Global events influencing funding and policy for women, children, and adolescent health

Here are some key global events that significantly influence funding and policy decisions for women, children, and adolescent health. These events bring together policymakers, researchers, healthcare providers, and advocates to discuss critical issues and develop strategies for improvement. Please note that specific event dates and details may vary year to year.

United Nations Events

United Nations General Assembly (UNGA):

- The United Nations General Assembly (UNGA) is the main decision-making, policymaking and representative organ of the United Nations. UNGA provides a platform for all Member States to discuss and address global issues, including those related to women, children, and adolescent health. It also plays an important role in setting international agendas, adopting resolutions, and mobilizing political will to improve the health and well-being of populations worldwide.
- o Website: https://www.un.org/en/
- o **Event Guide:** Specific event guides are typically released closer to the session. Check the UNGA website for updates.

World Health Assembly (WHA):

- The World Health Assembly (WHA) is the decision-making body of the World Health Organization (WHO). It sets the global health agenda, approves the WHO's work program, and determines its budget. The WHA also addresses global health challenges, including those affecting women, children, and adolescents.
- o Website: https://www.who.int/
- o **Event Guide:** Check the WHO website for specific meeting agendas and documents.

• Commission on the Status of Women (CSW):

- A functional commission of the Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC), the CSW focuses on gender equality and the empowerment of women.
- o **Website:**https://www.unwomen.org/en/how-we-work/commission-on-the-status-of-women
- o **Event Guide:** Check the UN Women website for specific meeting agendas and documents.

Global Health Conferences

International Conference on Primary Health Care (ICPHC):

- o A global platform to discuss and advance primary health care, including maternal, child, and adolescent health.
- o Website: https://conference.iphce.org/
- o **Event Guide:** Check the ICPHC website for specific program details.

Other Relevant Events and Organizations

• Global Financing Facility (GFF):

o A global partnership to accelerate country-led health system strengthening and improve the health of women, children, and adolescents.

o **Website:** https://www.globalfinancingfacility.org/

• Every Woman Every Child:

- o A global movement to save the lives of women and children.
- o **Website:**https://pmnch.who.int/news-and-events/campaigns/every-woman-every-child
- Africa Health Summit
- AHAIC
- Clim-Health Africa