



FUTURES LABS @ COP27

Bold ideas for systems change to accelerate the transition to a regenerative, just world

Healthy People, Healthy Planet: Transforming the Health Care Sector

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The health care sector is responsible for nearly 5% of net global greenhouse gas emissions; at the same time, the combustion of fossil fuels, which drives the climate crisis, is killing more than 7 million people a year and threatening the health of the planet. This Future Lab will explore what a net zero, resilient health system could look like, and how such transformational change in the health sector can contribute to meeting the Sustainable Development Goals while achieving a just and healthy civilizational transition away from fossil fuels and toward clean, renewable, healthy energy.

PROGRAMME

Session Description	Speakers
Opening remarks	Welcome. UNFCCC High Level Champions Greeting. Dr. Omnia Al Omrani, COP27 President's Envoy on Youth
VISION: What does a Net Zero, Resilient, Equitable Health System Look Like? And how does it	Moderator: Dr. Maria Neira, World Health Organization

<p>help meet the SDGs?</p>	<p>Admiral Rachel Levine, Assistant Secretary for Health for the United States Department of Health and Human Services —U.S.A.</p> <p>Cecilia Nicolini, State Secretary of Climate Change, Sustainable Development and Innovation, advisor to the President of Argentina (invited)</p>
<p>MOMENTUM: The Race for Climate-Smart Health Care. Where is change happening on the ground?</p>	<p>Moderator: Dr. Poornima Prabakharan, Public Health Foundation of India</p> <p>Dr. Maria Guevara, Médecins Sans Frontières – Doctors Without Borders</p> <p>Dr. Nermeen Ashour, Green Hospitals Project Manager, Egypt Healthcare Authority</p> <p>Glyn Richards, Group Director of Sustainability, BUPA</p>
<p><i>TED style talk: Air Pollution and the Climate Crisis</i></p>	<p><i>Dr. Arvind Kumar, Doctors for Clean Air, India</i></p>
<p>TRANSFORMATION: Toward a Just and Healthy Transition:</p> <p>What does a future just and healthy transition look like? How can the health sector bolster climate action and how can climate action protect our health?</p>	<p>Moderator: Dr. Courtney Howard, Global Climate and Health Alliance, Canada</p> <p>Azeeza Rangunwala, groundWork, South Africa</p> <p>Tasneem Essop, Executive Director Climate Action Network, International</p> <p>Mohamed Eissa, International Federation of Medical Students Associations, Egypt (invited)</p>
<p><i>Closing Poem</i></p>	<p>Juan Felipe Herrera, Poet Laureate Emeritus, U.S.A</p>