G20 Global Innovation Hub Participates in Third G20 Health Working Group Meeting Hosted in Hyderabad, India

Hyderabad, India - The G20 Global Innovation Hub for Improving Value in Health (the Hub) attended the third G20 Health Working Group meeting and Joint Finance and Health Task Force meeting hosted in Hyderabad, India, on 4-6 June 2023. The meeting was attended by representatives from the G20 countries, international organizations, and other stakeholders.

As a continuation of the [G20 Health Agenda](#) discussions, the Hub emphasized the importance of health emergencies prevention, preparedness, and response with a focus on integrating the health impacts of climate change and antimicrobial resistance. The Hub also highlighted the significance of strengthening cooperation in global R&D to ensure equitable access and availability of safe, effective, quality, and affordable medical countermeasures such as vaccines, therapeutics, and diagnostics. Additionally, the Hub emphasized the role of digital health innovations and solutions in aiding universal health coverage and improving healthcare service delivery.

"High value health systems account for climate change by taking a system-wide view of healthy societies, innovating new financing and incentives for climate, adaptable models of care, and data-driven care. Alongside decarbonization, the investment in data and analytics offers a significant opportunity for countries to strengthen systems to identify, track, and ultimately mitigate emergent, climate-related health risks. There is an opportunity to leverage improved digital data systems to innovate and develop more adaptive country surveillance systems by improving early warning systems, increasing use of telehealth, and creating more climate-tailored public health interventions to address climate-related threats. " - Dr. Reem Bunyan, Head of the Hub's G20 delegation.

Ebele Anidi (Director of Partnerships) and Dr. Reem Bunyan (Executive Director) pictured above