# Africa Regional Consultation on Achieving MDG 5: Challenges, Opportunities, and Lessons Learned

## Draft Agenda

**Tuesday, March 27th and Wednesday, March 28th, 2012**
Speke Resort Munyonyo, Kampala, Uganda

### Tuesday, March 27, 2012

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| 09:00-10:30am   | **Opening Ceremony**<br>
|                 | *Session Chair* Dr. Jotham Musinguzi, Regional Director, Partners for Population and Development—Africa Regional Office |
|                 | *Opening Remarks* Ms. Janet Jackson, United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) Representative, Uganda |
|                 | Ms. Jill W. Sheffield, President, Women Deliver |
|                 | Mr. Martin Chungong, Director, Program for the Promotion of Democracy, Inter-Parliamentary Union |
|                 | Dr. Olawale Maiyegun, Director of Social Affairs, African Union Commission |
|                 | Hon. Dr. Christine Ondoa, Minister of Health, Uganda |
|                 | **Official Opening** Hon. Janet K. Museveni, First Lady of Uganda and Minister of Karamoja Affairs |
| 10:30-11:00am   | Tea and Coffee Break                               |
11:00-11:30am Reproductive and Maternal Health in Africa: Challenges and Opportunities  
*Keynote Address*  
Dr. Jean Fotso, PhD, Head, Population and Reproductive Health, Africa Population and Health Research Center

11:30-12:30pm Large Group Discussion

12:30-1:30pm Lunch

1:30-1:45pm Strengthening Systems for Maternal and Reproductive Health  
*Remarks*  
Dr. Eunice Brookman-Amissah, Vice President, Ipas Africa

1:45-2:35pm Working Group Discussions

2:45-3:00pm Tea and Coffee Break

3:00-4:00pm Access to Maternal Health through Private Delivery of Care, Partnerships, and Social Business Solutions  
*Introduction*  
Ms. Geralyn Ritter, Vice President, Global Public Policy and Corporate Responsibility, MSD

*Moderator*  
Dr. Khama Rogo, Lead Health Sector Specialist, World Bank

*Panelists*  
Mr. Getachew Bekele, Senior Regional Advisor for Africa, Marie Stopes International

Mr. Aron Betru, Director, Pledge Guarantee for Health, United Nations Foundation

Mr. Aziz Maija, Senior Program Associate and Uganda Program Coordinator, Sustainable Drug Sellers Initiative, Management Sciences for Health

4:00-4:50pm Working Group Discussions

5:00-5:30pm Wrap-Up and Conclusions  
*Closing*  
Dr. Jotham Musinguzi, Regional Director, Partners for Population and Development —Africa Regional Office

6:00pm Reception  
Wednesday, March 28, 2012

09:30-10:00am  Africa, MDGs and the ICPD: Impacts and Impressions

  Remarks  Dr. Fred Sai, Ghana

10:00-10:30am  Prioritizing Girls and Women in the Post-2015 Framework

  Keynote Address  Hon. Saudatu Sani, CEO, Parliamentary Advocates for Population and Development

10:30-11:15am  Large Group Discussion

11:15-11:30am  Tea and Coffee Break

11:30-11:45am  Looking Beyond ICPD and MDGs

  Remarks  Dr. Chisale Mhango, Malawi

11:45-12:35pm  Working Group Discussions

12:40-1:30pm  Lunch

1:30-1:45pm  Progress Behind Global and Regional Frameworks and Events: Every Woman Every Child, CPD, Women Deliver 2013, CARMMA

  Remarks  Ms. Jill Sheffield, President, Women Deliver

1:45-2:35pm  Working Group Discussions

2:35-2:50pm  Tea and Coffee Break

2:50-3:30pm  Wrap-Up and Closing Remarks

  Closing  Hon. Dr. Chris Baryomunsi, MP, Parliament of Uganda

                Dr. Jotham Musinguzi, Regional Director, Partners for Population and Development —Africa Regional Office

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