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## ***Achieving 90-90-90 and “getting to zero” in the Americas requires addressing equity for Indigenous communities***

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**Satellite organization:** PAHO/WHO, UNAIDS, International Indigenous Working Group on HIV/AIDS (IIWGHA) and Secretariado Internacional de Pueblos Indígenas frente al VIH/sida, la sexualidad y los Derechos Humanos (SIPIA)

**Time slot:** Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> July 10:15am 12:15pm (2h)

**Duration:** 120 minutes

**Room:** Palacio de Iturbide

**Room capacity:** 200

### **Satellite description**

Ending AIDS and other priority communicable diseases (TB, STIs, hepatitis) requires meaningful engagement of Indigenous communities, inclusive public health responses and differentiated culturally pertinent approaches. Indigenous peoples systematically experience discrimination, exclusion, social and health inequities in a context of historical and ongoing colonization processes. This satellite presents current evidence of burden of diseases in indigenous peoples in the Americas and addresses the need to engender a research culture within indigenous communities, and improve information, including on epidemic drivers and social determinants. Representatives from Indigenous organizations will discuss and propose strategies to advance HIV/STI combination prevention and sexual and reproductive health services in Indigenous communities, including from the perspective of sexuality, gender diversity and key populations; and to expand access to rapid testing with effective linkage and retention in culturally sensitive and acceptable comprehensive services, with integrated approach to HIV/STIs, TB and hepatitis and ensuring synergy with traditional medicine.

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Moderators Part 1: Pilar Montalvo (SIPIA)/Giovanni Ravasi (PAHO/WHO)

### Part 1 – Evidence

Social determinants in Indigenous peoples and the HIV epidemic: the other shadow	Amaranta Gomez (SIPIA, Mexico)
The syndemic of HIV, STI, trauma, and other social factors among indigenous peoples in North America	Roberto Orellana (Portland State University, USA)
Ending TB - a necessary goal for reaching 90/90/90 amongst Indigenous Peoples	Wendy Wobeser (Queen’s University, Kingston, Canada)
Conducting research on HIV among indigenous peoples: values, approaches and guidelines	Renée Masching (CAAN)
Q/A	
Closing remarks Part 1	

### Part 2 – Experience -

Moderators Part 2: Renée Masching (CAAN)/Edgar Carrasco (UNAIDS)

IIWGHA 10-point statement, lessons learned towards Global Targets	Trevor Stratton (IIWGHA)
Intercultural dialogues and the role of Indigenous organizations in the HIV response: experience from the triple border Bolivia-Brazil-Peru	Pilar Montalvo (SIPIA, Peru)
Sowing seeds: the HIV response from the perspective of the Mayan population of the Guatemalan highlands	José Martín Yac H. Maya kiché (SIPIA Guatemala)
Prevention and control of HIV in Indigenous community in the Amazon region: the Peruvian experience	Carlos Manuel Benites Villafane (Ministry of Health, Peru)
Q/A	
Closing remarks Part 2	