



Getting back on track: realizing gender equality and universal access to sexual and reproductive health and rights

Tuesday 15 February 2022

15:30h – 17:00h CET

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COVID-19 has had adverse effects on the health of women and girls and threatens to reverse hard-fought progress towards gender equality and SRHR. This side-event to the EU-AU Summit, organized by the Netherlands, Sweden and INTPA, will bring together ministers from Africa and Europe, representatives of UNFPA, the European Commission and civil society/youth to look for shared objectives towards getting back on track in realizing gender equality and SRHR. The event is moderated by Levi Singh, Youth SRHR Strategy officer at the SRHR Africa Trust, with participation of:

- Mr. Benjamin Hounkpatin, Minister of Health, Benin
- Ms. Liesje Schreinemacher, Minister for Foreign Trade and Development Cooperation, The Netherlands
- Ms. Jenny Ohlsson, Deputy-Minister for International Development Cooperation, Sweden
- Dr. Julitta Onabanjo, UNFPA Director of Technical Division
- Mr. Amour Dieu-Donné Vodounhessi, National President of IPPF/Youth Action Movement in Benin
- European Commission
- Ministerial representation from Uganda, Burundi, Morocco (to be confirmed)

The event aims to generate a common understanding of challenges, opportunities and shared priorities and to reaffirm our joint commitments towards the global and regional commitments on gender equality and SRHR.



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