Electronic and mobile technologies are increasingly being adopted as important tools to address challenges faced by health workers across the globe. They are useful in empowering human resources in the health sector.

Purpose
The purpose of the side event is to discuss selected innovations for training healthcare workers with the appropriate competencies and skills to respond to the needs of the communities they are serving.

Objectives
1. Share experiences on the use of innovations in training of health workers
2. To identify challenges and opportunities in electronic and mobile innovations for human resources for health development
3. To interrogate the relationship of use of innovation in ICT in training to address the shortage of health workers and the impact on quality of services
4. To have a hands on interaction with mLearning approach that AMREF has designed

Agenda
16:00 – 16:10     Introduction and context setting
16:10 – 16:40     Sharing of cases
                   1. UNFPA – Innovative eLearning solution for frontline health workers
                   2. USAID – E-based solutions for efficient health workforce practices
                   3. The mobile (r)evolution: learning on the run for health workers in Africa
16:40 – 17:00     Moderated questions and answers
17:00 – 18:00     Practical and Q&A on mobile technology

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