

UHC2030 Private Sector Constituency – Update

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Aim and background

- Multi-stakeholder dialogue / engagement needed to reach UHC
- Private sector already plays an important role in health care and is key to achieve UHC
- UHC2030 as convening platform for for-profit private sector entities to exchange on and collaborate towards UHC
 - Provide a platform for interaction with private sector for all health systems Networks
 - E.g. can be used to discuss the WHO decision-making tool for PS engagement

UHC2030 SC:

- agreed on ToRs for the UHC2030 private sector constituency in June 2017
- requested the work to move forward in December 2017

Global call for interest

- Global call invites private sector entities to join the UHC2030 constituency
 - 2 levels of membership
 - Criteria for membership have been refined
 - 2 rounds of intake annually (more manageable)
- Announced at WHA side event by Dr Yamamoto, 22 May 2018

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- **Core action group:**
 - Actively engaging with UHC2030, its partners and related health networks
 - Providing inputs and statements, being involved in UHC related dialogue
 - Participation in UHC2030 technical working groups
 - 1-2 members as representatives in the UHC2030 SC
- **Consulting Group:**
 - Receiving information and are consulted by core action group

Criteria for membership

Any private sector entity that wishes to join the constituency **must commit to:**

- Public statements on how the entity will contribute to UHC outcomes: 1. Financial protection; and 2. access to quality health services.
- Promote the UHC2030 principles of equity, quality, transparency and accountability.
- Open dialogue about critical concerns surrounding private sector engagement for health.
- Ensure its engagement adds value to public health and the UHC agenda.
- Sign the tobacco-arms disclosure statement.

*In addition, the **Core Action Group** members must:*

- ***Comply with FENSA & sign onto the UHC2030 Global Compact.***
- ***Publish in annual report how they are supporting the UHC2030 Global Compact.***

Set up of Core Action Group

The Core Action Group will include 20-25 members, selected using the following criteria:

- Geographical representation: a geographic mix of regional, national & global.
- Sectoral representation: a mix of entities working in sectors such as health insurance, medicines and health products, academia and health service providers.
- Business associations/private sector associations should be preferred to individual companies

The composition of the Core Action Group will be reviewed annually by UHC2030 Steering Committee, with arrangements for periodic rotation at UHC2030's discretion in order to ensure adequate representation.

Secretariat / convening platform: pilot phase

- World Economic Forum (WEF) to support convening of the private sector constituency
- WEF has the experience and convening power e.g. with the GCM for NCDs
- WEF will be contracted for 6 months to:
 - support UHC2030 in the global call for interest
 - work on proposal to structure the work and governance of the constituency (identify alternative funding / hosting arrangements by end of 2018)
 - manage the constituency

Way forward

Following the launch for UHC2030 constituency at the WHA side event on 22 May

- Publish global call for interest and open registration

For decision at the SC meeting on 4-5 June:

- Selection process of private sector entities to sit on UHC2030 SC

SC in December 2018:

- Presentation of working and hosting arrangements of UHC2030 private sector constituency

How do select representation in the UHC2030 SC?

Proposal for engagement:

Representatives in the UHC2030 SC would be

- 1 seat for the host organisation of the constituency
- 1 seat for a business associations that represent multiple sectors (member of the core action group)

Process:

- Selection by UHC2030 SC based on criteria will mitigate risks of conflict of interests
- Regular rotation of representatives
- Further private sector actors can be invited as observers