

**Migration and Refugee Health:
From Care to Policy**

The current wave of migration – the biggest since the end of World War II – is putting issues of migrant health at the top of government agendas. Basic care is no longer enough. We now need new concepts for adapting health policy strategies that take into account transformative processes, both in migrant countries of origin and in the nations to which they emigrate.

**Technological Innovation for Health:
Improving Healthcare Delivery**

Successful healthcare quality and delivery depends on effective medical devices – the tools for prevention, diagnosis, treatment and rehabilitation. Technological innovations in the field are helping reduce inefficiencies in healthcare delivery, while at the same time streamlining access, reducing costs, improving quality and making medicine more personalized and precise.

**Women, Empowerment and Health:
Equality and Agency**

It's grown strikingly clear that empowering women is a crucial component in achieving sustainable health and development objectives. Attaining greater equality for girls when it comes to health, nutrition and education is the first step towards ensuring that women will later be able to realize their full potential as equal partners in development.

**Translational Research:
Advancing Innovative Treatment**

Translational research is advancing innovation, making it even more attractive for further investment and development. A central aspect of this process is the effective translation of knowledge, mechanisms and techniques generated by advances in fundamental scientific research, turning them into novel approaches for prevention, diagnosis and treatment.

**Infectious Diseases:
Lessons Learned from Ebola to Zika**

In the wake of the Ebola epidemic in Africa, the WHO has now declared another global public health emergency based on clustered conditions thought to be caused by the Zika virus. Several key lessons from the Ebola response can already be applied to this new threat. Chief among them is that public health teams must ensure that prevention/treatment methods are accepted by people at risk of contracting the disease. Broader societal concerns also have to be addressed more effectively.

**Sustainable Development Goals:
Transforming the Health Agenda**

The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) address social, economic and environmental challenges that can only be solved through integrated approaches. All of these aspects also have an impact on health, so they are critical contributors to the changes that will have to occur in pursuing global well-being.