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**Agenda
for
A Global Conference on**

“Reaching Men to Improve Reproductive Health for All”

September 15-18, 2003

Please Note:

This version of the conference agenda is a working draft only and is subject to change pending confirmation of participation of invited presenters.

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Sunday, September 14, 2003		
4-7pm	REGISTRATION	
Monday, September 15, 2003		
8-9am	REGISTRATION	
9:00-9:30am ROOMS ABC	Opening Ceremony	Welcome and Introductory Comments: Sam Clark (PATH), Manisha Mehta (EngenderHealth), Nancy Yinger (PRB), and E. Anne Peterson (USAID Bureau for Global Health) Guest Speaker: Abhijit Das , KRITI Resource Centre (SAHAYOG)
9:30-9:45am ROOMS ABC	Status of Men in RH Since Beijing	Gary Barker (Instituto Promundo)
9:45 -10:00am ROOMS ABC	What Do We Mean by “Involving Men With a Gender Perspective?”	Margaret E. Greene (Center for Global Health George Washington U. /School of Public Health)
10:00-10:30am	BREAK	
10:30am – Noon ROOMS ABC	PLENARY I How Are Boys Socialized? Addressing Issues of Male Identity (Virility, Violence, Homophobia, MSM), Raising Gender-Equitable Boys	Seizing the Day – Right Time, Right Place, and Right Message for Adolescent RSH (Kenya). Elizabeth Grant , U. of Edinburgh Enlightening Adolescent Boys in India on Gender and RSH. Dr. Arundhati Mishra , CEDPA/India The Program H: Promoting Condom Use, Health Seeking Behavior, and Changes in Gender Norms Among Young Men (Brazil). Marcos Nascimento , Instituto Promundo Peer Advocates for Health: A Community-Based Program to Improve Reproductive Health and Lifestyle Among Adolescent Males (USA). Pat Mosena , Peer Advocates for Health Moderator: Benno de Keijzer , Salud y Género
Noon-1:00pm	LUNCH	

ROOM A	<p>SUB-PLENARY A Involving Men in RH through MCH With a Focus on Working with Young Married Men</p>	<p>Are Intervention Activities Targeted at Male Involvement in Pregnancy Also Beneficial to Other Aspects of Male and Female Reproductive Health? An Intervention Study From Zimbabwe. Ravai Marindo, U. of Zimbabwe</p> <p>Involving Men in Antenatal and Postnatal Care: The Men in Maternity Project in South Africa. Busisiwe Kunene, U. of Witwatersrand</p> <p>Successfully Involving Men in Maternity Care: The Men in Maternity Project in India. Leila Varkey, Population Council</p> <p>Moderator: Emma Ottolenghi, Population Council</p>
ROOM C	<p>SUB-PLENARY B Involving Men in RH through MCH</p> <p>1:00-2:15pm</p>	<p>Involving Husbands in Safe Motherhood: The <i>Suami Siaga</i> (“Alert Husband”) Campaign in Indonesia. Anne Palmer, Johns Hopkins U. /CCP</p> <p>Promotion of Male Involvement in Adolescent Married Women’s Reproductive Health Through Reproductive Health Education in Rural Area in Maharashtra, India. Surinder Jaswal, Tata Institute of Social Sciences</p> <p>Supporting Married Adolescent Girls: Encouraging Positive Partner Involvement (India). K.G. Santhya, Population Council/South East and Asia Regional Office</p> <p>Caring Men? Husbands' Involvement in Maternal Care Among Young Couples in Rural India. Rohini Pande, International Center for Research on Women</p> <p>Moderator: Margaret E. Greene, Center for Global Health, George Washington U. /School of Public Health</p>
ROOM D	<p>SUB-PLENARY C Community-Based Approaches</p>	<p>MAVA’s Effort Toward Changing Men’s Attitudes (India). Harish Sadani, Men Against Violence & Abuse</p> <p>Community-Based Education: A Strategy for Engaging Men to Fight Female Genital Cutting (Burkina Faso). Djingri Ouoba, Mwangaza Action</p> <p>The Community’s Role in Reducing Barriers to Safe Motherhood (USA). Peg Marshall, CEDPA</p> <p>The Navrongo Experience with Family Planning and Gender Relations in Northern Ghana. Dr. Philip Adongo, Navrongo Health Research Centre in Ghana</p> <p>Moderator: Jay Gribble, Georgetown U.</p>

