SAVE THE DATE:

Call to Action for Voluntary Medical Male Circumcision for HIV Prevention

Monday, July 23, 2012
6:30-8:30p.m.
Session Room 8
Washington Convention Center
Washington, D.C.

If Voluntary Medical Male Circumcision (VMMC) is scaled up to obtain 80% coverage of adolescent and adult men within five years, VMMC has the potential to avert more than 3.4 million new HIV infections and save an estimated US $16.5 billion in care and treatment costs in the next 15 years. This frees up money that can be applied to other lifesaving prevention methods and care and treatment interventions.

Now is the time to act!

This session will be a lively, moderated discussion with African Champions, political, community and traditional leaders that will explore challenges, lessons learned and outline the road ahead to accelerating the scale-up of VMMC for HIV Prevention, working towards an AIDS-free generation.

Featuring

His Excellency Benjamin Mkapa, *Former President and Champion for an HIV-Free Generation, United Republic of Tanzania*
Her Excellency Dr. Speciosa Wandira, *Former Vice President and Champion for an HIV-Free Generation, Republic of Uganda*
Honorable Pr. Dr. Ondoa D. J. Christine, *Minister of Health, Republic of Uganda*
Honorable Dr. Oburu Oginga, *Deputy Minister of Finance, Republic of Kenya*
Mr. Blessing Chebundo, *Member of Parliament, Republic of Zimbabwe*
His Excellency Chief Jonathan Mumena, *Zambia*
Dr. Emmanuel Njeuhmeli, *USAID Washington, Co-Chair PEPFAR Male Circumcision Technical Working Group*
Mr. Angelo Kaggwa**,** *Program Coordinator, AVAC, and Voluntary Medical Male Circumcision Client*
Ms. Hendrica Okondo, *Global Program Manager for SRHR and HIV, YWCA*

Moderated by Brenda Wilson, *Knight International Journalism Fellow, South Africa*

International AIDS Conference 2012 registered attendees only.

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