



GLOBAL NURSING LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

Nurses Transforming Global Public Health

The Harvard T. H. Chan School of Public Health and the Africa Centres for Disease Control and Prevention (Africa CDC)
launch a Global Nursing Leadership Program

Virtual Press Conference



Date: Thursday, 29 October 2020



Time: 11:00 am–12:00 noon Eastern Africa Time (UTC +3) | 02:00–03:00 am Eastern Daylight Time (UTC)



Speakers:



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Panel Discussion

 **Date:**
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03:00–04:30 pm
Eastern Africa Time (UTC +3)
08:00–09:30 am
Eastern Daylight Time (UTC -4)

Topic:
**Nurses as the nexus between
Health Security and Universal
Health Coverage**



Panellists:



H.E. Mrs Amira El-Fadil Mohammed,
Commissioner for Social Affairs,
African Union Commission



H.E. Prof. Sarah Ayang Agbor,
Commissioner for Human Resource Science
and Technology, African Union Commission



H.E. Dr Hala Zaid, Minister of Health, Egypt,
STC-HPDC Chairperson, African Union
Commission



Dr John Nkengasong, Director, Africa CDC



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Prof. Sheila Tlou, Co-Chair, Global HIV
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Nursing Now Global Campaign



Ms Thembeka Gwagwa, Founding General
Secretary, Democratic Nursing Organization of
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