



**UNAIDS @  
THE UNITED NATIONS  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

## **SUMMARY OF KEY EVENTS**

### *Thursday, 24 September*

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14:00–15:00, Church Centre Chapel, 777 UN Plaza

#### **Meeting the moral imperative to end extreme poverty and advance the SDGs**

*World Bank Group and UN Inter-Agency Task Force on Engaging with Faith-Based Organizations for Sustainable Development*

UNAIDS will join a cross-section of faith-based and religious organizations to mobilize around ending extreme poverty and to strengthen collaboration to achieve the SDGs.

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### *Friday, 25 September*

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10:00–13:00, GA Hall

#### **Opening of the UN Sustainable Development Summit**

More than 100 heads of state and government are confirmed to attend the UN Sustainable Development Summit for the adoption of an ambitious, bold and universal sustainable development agenda to end poverty and promote prosperity by 2030, while addressing the environment. His Holiness Pope Francis will address the summit prior to the opening ceremony.

**Contact:** [www.un.org/sustainabledevelopment](http://www.un.org/sustainabledevelopment)

15:00–16:30, Conference Room 4, UN Building

**From global conversation to global action—making the SDGs work**

*UN Development Group (UNDG)*

UNAIDS will participate in the UN Development Group side event celebrating the adoption of the new universal and transformative development agenda. The event will showcase efforts already under way in a number of Member States to advance the new global agenda at the national level and will be an opportunity for the UN development system to present its joint vision and approach to providing support for countries to implement and track progress.

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***Saturday, 26 September***

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08:00–09:30, La Bousse Hall, UNICEF House

**Financing health and education: girls driving development**

*Global Partnership for Education, Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria, UNICEF, UNAIDS*

Round-table discussion between heads of state, ministers of finance, health and education and development partners on improving access to and the quality of health and education services for underserved communities—particularly girls and young women.

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11:30–12:30, Westin Grand Central

**Partnership for Maternal, Newborn & Child Health breakfast: accountability in the post-2015 era**

*The Partnership for Maternal, Newborn & Child Health*

This event will reflect on: evidence on progress over the past five years; successes for scale-up in improving reproductive, maternal, newborn, child and adolescent health post-2015; successes around accountability processes; and recommendations on accountability structures for the post-2015 era.

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16:00–18:00, room TBC, UN Building

**Every Woman Every Child event**

*Every Woman Every Child*

High-level event hosted by the UN Secretary-General to launch an updated global strategy.

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***Sunday, 27 September***

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**Social Good Summit opening ceremony**

*Social Good Summit*

UNAIDS Global Goodwill Ambassador Victoria Beckham will read goal three of the new Sustainable Development Goals.

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17:00–18:30, Conference Room 1 (CB), UN Building

**ACTION: IMPLEMENTATION**

**Ending the AIDS epidemic by 2030—Shaping new models and means of implementation**

*Hosted by Kenya and Malawi with UNAIDS*

Through innovation, investments and implementation, countries are on the Fast-Track to ending the AIDS epidemic by 2030.

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***Monday, 28 September***

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08:45–12:15, Hotel Pierre

**OAFLA round table: building on MDGs to invest in the post-2015 development agenda**

*Organization of African First Ladies Against AIDS*

African First Ladies will be meeting to continue their advocacy work around ending the AIDS epidemic, eliminating mother-to-child transmission of HIV and ensuring adolescent girls' sexual and reproductive health and rights.

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09:00, UN Main Building

**Opening of the UNGA 70 Annual General Debate**

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12:00–13:30, Hotel Pierre

**Fashion 4 Development**

UNAIDS Global Goodwill Ambassador Victoria Beckham will receive the F4D annual award.

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***Tuesday, 29 September***

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08:00–10:30, Ford Foundation

**Robert Carr Civil Society Network Fund replenishment event**

Making the case for investment in civil society and community organizations as central to driving progress towards ending the AIDS epidemic. Review of the accomplishments of the Robert Carr Civil Society Network Fund and the importance of continued and increased support for this unique funding organization.

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