

**CERVICAL CANCER: BUILDING THE AGENDA TO ACCELERATE CERVICAL CANCER ELIMINATION IN
THE AMERICAS**

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**Workshop November 25-26, 2019
Venue: Florida International University, FIU, Washington DC**

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Rationale

The objective of the workshop will be to discuss innovative approaches to improve an integrated management strategy for acceleration of cervical cancer elimination in the Americas. We will be discussing strategies to increase coverage of HPV vaccination, HPV testing, and precancer treatment, in order to achieve this goal and strengthening the PAHO regional cervical cancer strategy 2018-2030

This workshop will bring together PAHO/WHO members, experts, members of bilateral cooperation agencies, among other distinguish participants to discuss several key issues on cervical cancer prevention and control strategies.

The program will focus on relevant topics such as:

1. Evidence and information- what do we know about how cervical cancer can be eliminated, what is needed to reach elimination, what more research/evidence is needed, etc.
2. Communication and advocacy – what communication and advocacy strategy is needed for the region and how can this be implemented to reach public health professionals, women and girls, etc.
3. Implementation strategies for HPV vaccination, screening and precancer treatment – how can governments reach the 90-70-90 targets for vaccination, screening and treatment.
4. Partnerships and mobilization – who are/could be regional partners in this effort, what technical and financial resources are needed, among others.

AGENDA November 25

8:15-8:45	<p style="text-align: center;">Opening remarks Objectives of the meeting Dr. Carlos Espinal GHC, Dra Silvana Luciani, PAHO</p>
8:45-10:00	<p style="text-align: center;">Session 1</p> <p>Moderator: Ted Trimble Overview of proposed global elimination strategy and regional cervical cancer plan of action Silvana Luciani, PAHO (20')</p> <p>Group discussion What are we missing? Conclusions and recommendations</p>
10:00-10:30	Coffee break
10:30-11:45	<p style="text-align: center;">Session 2</p> <p>Moderator: Tiffany Mahaney Outcomes from the PAHO regional cervical cancer consultation and the development of country elimination plans Silvana Luciani, PAHO (20')</p> <p>Are we meeting our commitments?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Political commitment • Technical commitments • Social and community-based commitments <p>Group discussion: Conclusions and recommendations</p>
11:45-13:00	<p style="text-align: center;">Session 3</p> <p>Moderator: Carlos Espinal HPV vaccination. Barriers to achieve high vaccination coverages Angelica Nogueira-Rodriguez, Brazil (25')</p> <p>How to increase vaccination coverages?</p> <p>Panelists: Roberto Arroba, EPI Director, Costa Rica Carla Domingues, former EPI Director, Brazil Angela Nogueira-Rodriguez, Brazil Carla Vizzotti, Former EPI Manager, Argentina</p> <p>Group discussion Conclusions and recommendations</p>
13:00 –14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 15:45	<p style="text-align: center;">Session 4</p> <p>Moderator: Jorge Salmeron Evidence and information-what more research/evidence is needed to reach the 90-70-90 targets, Anna Giuliano R (20')</p> <p>Panelists: Tiffany Mahaney</p>

	<p>Monica Sierra Mauricio Maza Ted Trimble Group discussion Conclusions and recommendations</p>
15:45-16:15	Coffee break
16:15-17:30	<p>Session 4 Moderator: Monica Sierra Communication and advocacy – what communication and advocacy strategy is needed for the region and how can this be implemented to reach public health professionals, women and girls Conclusions and recommendations</p>

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8:15-8:40	<p>Comments on Day 1. Agenda Day 2 Dr. Carlos Espinal GHC, Dra Silvana Luciani, PAHO</p>
8:40-10:00	<p>Session 5 Moderators: Anna Giuliano R, Silvana Luciani Partnerships and mobilization – who are/could be partners in this effort. What technical and financial resources are needed, what can the private sector contribute. Stakeholder and resource mobilization, main players/actors we need to engage or increase engagement, and where potential funding can come from. Group discussion Conclusions and recommendations</p>
10:00-10:20	Coffee break
10:20-12:20	<p>Session 6 Moderator: Julie Torode Implementation strategies for HPV vaccination, screening and precancer treatment – what more can be done to support governments to reach the 90-70-90 targets for vaccination, screening and treatment Round table discussion Panelists: Silvana Luciani Raul Murillo Rosa Margarita Hernandez Nelson Arboleda Group discussion Conclusions and recommendations</p>
12:20-12:45	<p>Session 7 Moderators: Carlos Espinal, Silvana Luciani Final remarks, next steps. Action plan</p>

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