



Partners in Population and Development  
Africa Regional Office (PPD-ARO)

**The 4<sup>th</sup> Eastern Africa Reproductive Health Network (EARHN) Coordination Meeting**  
**“Repositioning Family Planning and Reproductive Health in Eastern Africa**

**Date: April 25 - 30, 2011**  
**Venue: Speke Resort Munyonyo**

**Programme of the Meeting**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Item</b>	<b>Responsible Party</b>
<b>DAY ONE: Monday, April 25, 2011 Arrival of International Participants (EARHN Focal Persons)</b>		
<b>DAY TWO: Tuesday, April 26, 2011</b>		
08.30 - 09.00am	Arrival and registration	Ms. Charity Birungi and Ms. Winnie Kyokunda
<b>SESSION I: OPENING</b>		
<b>Chairperson: Mr. Hannington Burunde, Head Information and Communication Department, POPSEC</b>		
9.00 - 10.00am	Welcome remarks by EARHN Chairperson	Mr. Charles Zirarema A.g Director, POSEC Uganda
	Remarks by Regional Director Partners in Population and Development –Africa Regional Office (PPD-ARO)	Dr. Jotham Musinguzi
10.00 - 10.30am	Group Photo and Break Tea	
<b>SESSION II</b>		
<b>Chairperson: Dr Angela Akol, Country Director, FHI</b>		
10.30 – 11.00am	Overview of EARHN Strategic Plan 2008 - 2012	Dr. Betty Kyaddondo – Head, Family Health Department, Population Secretariat, Uganda
11.00 – 12.30 pm	Individual Country Presentations on implementation of EARHN Strategic Plan 2008 - 2012 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Burundi</li> <li>• Ethiopia</li> <li>• Kenya</li> </ul>	EARHN Country Focal Persons
12.30 – 1.00 pm	Discussions	
1.00 – 2.00 pm	Lunch Break	
2.00 – 3.30 pm	Individual Country Presentations on implementation of EARHN Strategic Plan 2008 – 2012 cont'd <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rwanda</li> <li>• Tanzania</li> <li>• Uganda</li> </ul>	EARHN Country Focal Persons
3.30 – 4.00 pm	Discussions	All
4.00 – 4.15 pm	Coffee/Tea Break	Ms. Charity Birungi

**DAY THREE: Wednesday, April 27, 2011****SESSION III: Review of EARHN Strategic Plan, 2008 – 2013  
Facilitator: Mr. Grace Lwanga Musoke, Consultant**

8.30 – 9.00 am	Registration	All
9.00 – 11.00 am	Review of EARHN Strategic Plan, 2008 – 2012	Mr. Grace Lwanga Musoke, Consultant
11.00 – 11.15 am	Coffee/Tea Break	Ms. Charity Birungi
11.15 – 1.00 pm	Review of EARHN Strategic Plan, 2008 – 2012 cont'd	Mr. Grace Lwanga Musoke, Consultant
1.00 – 2.00 pm	Lunch Break	Ms. Charity Birungi
2.00 – 4.00 pm	Review of EARHN Strategic Plan, 2008 – 2012 cont'd	Mr. Grace Lwanga Musoke, Consultant
4.00 – 4.15 pm	Coffee/Tea Break	Ms. Charity Birungi

**SESSION IV****Chairperson: Mr. Charles Zirarema, Ag Head, Population Secretariat, Uganda**

4.15 – 5.15 pm	EARHN Business Meeting (closed session) – Free time for participants not attending EARHN Business meeting	
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**DAY FOUR: Thursday, April 28, 2011**

8.30 – 9.00 am	Registration	
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**SESSION V****Chairperson: Hon Chris Baryomunsi, Member of Parliament, Uganda**

9.00 – 10.00 am	Remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Country Director DSW, Uganda</li> <li>UNFPA Representative Uganda</li> <li>Regional Director, PPD ARO</li> </ul> Official Opening: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Minister of State for Finance, Planning and Economic Development (General Duty)</li> </ul>	Mr. James Kotzsch Ms Janet Jackson Dr. Jotham Musinguzi Hon. Fred J. Omach
10.00 – 10.30 am	Coffee/Tea Break and Group Photo	

**SESSION VI**  
**Chairperson: Dr. Stanley Sonoiya, Health Advisor, East Africa Community (EAC)**

10.30 – 11.00 am	Presentation on highlights of the Draft EARHN Strategic Plan 2012 - 2016	Consultant/Dr. Betty Kyaddondo
11.00 – 11.30 am	Discussion	

**SESSION VII**  
**Chairperson: Dr Ochan Wilfred, Assistant Representative UNFPA, Uganda**

11.30 – 12.00 pm	The Contribution of Family Planning to improve Maternal Health and socio-economic development in the region	Dr. Alex Ezeh, Executive Director, African Population and Health Research Centre (APHRC)
12.00 – 1.00 pm	Discussion	All
1.00 – 2.00 pm	Lunch Break	

**SESSION VIII**  
**Chairperson: Dr Tewodros Melesse, Regional Director, International Planned Parenthood Federation, Africa Regional Office (IPPFAR)**

2.00 – 2.30 am	Reproductive Health Commodity Security in the Eastern Africa Region: Policy and Program Implications	Representative of PAI/MSI
2.30 – 3.00 pm	Discussion	
3.00 – 3.30 pm	Human Resources for Health System Strengthening: Policy and Programme Implications	Dr. Vincent Oketcho, Country Director, IntraHealth Uganda
3.30 – 4.00 pm	Discussions	
4.00 – 4.15 pm	Tea/Coffee Break	

**SESSION IX**  
**Chairperson: Dr. Jotham Musinguzi, PPD ARO**

4.15 – 5.15 pm	Guest Speaker (Motivational Presentation)	Mr. Peter Kimbowa Consultant
7.00 – 8.00 pm	Dinner	All

**DAY FIVE: Friday, April 29, 2011**

8.30 - 9.00 am

Registration

**SESSION X****Chairperson: Dr. Chisale Muhango**

9.00 – 11.00 am

Repositioning Family Planning in the Region:  
Sharing of country level experiences by  
champions

- Burundi
- Ethiopia
- Kenya
- Rwanda
- Tanzania
- Uganda
- Malawi
- South Sudan

FP Champions from participating  
countries

11.00 – 11.30 am

Tea/Coffee Break

11.30 – 1.00 pm

Discussions

All

1.00 – 2.00 pm

Lunch Break

All

**SESSION XI****Chairperson: Mr. Abdelylah Lakssir, International Programme Officer, PPD ARO**

2.00 – 3.00 pm

Effective Advocacy using Spitfire Approach

Mr. Martin Ninsiima  
Programme Officer CCP Uganda**SESSION XII****Chairperson: Hon. Sylvia Ssenabulya Namabidde, Member of Parliament, Uganda**

3.00 – 4.00 pm

The role of FP/RH Champions in the context of  
the EARHN Strategic Plan, 2012 – 2016,  
Recommendations and Way forward

All

4.00 – 4.15 pm

Tea/Coffee Break

**SESSION X: CLOSING****Chairperson: Representative from the East African Legislative Assembly**

4.15 – 4.45 pm	Remarks : <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Country Representative DSW, Uganda</li><li>• UNFPA Representative, Uganda</li><li>• Regional Director, PPD ARO</li><li>• Official Closing by Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of East African Community Affairs</li></ul>	Mr. James Kotzsch Ms Janet Jackson Dr. Jotham Musinguzi Hon Eriya Kategaya
7.00 – 8.00 pm	Dinner	

**DAY SIX: Saturday, April 30, 2011****DEPARTURES**