutrition services during the COVID-19 pandemic</li> </ul>	<p><b>Moderator:</b> Prof. Alfred Yawson, Head CHD, UGMS  <b>Speakers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. Daniel Asare, Private Provider</li> <li>• Dr. Isaac Morrison, Immediate Past National President, SPMDP/Chairman GAR</li> <li>• Mr. Peter Yeboah, ED, CHAG</li> <li>• Nana Akosua Frimpomaa-Sarpong, Community Representative</li> <li>• Dr. Charity Sarpong, Public Service Provider, Regional Health Service Director, GHS</li> </ul>

*Break (11:40 am – 12:05 pm)*

<p>12:10 pm – 1:15 pm</p>	<p><b>Parallel Sessions</b></p>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Healthcare Regulations:</b> Strengthening healthcare regulation and compliance for a more responsive Ghanaian health system</li> </ul>	<p><b>Moderator:</b> Dr. Martha Gyansa-Lutterodt, Dir. TC, MOH  <b>Presenter:</b> Dr. Augustina Koduah, Lecturer, Dept. of Pharmacy Practise and Clinical Pharmacy, UG  <b>Speakers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. Phillip Bannor, Registrar, HeFRA</li> <li>• Dr. Divine Banyubala, Ag. Registrar, MDC</li> <li>• Mrs. Delese A. A. Darko, CEO, FDA</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Health Financing:</b> Optimizing fiscal allocation and use of resources to strengthen our health system's ability to respond to future emergencies.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Moderator:</b> Mrs. Gladys Osabutey, Head, UNSU, MOF  <b>Presenter:</b> Prof. Justice Novignon, Assoc. Prof, UGSPH  <b>Speakers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. Lydia Dsane-Selby, CEO, NHIA</li> <li>• Prof. Rita Akosua Dickson, VC, KNUST</li> <li>• Mr. Bright Korkoryie, Head, FAMU, MOH</li> </ul>	

*Closing (1:15 pm – 1:30 pm)*

DAY 3: Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2021, 8:30 AM – 12:45 PM

Health in all & all in health: Multi-sectorality and partnerships for health systems strengthening

*Arrival & Check-in (8:30 am – 9:00 am)*

9:00 am – 9:20 am	<b>Presentation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Multi-sectoral governance for health: Implementation of the National Health Policy</li> </ul>	Dr. Emmanuel Odame, Dir. PPMED, MOH
9:25 am – 10:40 am	<b>Plenary Session</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conversations by the fire side – Multi-sectoral Governance for Health: Implementation of the National Health Policy</li> <li>Q and A</li> </ul>	<b>Moderator:</b> Hon. Nana Ayew Afriyie, Chairman, PSCH <b>Speakers:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hon. Kwaku Agyeman-Manu, Minister for Health</li> <li>Minister for Gender, Children and Social Protection</li> <li>Minister for Information</li> <li>Minister for Finance</li> <li>Minister for Sanitation and Water Resources</li> </ul>
10: 45 am – 10:50 am	<b>Voices from the Field</b>	
<i>Break (10:55 am – 11:10 am)</i>		
<b>Parallel Sessions</b>		
11:15 am – 12:30 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Human Resources for Health:</b> Towards a healthier and more empowered health workforce: Challenges faced, and lessons learned from Ghana’s COVID-19 response</li> </ul>	<b>Moderator:</b> Dr. Ebenezer Appiah Denkyira, Head, PAP, Pentecost University <b>Presenter:</b> Mr. Obeng Asomaning Williams, DD HR, MHA <b>Speakers:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Public Services Commission Representative</li> <li>Dr. Kwesi Asabir, Dir. HR, MOH</li> <li>Mr. Samuel Akotuah Atweri, Dir. HR, KBTH</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Research and Innovation:</b> Strengthening Ghana’s health arsenal to combat recurring outbreaks and novel crises</li> </ul>	<b>Moderator:</b> Prof. John Gyapong, VC, UHAS <b>Presenter:</b> Dr. Paulina Tindana, Lecturer, UGSPH <b>Speakers:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Prof. Seth Owusu Agyei, Pro VC, UHAS</li> <li>Dr. James Duah, Dep. ED, CHAG</li> <li>Dr. Kofi Bobi Barimah, Ag. ED, CPMR</li> </ul>
<i>Closing (12:30 pm– 12:45 pm)</i>		

DAY 4: Friday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2021, 8:30 AM – 10:30 AM

Our commitment to you: Starting anew for a more resilient Ghanaian health system

*Arrival and Check-in (8:30 am – 9:00 am)*

9:00 am – 9:45 am	<b>Panel Discussion</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Moderator’s forum: Key Highlights and Takeaways from the Summit.</li></ul>	<b>Moderator:</b> Prof. Alfred Yawson, Head, CHD, UGMS <b>Speakers:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Mr. Kwabena Boadu Oku-Afari, CD, MOH</li><li>Prof. John Gyapong, VC, UHAS</li><li>Dr. Ebenezer Appiah Denkyira, Head, PAP, Pentecost University</li><li>Dr. Martha Gyansa-Lutterodt, Dir., TC, MOH</li><li>Mrs. Gladys Osabutey, Head, UNSU-MOF</li></ul>
9:45am – 10:00 am	<b>Voices from the Field</b>	
10:00 am – 10:10 am	Closing Remarks	Mr. Kwabena Boadu Oku-Afari, CD, MOH
10:15 am – 10:20 am	Closing Prayer	Rev. Ben Ampomah Nkansah, Dir. Infrastructure, MOH
<i>Closing (10:20 am - 10:30 am)</i>		

