

# THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA



## MINISTRY OF HEALTH

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Tanzania Annual Health Promotion Conference (TAHPC) 2022

#### ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

##### Background

The Ministry of Health, Health Promotion Section is pleased to announce its 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Health Promotion Conference to be held in Mwanza, Tanzania from September 12-16, 2022. This conference is primarily a response to growing expectations for new public health strategies in response to continuing public health threats including emerging and re-emerging infectious diseases. The first conference has seen increasing participation of community from across levels in various public health interventions. Nevertheless, lack of evidence of effectiveness of interventions remain. We welcome your engagement and your input in discussions about successes and challenges in achieving health for all through simple, cost effective interventions. As well as to discuss on how best to ensure that research models are applied to address health promotion services. The Conference objectives reflect the need for global health cooperation in preparedness and response to disease outbreaks, in public health emergencies, and in strengthening health systems!

The Second Annual Health Promotion Conference will provide an excellent opportunity to meet and participate in discussions with Government officials from Ministries, Regions and Councils, as well as other stakeholders from government and non-governmental organisations. It will also provide a platform to explore innovative health promotion approaches to prevent and control communicable and non-communicable diseases in Tanzania. Participants will also share ideas and experiences on community engagement in the provision of health services.

HPS is proud of its record in supporting more than 26 regions and 185 districts supported under different partner's support, many of whom will attend the Conference and contribute to its programme

##### Theme of the conference

*Strengthening health promotion and education interventions for sustainable disease prevention and response in Tanzania*

##### Subthemes

1. *Health promotion and education interventions in Tanzania*
2. *Risk communication and community engagement in prevention and response to epidemics*
3. *Multisectoral collaboration and partnerships for prevention and response to public health threats*
4. *The One Health approach to prevention and response to epidemics.*

**Submission of Abstracts:** You are kindly invited to submit an Abstract by 31<sup>st</sup> August 2022 and a full paper of your presentation by 10<sup>th</sup> September 2022. Please note that the abstract should not exceed 300 words and should include: a title, names of authors and their affiliations, background, methodology, key findings, and conclusion/recommendations. Abstracts should be submitted online to: [tpha1980@yahoo.com](mailto:tpha1980@yahoo.com)

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