Quality improvement: the missing cornerstone between health coverage and outcome
Geneva dialogue

This workshop, organized in collaboration with the Swiss Tropical and Public Health Institute (Swiss TPH), is one in a series of Geneva dialogues spearheaded by the Novartis Foundation for Sustainable Development on global health issues. The forthcoming dialogue is dedicated to raising awareness on the importance of quality as the cornerstone in expanding access to healthcare for underserved populations. The Geneva dialogue aims at discussing quality improvement interventions and learnings to strengthen health systems in developing countries for improved patient reach and better health.

The following guiding questions will be addressed:

– What are the key elements needed to improve quality of care? What are the challenges?

– What is the role of individuals, communities, patients and patient associations?

– Do we need a minimum standard of quality of care before expanding (both geographically and terms of package of services)?

– What innovative approaches are used by other stakeholders? What tools or interventions can be used to improve quality in health services?

Program

Thursday, 23 October 2014
14.00 – 16.30
The event will be followed by an apéro.

Entrance is free, but registration is required. Please register your participation with Kiara Barnes: kiara.barnes@novartis.com / +41 61 696 23 00