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2:15-2:30pm	Break	
2:30-3:30pm ROOMS ABC	PLENARY II Impact of Gender on Men's Health: Examining the Relation Between the Hegemonic Model of Masculinity and Risky Behaviors	Men's Sexual Dysfunctions (<i>Gupt Rog</i> or "Secret Illnesses") and Their Relationship to Sexual Risk Behavior in India. Ravi K. Verma , Population Council/India A Research and Training Program on Alcohol Use and Sexual Risk Behavior Among Male Migrants to Mumbai (India). Jean Schensul , Institute for Community Research Gender Concepts, Marital Relationships, and Sexual Risk Behavior in Mumbai (India). Stephen Schensul , U. of Connecticut School of Medicine Moderator: Julie Pulerwitz , Horizons

<p>ROOMS DEF</p> <p>3:45-4:45pm</p>	<p>6 ROUNDTABLES, PRACTITIONER SESSIONS: Specific Examples & Methodologies of Involving Men Using Community-Based Approaches</p> <p>These are three sets of roundtables going on simultaneously. Each one with two sessions. Each presentation is 15 minutes with 15 minutes for discussion at the end of all the presentations.</p>	<p>1. “Planning Together”: Consequences of Involving Men in Family Planning through Water and Sanitation Programs (El Salvador). Rebecka Lundgren, Georgetown U.</p> <p>2. Involving Village Men in Health Issues (Armenia). Anna Boshyan, Adventist Development and Relief Association</p> <p>3. Safe Motherhood Media Campaign (Mongolia). Oyun Chimeddamba, The Directorate of Medical Services</p> <p>4. Reducing Reproductive Health Vulnerabilities of Male Adolescents Involved With Justice Conflicts in Brazil. Elizabeth Ferraz, BEMFAM</p> <p>5. How to Reach Men With a Gender Perspective of Southeast Asia, Pakistan. Yasmeen Sabeeh Qazi, Pakistan Voluntary Health & Nutrition Association</p> <p>6. Man-to-Man Conversations: Reflection Groups with Men (Brazil). Alan Bronz, Instituto Nooz</p> <p>Facilitators: Lisette Bernal and Manisha Mehta EngenderHealth; Michèle Burger, consultant</p>
<p>5:00-5:30pm ROOMS ABC</p>	<p>HOW TO APPLY IN OUR WORK WHAT WE HAVE LEARNED TODAY</p>	<p>Elaine Murphy, George Washington U.</p>
<p>6:00-6:45pm</p>	<p>COCKTAILS</p>	<p>Cash Bar</p>
<p>7:00-8:00pm</p>	<p>DINNER BREAK</p>	<p>20% discount at hotel restaurants; not included in registration fee</p>
<p>8:00-9:30pm ROOMS ABC</p>	<p>Evening Activity: Guest speakers and informal discussion group on Gender-Based Violence: Facilitator: James Lang (Family Violence Prevention Fund); Dr. Inge Baumgarten (GTZ); Michael Kaufman, consultant.</p>	

Tuesday, September 16, 2003		
8-9am	REGISTRATION	
8:45-9:00am	Informal Networking	
9:00-9:15am ROOM A	Synthesis of Previous Day's Discussion	Mike Mbizvo, WHO
9:15-10:15am ROOM A ROOM C	SUB-PLENARY D Communication and Counseling	Couple Counseling vs. Group Counseling With Males – A Randomized Controlled Trial of Male Involvement (Zimbabwe). Margaret Mlingo , U. of Zimbabwe/UCSF Addressing Gender Issues With Men and Couples: Involving Men in SRH Services in Aprove, Ecuador. Bonnie Shepard Moderator: Karin Ringheim , Global Health Council
	SUB-PLENARY E Tools and Program Models for Monitoring and Evaluation	Measuring Gender-Equitable Norms: Applications of the GEM Scale (Brazil). Julie Pulerwitz , Horizons Program/PATH Preliminary Findings from the New Visions Program Pilot Evaluation in Egypt. Mona Selim , CEDPA/Egypt Moderator: Nancy Yinger , Population Reference Bureau
10:15-10:30am	BREAK	
10:35-11:35am ROOM A	SUB-PLENARY F Employment-Based Approaches	Male Participation in the Trade Union Way (Philippines). Ariel Castro , Trade Union Congress of the Philippines Strengthening Partnership With Men in the Armed Forces on Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights: Lessons Learned from Nine UNFPA Case Studies (Global). Sylvie Cohen , UNFPA Preventing Truck Drivers From Risk Behavior: Observation From an Operations Research in India. M.E. Khan , Population Council/Frontiers Moderator: Harris Solomon , USAID

