





# THE TWIN EPIDEMICS OF HIV AND DRUG USE: INNOVATIVE STRATEGIES FOR HEALTHY COMMUNITIES

Friday, July 20, 2012 Ronald Reagan Building 1300 Pennsylvania Ave, NW Washington, DC

Breakfast & Welcome: 8:30am Conference: 9:00am-6:00pm Reception: 6:00pm-7:30pm

Globally, one in ten new HIV infections is attributable to unsafe injection of illicit drugs. This preconference meeting will highlight innovative programs that take a public health approach to drug use by reducing HIV infection and helping people access services. The meeting will address three interconnected themes:

- Advances in policing practice and legal reforms that increase access to HIV care and treatment for addiction;
- Innovations in integrated healthcare services; and
- The challenges of bringing interventions to scale.

#### **Speakers include:**

- Gil Kerlikowske, Director of the Office of National Drug Control Policy
- United States Representative Barbara Lee
- Michel Kazatchkine, University Rene Descartes, Paris, Member of Global Commission on Drug Policy
- Law enforcement, health practitioners and advocates from Canada, Kenya, Kyrgyzstan, Malaysia, Russia, USA, and Vietnam

(See reverse for full list of panelists.)

# **Space is Limited. To register:**

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# **List of speakers**

#### Opening remarks

**Gil Kerlikowke,** Office of National Drug Control Policy (USA) **Michel Kazatchkine**, University Rene Descartes, Paris (France)

#### Session 1: Policy and Legal Frameworks

Moderator: Lord Norman Fowler, House of Lords, Conservative Party (UK)

Hussein Khalid, Muslims for Human Rights (Kenya)

Jim Pugel, Seattle Police Department (USA)

Sangeeth Kaur Bose Singh, National Anti-Drugs Agency (Malaysia)

Alexsandr Zelitchenko, Central Asia Drug Action Program (Kyrgyzstan)

#### Session 2: Program Frameworks

Moderator: Nancy Mahon, MAC AIDS Fund (USA)
Tinga Kalafa, Kenya Network for IDUs Trust (Kenya)
Oanh Thi Hai Khuat, Center for Supporting Community Development Initiatives (Vietnam)
Aleksandra Volgina, Eva Women's Network (Russia)
Liz Evans, Portland Hotel Society (Canada)
Jeff McDowell, Atlanta Harm Reduction Coalition (USA)

## Session 3: Scaling-up

Moderator: Daniel Wolfe, Open Society Foundations (USA)

Julio Montaner, BC Centre for Excellence in HIV/AIDS (Canada)

Doug Bruce, Yale School of Medicine (USA)

Tonya Nyagiro, GFATM (Switzerland)

Ambassador Eric Goosby (Invited), PEPFAR (USA)

## Closing Session

Moderator: Chris Collins, amfAR (USA)
Grant Colfax (Invited), Office of National AIDS Policy (USA)
Representative Barbara Lee, US House of Representatives (USA)