

## Save the Date

Dear colleagues,

The German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ) and partners cordially invite you to the **Joint Breakfast Side Event** organized on the occasion of the Special Session of the General Assembly on ICPD Beyond 2014:

### **Education Matters: Empowering Young People to make Healthier Choices**

This Side Event aims at reinforcing Comprehensive Sexuality Education (CSE) as a key area of action for the ICPD beyond 2014 agenda through the promotion of the '*Ministerial Commitment on Comprehensive Sexuality Education and Sexual and Reproductive Health Services for Adolescents and Young People in Eastern and Southern Africa*' (ESA Initiative) - which aims at improving sexual and reproductive health and rights and HIV prevention among young people through CSE and youth-friendly services in East and Southern Africa.

#### **Speakers include:**

**Gerd Mueller**, Federal Minister for Economic Cooperation and Development, Germany

**Sheila Tlou**, Director, UNAIDS Regional Support Team for Eastern and Southern Africa, former Minister of Health of Botswana, ESA High-Level Group

**Patricia Machawira**, Regional HIV and Health Education Advisor, Eastern and Southern Africa, UNESCO

**Caroline Phiri**, Director, Ministry of Community Development Mother and Child Health, Zambia

**Holo Muchangwe Hachonda IV**, Director, Better Organisation Solutions, Zambia, Member of the High Level Task Force for ICPD

**Nicodemus Mbwika**, Regional Coordinator, DSW Kenya

**Moderated by Ahmad Alhendawi**, Secretary General's Special Envoy on Youth

Other **high level speakers from further UN member states** to be confirmed.

**Venue:** Permanent Mission of Germany to the United Nations  
871 United Nations Plaza, New York, NY 10017  
(First Avenue at 49th Street)

**Date:** 22 September 2014

**Time:** 8:30 – 10:00 am (breakfast buffet opening at 8:00 am)

Please RSVP by Thursday, September 18, 2014: [wi-hosp5-vn@newy.diplo.de](mailto:wi-hosp5-vn@newy.diplo.de)

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