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Increasing Access to Diabetes Care in the Region of the Americas

A webinar by the Pan American Health Organization and
the International Diabetes Federation

Friday, November 12, 2021

11:00 am- 12:30 pm (Washington, DC time)

Moderator: Silvana Luciani, Unit Chief, Noncommunicable Diseases Violence and Injury Prevention, Pan American Health Organization

Regional Overview	
11:00am-11:05am	PAHO Message for World Diabetes Day Dr. Jarbas Barbosa, Assistant Director of the Pan American Health Organization
11:05am-11:15am	Overview of Diabetes in the Americas Dr. Anselm Hennis, Director, Noncommunicable Disease and Mental Health Department, Pan American Health Organization
Country Experiences	
11:15am-11:45am	Country Panel on Diabetes Care: <i>Paraguay:</i> Dr. Doris Royg, Director of the Diabetes Program, Ministry of Health <i>Trinidad & Tobago:</i> Dr. Abdul Hamid, General Manager, Primary Care, North Central Regional Health Authority
Sub-regional Perspectives	
11:45am-12:15pm	Increasing Access to Care for the Indigenous Community in Bolivia Dr. Douglas Villarroel, Regional Chair for South and Central America, IDF
	Increasing Access to Diabetes Care to Improve Quality of Life for People Living with Diabetes in the Caribbean Dr. Timotheus Dorh, Regional Chair for North America and the Caribbean, IDF
12:15pm-12:20pm	Closing remarks Dr. Jose Guallar, consultant in diabetes, Unit of Noncommunicable Diseases, Violence and Injury Prevention, PAHO
12:20pm-12:30pm	Questions and answers
12:30pm	

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