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First Stakeholder Consultation for the Seventh Asian and Pacific Population Conference

**Addressing Human Rights, Intersecting Forms of Discrimination and
Exclusion: Leaving No One Behind in Sustainable Development**

Wednesday, 21 June 2023 (11:00-14:45 UTC+7) Online (Zoom)

AGENDA (14 June 2023)

Time	Details
10:30-11:00	<i>Participants join virtual meeting</i>
11:00-11:35 35 mins	<p>Welcome and opening: 7th APPC Steering Committee member (TBC) Moderator: Nalini Singh, Fiji Women's Rights Movement, Fiji</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keynote speech: Khawar Mumtaz, Shirkat Gah, Pakistan • Youth reflections: Sangeet Kayastha, YPeer Asia Pacific, Thailand • Welcome: Madu Dissanayake, Regional Programme Specialist a.i., UNFPA APRO <p><i>Participants allocated to working groups - Introduction to working group topics and speakers</i></p>
11:35-12:20 45 mins	<p>Working groups – Round 1¹ Working group 1 Topic: Women and girls in all their diversity, including SOGIESC and gender diverse This sub-theme will focus on inequalities, multiple and intersecting forms of discrimination and exclusion faced by women and girls, adolescents, older persons, migrant persons, LGBTQ+, intersex persons, persons with disabilities, non-neurotypical women, women and girls in poverty. Indigenous people, ethnic minorities, sex workers, and other socially marginalized groups, rural and urban poor, people living with TB and/or HIV.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderator: Harjyot Khosa, IPPF SARO, India • Resource person: Shirin Akhter, chairman, Women with Disabilities Development Foundation Bangladesh, (WDDF) • Rapporteur: Lady Lisondra, IPPF ESEAOR, Malaysia <p>Working group 2 Topic: Marginalised groups in conflict and humanitarian emergencies, natural disasters and forced displacement This sub-theme will discuss the structural inequalities, multiple and intersecting forms of discrimination and exclusion faced by marginalized communities in conflict and</p>

¹ The same clusters of objectives will be discussed in round 1 and 2 of the consultation.

	<p>humanitarian emergencies, natural disasters and forced displacement, including women and girls in all their diversity, SOGIESC, and gender diverse persons, migrant persons, refugees, older persons, persons displaced in the context of climate crises and other contexts, person living in urban, rural, maritime and remote communities, including those living in climate frontlines and small island states.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderator: Rey Asis, Asia Pacific Migrant Mission, Hong Kong, China /Priveetha, CARAM Asia, Malaysia • Resource person: Eni Lestari, International Migrants Alliance, Indonesia • Rapporteur: Faisal Shabbir, IPPF SARO, India <p>Working group 3 Topic: Ensuring access to Universal Health Coverage (UHC), and fulfillment of universal access to SRHR information, education and services This topic will focus on the issue of equity and access of marginalized groups to Universal Health Coverage including SRHR services, and the fulfillment of SRHR for all in Asia and the Pacific.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderator: Marevic Parcon, Women's Global Network for Reproductive Rights, Philippines • Resource person: Shama Karkal, Swasti Health Catalyst, India • Rapporteur: Bilal Ahmed, SPEAK Trust, Pakistan
12:20-12:25 5 mins	<i>Participants allocated to working groups (repeat working groups)</i>
12:25-13:10 45 mins	<p>Working groups – Round 2</p> <p>Working groups as above</p>
13:10-13:15 5 mins	Break
13:15-13:50 35 mins	<p>Plenary: Highlights, challenges and recommendations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderator: Nalini Singh, Fiji Women's Rights Movement, Fiji • Rapporteur Working Group 1: Lady Lisondra, IPPF ESEAOR, Malaysia • Rapporteur Working Group 2: Faisal Shabbir, IPPF SARO, India • Rapporteur Working Group 3: Bilal Ahmed, SPEAK Trust, Pakistan
13:50-14:00 10 mins	<p>Closing and next steps</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderator: APPC Steering Committee Member (TBC) • Closing and next steps: Sabine Henning, Chief, Sustainable Demographic Transition Section, Social Development Division (UN ESCAP)

Working Group Questions:

1. Who are excluded and how do we ensure INCLUSION and MEANINGFUL PARTICIPATION of individuals fully in the economic, social, political and cultural realms, especially of individuals who are disadvantaged and marginalized on the basis of multiple and intersecting forms of discrimination?
2. How do we enhance opportunities, access to resources, voice and agency of individuals, and respect for rights, and ensure their effective engagement in decisions concerning their sexual and reproductive health and rights? (participants might want to discuss this with a focus on the individual and community levels and policy and systems levels)
3. What are the main achievements, good practices and lessons learned?
4. What are the remaining challenges?
5. How have COVID-19, climate change and ICTs impacted the achievement of the priority issues? Please differentiate between positive and negative effects.