

PHOTO HIGHLIGHT OF PAS COLLABORATION WITH NIYEL ON THE AFRICAN VACCINATION WEEK (AVW)



PHOTO OF THE WAIPH-PAS AFRICAN VACCINATION WEEK-HIGH LEVEL
SYMPOSIUM HELD ON 27TH APRIL 2022

AFRICAN VACCINATION WEEK(AVW)



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African Vaccination Week (AVW) is an annual event, held alongside immunization week initiatives in other WHO Regions and the global World Immunization Week during the last week of April (25th – 30th April). African Vaccination Week is dedicated to raising awareness on the importance of vaccination across the life course, with the overarching slogan, “Vaccinated communities, Healthy communities”.



PAS partner WAIPH-PAS (Dr Francis Ohanyido R) collaborates with NIYEL to amplify the impact of vaccination for communities and drive messaging on sustaining funding for Routine Immunization to policy makers through chat with popular humorist/influencer Frank Donga (L) on a podcast.

GOAL OF AFRICAN VACCINATION WEEK



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The goal of AVW is to strengthen immunization programs in the African Region by drawing attention to and increasing awareness of the importance of every person's (particularly children and women) need and right to be protected from vaccine-preventable diseases.

The Partnership for Advocacy in Child and Family Health at Scale (PAS), a Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation (BMGF) reinvestment health/social accountability project anchored by development Research and Projects Centre (dRPC), this year, as part of the commemoration of the Africa Vaccination Week (AVW), through her CSO partner; the West African Institute of Public Health (WAIPH-PAS), a group of public health professionals is collaborating with NIYEL to ensure successful outcomes.



ABOUT THE COLLABORATIVE CAMPAIGN



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For African Vaccination Week 2022, the collaboration focused on building confidence in vaccines through high-reach and respected voices in Nigeria.

PAS held an introductory meeting with NIYEL on the 21st of March 2022 to align on areas of synergy.

PAS and NIYEL shared concepts of their AVW plans and toolkits via email correspondence on the 17th April 2022.

PAS partner WAIPH-PAS then collaborated on two fronts; as a respected voice on vaccination for the podcast and as a convener for the high-level symposium.

WAIPH-PAS and NIYEL engaged with communities and decision-makers by engaging influencers to drive conversations about the importance of vaccines for a long healthy life for all by producing audio and video content that people of all ages and backgrounds can use throughout the week and beyond. The “powering-up Immunization” campaign during the AVW 2022 with an objective of engaging 200,000 people through online conversations in order to build confidence in routine immunization and reinforcing those vaccines work to ensure a long life for all.

The next two slides further highlights this collaboration.



Dr Francis Ohanyido with a panelist Dr Ferhat Khan formerly of UN SDG at the symposium

COLLABORATIVE ACTIVITY WITH NIYEL



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Dr Francis Ohanyido (WAIPH-PAS) discussing vaccinations with Frank Donga during the podcast organized by NIYEL

For AVW 2022, WAIPH-PAS collaborated with NIYEL on an exciting new production. One of Africa's greatest humorists hosted conversations with healthcare workers. Frank Donga in Nigeria was asking all of the things we have always wanted to know on immunization but did not know how or who to ask. The 6-episode series was launched on April 28 and a new episode will be uploaded every week. The podcasts are recorded in both audio and video formats and can be shared to all social media platforms as well as radio stations in order to drive conversations.

HIGH LEVEL SYMPOSIUM FOR AFRICAN VACCINATION WEEK



NIYEL partner Vaccine Network for Disease Control in Group photo with other attendees at the AVW symposium 27/4/2020

WAIPH-PAS also collaborated with NIYEL on a high-level hybrid symposium to commemorate the AVW in Nigeria, the CEO of NIYEL, Valerie Traore was invited to the panel of the African Vaccination Week Symposium on the thematic discussion around the implementation of the Immunization Agenda 2030 (IA2030), which was predicated on the fact that NIYEL had been involved in development of the communications and advocacy component of the IA2030. She had participated remotely from Dakar during the symposium and was a co-panelist with Dr Wondi Alemu former Senior Advisor for WHO in Africa who also participated remotely from Atlanta, USA. NIYEL Nigerian CSO partner (Vaccine Network for Disease Control) was also invited and participated in the symposium.

This collaboration will led to a joint press statement released and will be used for a reflective webinar to be coordinated by WAIPH-PAS on the 31st May 2022.



