Global framework process

Opportunities for engagement for SRHR advocates
The ICPD review process

1. **Global Survey**
   - Operational survey shared with governments. Deadline for submission to UNFPA October 2012. Data analysis reported to Secretary General for early 2014

2. **Regional consultations**
   - CSO regional meetings during 2011/2012 (but not in Europe)
   - UN regional meetings. UNECE for Europe July 1\textsuperscript{st} 2013

3. **Thematic consultations**
   - Youth, December, Bali, Indonesia
   - Human Rights, April/May 2013, The Netherlands
   - Women’s Health, 2013?, Sweden?
1. Parliamentarian fora
   - (IPCI, 2012, 2014)
   - Global Party Forum 2014

2. High Level Task Force on ICPD
   - 25 members of gvmt.+ CSO + Danish royalty (Co-chaired by ex-presidents of Mozambique and Finland)
   - Advisors to group: **Carsten Staur** (Permanent Representative of Denmark to the UN) **Steven Sinding** (Ex GD of IPPF) **Adrienne Germain** President, International Women’s Health Coalition, **Carmen Barrosso** (Regional Director IPPF WH)
Poor timing?

ALL components feed into CPD meeting in March 2014 and ultimately to the UNGASS September 2014

One year after the MDG development framework process’ defining moment....
RIO+ process outcomes & aftermath

- The outcome document “The Future We Want” reaffirms the importance of the ICPD agenda, incl. “commitments leading to sexual and reproductive health and the promotion and protection of all human rights in this context”, by ensuring:
  - Provision of universal access to RH including FP and SH
  - Reductions in maternal and child mortality
  - Strengthening of health systems

- Member States have committed to
  
  “protect the rights of women, men and youth to have control over and decide freely and responsibly on matters related to their sexuality including access to sexual and reproductive health, free from coercion, discrimination and violence”

- and have reaffirmed
  
  “the vital role of women and the need for their full and equal participation and leadership in all areas of sustainable development.”
-but

- Lacks reference to the term Reproductive Rights
- almost all references to population dynamics and SRH are within the “Health & Population” and “Gender equality and the empowerment of women” sections
- Commits to the development of a set of Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)
  - which it specifies; “should be coherent with and integrated into the United Nations development agenda beyond 2012” and not divert focus or effort from the MDGs. Yet how this will be done is still relatively vague

The Future We Want translated into a sort of road map in “Realizing The future We Want for All” June 2012, by UN System Wide Task Team on Development Agenda. This is guiding the MDG review process.
The MDG review process

- National Consultations
- Thematic Consultations
- Global Conversation
- High Level Panel for Eminent Persons on MDG
**UNDG 50 Country Consultations**

- June 2012 to Early Quarter of 2013
- Led by UN Resident Coordinators and implemented by UNDP/UNDESA
- UNDP raising the necessary funds

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¹ Cambodia, Philippines, Vanuatu proposed as stand-by countries
² Nicaragua, Guatemala, Ecuador and Chile are proposed as alternates
³ Lebanon and Yemen are proposed as alternates
Country Consultations - How?

- In June 2012, the Guidelines for Country Dialogues were made available by UNDG, a letter to UN offices with a message to start.

- Beyond 2015 called all participating organizations in July 2012 to engage in the national consultations and provided the updated Beyond 2015/GCAP/UN MC toolkit for national deliberation.

- Latest intelligence:
  - We understand that UN staff at national level are still at large at a loss, re how and who is responsible.
  - 50 country consultations increased to 100.
UNDG Thematic Consultation

First UN consultation (ILO / UNDP led) on growth and employment held in Tokyo on 15\textsuperscript{th}-16\textsuperscript{th} May. Remaining thematic consultations before early 2013.

- Inequalities (across all dimensions, including gender)
- Health (including issues covered by MDGs 4, 5, 6, plus non communicable diseases)
- Education (primary, secondary, tertiary and vocational)
- Growth and employment (including investment in productive capacities, decent employment, and social protection)
- Environmental sustainability (including access to energy, biodiversity, climate change)
- Food security and nutrition
- Governance (at all levels)
- Conflict and fragility (including post-conflict countries, and those prone to natural disasters)
- Population dynamics (including ageing, international and internal migration, and urbanisation)
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## BEYOND 2015 COORDINATING CSO INPUT

| Inequalities (across all dimensions, including gender) | Bahá'í International Community  
[www.bic.org](http://www.bic.org) |
|--------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Health (including issues covered by MDGs 4, 5, 6, plus non communicable diseases) | Medicus Mundi International Network (TBC)  
[www.medicusmundi.org](http://www.medicusmundi.org) |
| Education (primary, secondary, tertiary and vocational) | Global Campaign for Education (GCE)  
[www.campaignforeducation.org](http://www.campaignforeducation.org) |
| Growth and employment (including investment in productive capacities, decent employment, and social protection) – *review existing input* | Restless development  
[www.restlessdevelopment.org](http://www.restlessdevelopment.org) |
| Environmental sustainability (including access to energy, biodiversity, climate change) | Climate Action Network (CAN)  
International (TBC)  
[www.climateenetwork.org](http://www.climateenetwork.org) |
| Food security and nutrition | Save the Children  
[www.savethechildren.org](http://www.savethechildren.org) |
| Governance (at all levels) | Center for Economic and Social Rights (CESR) and Global Campaign for Action against Poverty (GCAP)  
[www.cesr.org](http://www.cesr.org) and  
[www.whiteband.org](http://www.whiteband.org) |
| Conflict and fragility (including post-conflict countries, and those prone to natural disasters) | International Alert  
[www.international-alert.org](http://www.international-alert.org) |
| *Population dynamics (including ageing, international and internal migration, and urbanisation)* | *Extended call for expression of interests* |
Our 3 favourites...