<p>2:00-3:15pm ROOMS ABC</p>	<p>PLENARY III Considering Men’s Rights and Empowerment in Improving Women’s RH: Raising Awareness about Gender</p>	<p>Collecting RH Data From Men: A View From the Demographic and Health Surveys (Global). Martin Vaessen, MEASURE DHS/ORC Macro</p> <p>Challenging Inequities: The Story of an Anti-Sexist and Rights-Based Program for Nigerian Adolescent Males. Corinne Whitaker, International Women’s Health Coalition</p> <p>Rights-Based Interventions Are Crucial to Changing Attitudes Toward RH Issues (Malawi). Anthony Chaima, National Association for People Living with HIV/AIDS in Malawi</p> <p>Involving Men in a Project Based on Women’s Empowerment (Peru). Carmen Yon Leau, Movimiento Manuela Ramos</p> <p>Moderator: Maryce Ramsey, Catalyst</p>
<p>3:15-3:45pm</p>	<p>BREAK</p>	
<p>3:45-5:00pm ROOM A</p>	<p>SUB-PLENARY J IEC/BCC, Social Marketing and Media Approaches to Involve Men in RH</p>	<p>Growing Up – A New Road Toward Gender Sensitization and RSH for Young People in South Asia. Venu Arora, Ideosync Media Combine</p> <p>Men Can Stop Rape: The Strength Campaign (USA). Jonathan Stillerman, Men Can Stop Rape</p> <p>“Men Win With Contests”--Reaching Men Through Entertainment Education Approach (Jordan). Amjad Nawwas, Idea International Center</p> <p>Theatre: Focusing on Men Influences Women Too (Benin). Susan Araedon, PATH</p> <p>Moderator: Sylvie Cohen, UNFPA</p>

<p>3:45-4:45pm ROOM C</p>	<p>SUB-PLENARY K Peer Education</p>	<p>Impact of a Peer Education Intervention on Gender and Reproductive Health Among Vietnamese Youth. Tran Hung Minh, Academy for Educational Development/CABER</p> <p>An Evaluation of a Family Planning Intervention: Male Peer Counselors vs. Volunteer Health Workers as Educators and Motivators (Philippines). Amy Weissman, Save the Children</p> <p>Reaching Men: Educating, Mobilizing, and Organizing Men to Confront Sexist Violence (USA). Rus Ervin Funk, Center for Women and Families Mobilizing to End violence</p> <p>Moderator: Sam Clark, PATH</p>
<p>4:50-5:20pm ROOM A</p>	<p>HOW TO APPLY IN OUR WORK WHAT WE HAVE LEARNED TODAY</p>	<p>Jim McMahan, INTRAHealth</p>
<p>6:30-7:30pm</p>	<p>DINNER BREAK</p>	<p>20% discount at hotel restaurants; not included in registration fee</p>
<p>8:00-8:45pm ROOMS ABC</p>	<p>PERFORMANCE (or Video Presentations)</p>	<p>Video of ASHE, Jamaica</p>

