



Network India

SDG 3: ENSURING HEALTHY LIVES AND PROMOTE WELL BEING FOR ALL AT ALL AGES

ROUNDTABLE PANEL DISCUSSION

3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

ENSURING HEALTHY LIVES AND PROMOTING WELL-BEING FOR ALL

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BACKGROUND

Ensuring healthy lives and promoting well-being at all ages is essential to sustainable development. Currently, the world is facing a global health crisis unlike any other — COVID-19 is still spreading human suffering, destabilizing the global economy and upending the lives of billions of people around the globe.

The pandemic provides a watershed moment for health emergency preparedness and for investment in critical 21st century public services. Before the pandemic, major progress was made in improving the health of millions of people. Significant strides were made in increasing life expectancy and reducing some of the common killers associated with child and maternal mortality.

India has seen unprecedented improvement in healthcare, shining examples being Eradication of Polio and TB, managing outbreak of COVID 19 throughout the country, handling production, distribution and administering of the COVID vaccination including 2 doses and 1 booster shot, improved Hospitals Infrastructure and Facilities, successful PPP healthcare models among others.

However, huge gaps and malpractices continue to deter the progress of Mission Good Health for All. Substantially higher efforts are needed to fully eradicate a wide range of diseases and address many different persistent and emerging health issues. By focusing on providing more efficient funding of health systems, improved sanitation and hygiene, and increased access to physicians, significant progress can be made in helping to save the lives of millions. Innovations using evolving technologies promise scale and speed.

FOCUS OF THE ROUNDTABLE

Taking integrated action towards the health of people and planet not only provides many business opportunities, but is also imperative for protecting human rights, ensuring no one is left behind.

Keeping the above in mind in context with SDG 3 – Good Health and Well Being for All, UN Global Compact Network India, is hosting a Roundtable which will focus on the following:

- Achieve all 13 targets of [SDG 3](#) by 2030
- Building Sustainable and Resilient Healthcare Systems including the Supply Chain
- Advancement of technology for development of improved healthcare products
- Improve access to training of medical professionals
- Improve access to healthcare and dissemination of healthcare services to the last mile
- Commitment by the Businesses, top management, to global health and well being
- Ensure health of employees and communities by the businesses
- Interconnectedness of Health and climate change/climate risk – clean air, water, sanitation, food & nutrition

PANEL DISCUSSION DURING THE ROUNDTABLE

The Roundtable will have 2 live panel discussion sessions:

1. Towards Ensuring healthy lives and promoting well-being at all ages: the Demand & Supply Challenges and Barriers
2. Business Action for a Healthy Planet and Healthy People: Investing in technology to promote good health & wellbeing – increasing role of Business CEOs

FORMAT OF THE ROUNDTABLE

The roundtable will be held in the form of a panel discussion as mentioned above.

Time Duration: 02 hours

Venue: Online

Speakers:

- Experts from leading corporates related to healthcare
- Experts from the Government or NITI Aayog
- Experts from UN agencies and CSOs in India

An outcome report with actionable points will be prepared and shared by UNGCNI and also promoted with stakeholders in India and globally within the UNGC Network.