Valerie Traore speaking on lessons learned/approaches



Dr Ferhat Khan fmr UNSDG Support for Africa speaking on priorities



Prof Abdulsalami Nasidi pioneer NCDC Director

MEDIA LINKS



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PASA
PACFaH@Scale
Many Advocacy, One Voice

Youtube: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LqAIN23k4JI>

Facebook:

- <https://web.facebook.com/NiyelCampaigns/videos/1366293870552031/>
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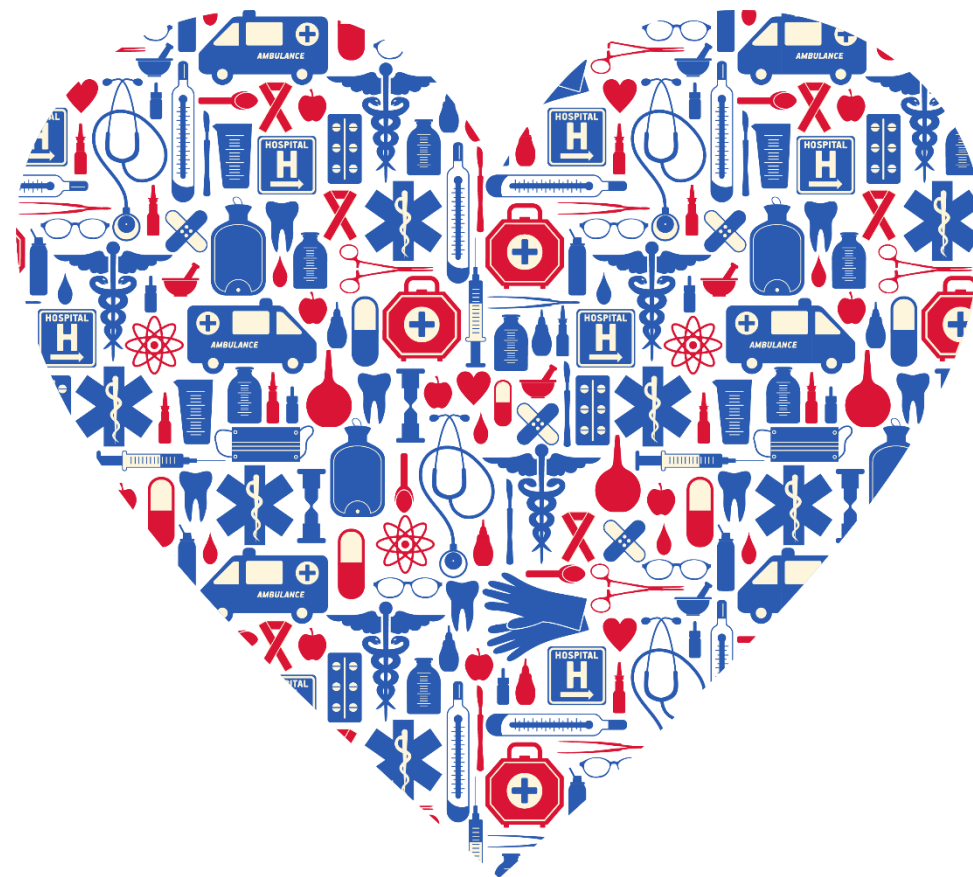
Podcast: Listen notes

<https://www.listennotes.com/es/podcasts/niyel/hello-doc-with-frank-donga-r9Z6YFmCiRL/>

Anchor FM: <https://anchor.fm/we-need-to-talk5/episodes/Hello-Doc-With-Frank-Donga--Importance-of-Vaccination-e1hq2na>

AVW Symposium:

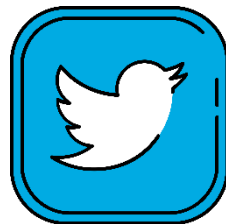
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- <https://globalcirculate.com/experts-highlight-impediments-to-local-vaccine-production-in-nigeria/amp/>
- <https://allafrica.com/stories/202204270214.html>



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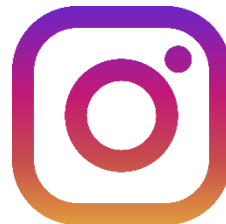
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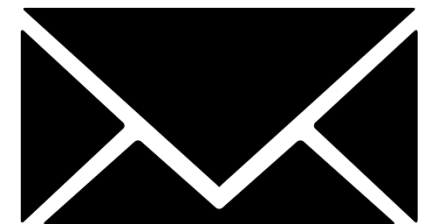
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