

## G20 Global Innovation Hub Participates in Second G20 Health Working Group Meeting Hosted in Goa, India

Goa, India - The G20 Global Innovation Hub for Improving Value in Health (the Hub) attended the second G20 Health Working Group meeting hosted in Goa, India, on 17 – 19 April 2023. The meeting was attended by representatives from the G20 countries, international organizations, and other stakeholders.

The meeting focused on key Presidency issues related to the <u>G20 Health Agenda</u>, including (i) Health Emergencies Prevention, Preparedness, and Response (with a focus on One Health & AMR), (ii) Access and Availability to safe, effective, quality and Affordable Medical Countermeasures and (iii) Digital Health Innovations and Solutions to Aid Universal Health Coverage and Improve Healthcare Service Delivery.

During the meeting, the Hub contributed to the discussion by highlighting valuebased care, UHC, and strengthening health systems. The Hub also supported the Indian Presidency during the Digital Health side event with insights from a landmark collaboration with Harvard University that examined features of high-value health systems in G20+ countries.

"Digital health is the backbone of 21<sup>st</sup>-century health systems and enables achieving and sustaining UHC. Digital health allows optimizing health system functions to deliver high-value health to populations and individuals. It also enables measuring health and care outcomes." - Dr. Reem Bunyan, Head of the Hub's G20 delegation.



Terrina Govender (Director of Policy) and Dr. Reem Bunyan (Executive Director) pictured above