- **Health**
  - Leads: WHO and UNICEF, between October 2012 and February 2013
  - Include a web-based consultation being launched in October
  - Development of a series of background papers (on lessons learned on current MDGs+future directions)
  - Consultative meetings with Member States, CS and private sector partners and academic/research institutions
  - High-level meeting February 2013 (Botswana), involving governments, NGO coalitions, key UN partners and members of the UNSG’s High-Level Panel
  - Seek to incorporate ideas and lessons from other regional and country consultations, on health, to feed into the inter-governmental process that will start later in 2013
  - We hear that UNCIEF has money for a CSO consultation and is looking for a partner

- **Inequalities**
  - Leads: UN Women & UNICEF (funded by DK) consultation ongoing. Official website (a joint Un/CSO space). Deadline call for papers mid August, that no-one new about...

- **Population Dynamics**
  - We understand UNFPA will be involved in this, but we know very little so far (also looking for adoptive parents in the lead agency at Beyond 2015)
UN High Level Panel Post MDG

- Co-chairs David Cameron (UK) Ellen Johnson Sirleaf (Liberia) Susilo Bambang Yudhoyono (Indonesia)
- First real meeting in NY last week
- 26 “Eminent Persons” incl. representatives of governments, private sector, academia, civil society and youth
- Will produce a report to the UN SG (Q2 2013) with recommendations regarding the vision and shape of a Post-2015 development agenda
UN Global Conversation

Main objective

- “facilitate the establishment of mobilisation and outreach mechanisms for citizens and key stakeholders to engage in the post-2015 dialogue and contribute directly and indirectly to the formal post-2015 processes led by the UN”

- A UN wide effort lead by communications teams within the UN system

- Using social networks, web based tools and mobile technologies

- Led by UN Millennium Campaign/UNDP Post-2015 Outreach Strategic Planning Group
-better?

- Shorter, looser, more leads
- Particularly the Thematic Consultations are vague (letter to Helen Clarke)
- All the activities in the next year are **nationally focused**
- National UN bodies however, at a loss....
- “The Open WG” developing the new framework (methodology on how to integrate SDG’s) in which “5 country per region” participate (in principle 30 countries....however EVERYBODY signed up.)
Then what?

- The outcome from the national consultations, thematic meetings and online conversation will be consolidated into a single report, issued by UNSG in early 2013 (!!) to inform the September 2013 MDG Special Event
  - In which "The open WG" developing the new framework, will present their work
  - back to back general assembly meeting
Roadmap: strategic timeline for the SRHR community

2012
- Other processes
  - Rio+20
  - FP Summit
  - High Level Task Force for ICPD

ICPD+20
- High Level Meeting Indonesia
- CPD 2013 Theme: Migration
- Women Deliver Conference
- ESCAP (June)
- ECLAC (June)
- ECA (August)
- ECE? (August)
- CPD Report and Index Report
- UNGASS on ICPD

MDGs
- UN System Task Team on post-2015
- Thematic Consultations (9 themes)
- 50 National Level Consultation (UN country teams)
- UN Global Conversations (web portal)

2013
- HR meeting, Netherlands
- Women Deliver Conference (20-30 May)
- Technical and expert meeting

2014
- Regional events:
  - ESCAP (June)
  - ECLAC (June)
  - ESCWA (July)
  - ECA (August)
  - ECE? (August)

2015
- CSW 2015
- 5th world conference on women (Beijing+20)

With courtesy to the SONGS workshop May 2012
Ask not what the MDG process can do for you....

- Your Ask as RHSC RMA WG?
- Joining Beyond2015?
- Joining Platforms of Platforms?
- Writing discussions papers for online discussions?
- Calling up David Cameron & the Danish Crown Princess?
Personal References

- **Mwangi Waituru.** Beyond 2015 Co-Chair. Seed Institute/GCAP Kenya National Coordinator
  - Borrowed slides from his PPT Addis Conference presentation

- **Hilde Kroes.** Advocacy officer (RWPF)
  - deeply involved in developing “Platform of Platforms” & a CPD pro.

- **Mette Kirstine Schmidt.** Advocacy Officer (DFPA) & **Sara Fischer (PSN)**
  - for their post Rio analysis of SRHR in the new SDG framework

- **SONGS workshop report.** Outcome report of the Workshops “Strategic Options for NGO’s” hosted by EuroNGO’s in May 2012