

VIRTUAL FORUM - ROAD TO COP30

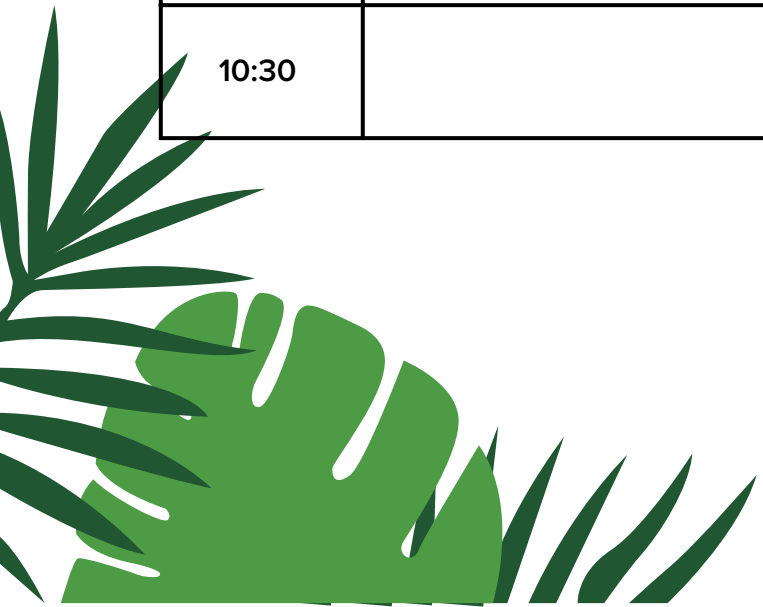
Climate action for health in Latin America and the Caribbean



AGENDA

Day 1 - Tuesday, August 26th**Basis for action: understanding the climate-health nexus and the role of Latin America****Start time:** 10:00 AM (Mexico & Costa Rica) | 11:00 AM (Colombia & Peru) | 12:00 PM (Chile & Bolivia) | 1:00 PM (Argentina & Brazil)**Duration:** 2 hours and 35 minutes**Moderator:** Fernando Rementeria

Time (MX)	Topic	Speakers
10:00	Opening and welcome	Carolina Gil Posse Director of Programs and Strategy, Health Care Without Harm – Latin America Fernando Rementeria Climate Change Program Manager, Health Care Without Harm – Latin America
10:15	Green Hospitals: maximizing health and climate benefits globally	David Rojas Researcher at the Lancet Countdown
10:30	Q&A	





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10:35	Understanding the climate-health nexus in urban settings	<p>Lova Beatrix Jansson Cities and Climate Change Expert, United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat)</p> <p>Marc Sánchez Benito Urban Health Expert, United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat)</p> <p>Waleska Caiaffa Professor of Epidemiology and Public Health, Federal University of Minas Gerais; Member of SALURBAL</p> <p>Nelson Gouveia Professor, Department of Preventive Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, University of São Paulo; Member of SALURBAL</p>
11:05	Q&A	
11:10	Break	
Regional Cooperation and Leadership on the Road to COP30		
11:15	<p>Understanding PAHO’s work with countries in the region on adaptation and resilience</p> <p>Brazil’s Ministry of Health – Brazil’s leadership on the road to COP30</p>	<p>Daniel Buss Head of the Climate Change and Environmental Determinants of Health Unit, Pan American Health Organization (PAHO)</p> <p>Agnes Soares Director of the Department of Environmental Health Surveillance and Workers' Health, Ministry of Health of Brazil</p>



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11:45	Q&A	
Collective Action for Health and Climate		
11:50	GCHA – Joint Position from the Latin America and Caribbean Climate and Health Network	Francisco Chesini Member of the Ibero-American Society for Environmental Health (SIBSA) and Coordinator of the Latin America and Caribbean Common Position on Climate Change and Health, representing the Latin America and Caribbean Climate and Health Network – Global Climate and Health Alliance (GCHA)
	PHS – Manifesto from Health Organizations in Brazil on the Road to COP30	Erick del Bianco Pelegia Projeto Hospitais Saudáveis (PHS), Brazil
12:20	Q&A	
12:25	Closing of day one	Fernando Rementeria Climate Change Program Manager, Health Care Without Harm – Latin America



Day 2 – Wednesday, August 27, 2025

From words to action: health solutions for the climate crisis

Start time: 10:00 AM (Mexico & Costa Rica) | 11:00 AM (Colombia & Peru) | 12:00 PM (Chile & Bolivia) | 1:00 PM (Argentina & Brazil)

Duration: 2 hours and 30 minutes

Moderator: Carolina Gil Posse

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10:00	Opening and welcome	Carolina Gil Posse Director of Programs and Strategy, Health Care Without Harm – Latin America
10:10	Health Care Without Harm Interregional Panel: experiences working in climate adaptation and resilience	<u>Panelists:</u> Gabriella Abruzzo Climate Project Officer, Health Care Without Harm Europe Winslow Dresser Associate Director of Climate Solutions, Health Care Without Harm U.S. & Canada Melody Melo-Rijk Regional Climate and Health Manager, Health Care Without Harm Southeast Asia Fernando Rementeria Climate Change Program Manager, Health Care Without Harm Latin America Vital Ribeiro Chair of the Board, Projeto Hospitais Saudáveis (PHS), Brazil <u>Panel Moderator:</u> Carolina Gil Posse Director of Programs and Strategy, Health Care Without Harm Latin America
11:05	Q&A	



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11:10	Recommendations for climate resilience in health care facilities	Fernando Rementeria Climate Change Program Manager, Health Care Without Harm Latin America
11:25	Dialogue with health professionals on climate action in the sector	<p><u>Panelists:</u></p> <p>Dra. Paulina Seguí (Mexico)</p> <p>Dr. Damián Markov (Argentina)</p> <p>Enf. Ericka Murillo Rodríguez (Costa Rica)</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u></p> <p>Carolina Gil Posse Director of Programs and Strategy, Health Care Without Harm Latin America</p>
12:00	Q&A	
12:05	Principles of climate resilience for health professionals	Carolina Mauri Climate Policy Consultant for Health Care Without Harm Latin America
12:20	Closing and conclusions	Fernando Rementeria Climate Change Program Manager, Health Care Without Harm Latin America



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