Wednesday, September 17, 2003		
8-9am	REGISTRATION	
8:45-9:00am	Informal Networking	
9:00-9:15am ROOM A	Synthesis of Previous Day's Discussion	Nancy Yinger , PRB
9:15-10:15am ROOM A	PLENARY IV Approaches to Reduce Gender-Based Violence Among Men	<p>Giving Men Choices: Working with Police in Pakistan (Pakistan). Maria Rashid, ROZAN</p> <p>The Men as Partners Program in South Africa: Lessons Learned Over Five Years. Dean Peacock, EngenderHealth</p> <p>Report from Monday Evening Discussion on Gender-Based Violence. James Lang, Family Violence Prevention Fund</p> <p>Moderator: Judith Helzner, MacArthur Foundation</p>
10:15-10:30am	BREAK	
10:30am-11:45am ROOM A	PLENARY V Policy Initiatives and Strategies for Advocating the Involvement of Men in RH	<p>Masculinities, Reproductive Rights, and Public Policies (Brazil). Viviane Branco, Municipal Secretary of Health of Rio de Janeiro</p> <p>Reaching Men to Improve RSH for All (Mexico). Humberto Arango, International Planned Parenthood Federation/WHR</p> <p>Linkages Between Democracy and Governance, RH, and GBV (Nigeria). Charles Teller, CEDPA</p> <p>Moderator: Jeff Spieler, USAID</p>
11:50am-12:30pm ROOM A	Meet the Authors: Three Case Studies	<p>Leadership and Young Men's Partnership with Women to Improve Reproductive Health (India). Pawan Gupta and Anuradha Joshi, Society for Integrated Development of Himalayas</p> <p>Working With Men from a Gender and Mental Health Perspective: The Experience of Salud y Género in Mexico. Benno de Keijzer</p> <p>Moderator: Charlotte Feldman-Jacobs, Population Reference Bureau</p>
12:30-1:30pm	LUNCH	
1:30-2:00pm ROOM A	HOW TO APPLY IN OUR WORK WHAT WE HAVE LEARNED TODAY	Manisha Mehta , EngenderHealth
2:00-3:00pm ROOM A	CLOSING CEREMONY	Barry Chevannes , Fathers, Inc., Jamaica Jeff Spieler , USAID Bureau for Global Health

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<p>3:00-5:00pm ROOMS A and ACD</p>	<p>On to the Future: Where Do We Go From Here?</p>	<p>Forging a Common Agenda Opportunity to work in regional or common interest groups to discuss policy and agree on realistic next steps actions for moving this agenda forward. Gary Barker, Instituto Promundo, and Benno de Keijzer, Salud y Género</p> <p>“Male Indicators” Participatory Presentations & Discussion. An opportunity to discuss indicators with evaluation and research experts. Led by Julie Pulerwitz of the Horizons Project.</p> <p>MORE IEC/BCC and MULTI MEDIA Approaches to Involve Men in RH (films, computer programs, hot lines, television and radio shows, etc.)</p>
<p>7:00pm</p>	<p>OPEN EVENING: night out in Washington, D.C.</p>	<p>Not included in registration fee.</p>

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Thursday September 18, 2003

8-9am REGISTRATION

9am-Noon; 1-4pm Training Sessions¹

The training sessions will run twice: In the morning from **9am – Noon** and again in the afternoon from **1-4pm**.

ROOM A

The Program H Initiative: Engaging Young Men in the Promotion of Health and Gender Equity: Gary Barker and Marcos Nascimento (Promundo, ECOS); Benno de Keijzer (Salud y Género)

ROOM B

Curriculum Development and Adaptation: Two Approaches to Adolescent Male FLE Programs: Amel Gamel (New Visions Program, CEDPA/Egypt); Arundhati Mishra (Better Life Options Program, CEDPA/India)

ROOM C

Involving Young Married Men as Partners to Improve Women's and Children's Health: Barbara Crook (Consultant); Colleen Conroy and Joyce Maiore (PATH); and Nick Danforth (Brandeis U.)

Panelists:

Pawan Gupta, and Anuradha Joshi (Society for Integrated Development of Himalayas); KG Santhya and Farid Midhet (Population Council); Surinder Jaswal (Tata Institute of Social Sciences); and Benedito Medrado (PAPAI Institute)

ROOM D

Men and Reproductive Health Curriculum: Lissette Bernal, Andrew Levack, Manisha Metha, and Dean Peacock (EngenderHealth)

ROOM E

Challenging Gender-Based Violence with Men: Ruben Reyes (Puntos de Encuentro)

ROOM F

Improving the Gender Sensitivity of RH/FP Training and Service Delivery Systems: Constance Newman (PRIME II/INTRAH)

¹ Participants will be able to attend two training sessions – one in the morning and one in the afternoon