



## **WORLD HEALTH SUMMIT 2023 – "A DEFINING YEAR FOR GLOBAL HEALTH ACTION"**

The World Health Summit is the unique international strategic forum for global health. Held annually in Berlin, it brings together stakeholders from politics, science, the private sector, and civil society from around the world to set the agenda for a healthier future by inspiring innovative solutions for better health and well-being for all.

The **World Health Summit 2023** takes place from October 15-17 in Berlin, Germany and online under the theme "A Defining Year for Global Health Action". Expected are more than 300 speakers in over 60 sessions and participants from around 100 countries. The whole program will also be available online.

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Central topics at the World Health Summit 2023 include:

- Learning from COVID-19 for Future Pandemic Prevention, Preparedness and Response
- Recommitting to Universal Health Coverage
- Sustainable Health for People and Planet
- G7/G20 Measures to Enhance Global Health Equity and Security
- Harnessing the Power of Digital Technologies for Global Health
- World Health Organization's 75th Anniversary
- Innovations to Accelerate the Fight Against Tuberculosis

The World Health Summit strengthens collaboration and open dialogue guided by science, fosters global health as a key political issue and promotes the global health debate in the spirit of the UN Sustainable Development Goals. The World Health Summit stands for a science-driven and broad approach to global health development. The **key issues** are therefore interdisciplinary, science-based, and cross-sectoral. The World Health Summit promotes health as a human right, along with good governance, as political decisions affect human health.

The World Health Summit was founded in 2009 on the occasion of the 300th anniversary of Charité – Universitätsmedizin Berlin. It is traditionally held under the **patronage** of the German Chancellor, the French President, and the Director-General of the World Health Organization (WHO). President of the World Health Summit is Axel R. Pries, International President 2023 is Adnan Hyder, Senior Associate Dean for Research, Milken Institute School of Public Health at George Washington University, USA.

The **academic foundation** of the World Health Summit is the M8 Alliance of Academic Health Centers, Universities and National Academies, a unique network of leading academic health centers, universities, and research institutions from all over the world. The International Presidency of the World Health Summit rotates annually among the members.

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[www.conference.worldhealthsummit.org](http://www.conference.worldhealthsummit.org)

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