

EB142 - Statement by Denmark in Dialogue with Director-General

Thank you, Mr. Chairman,

We align ourselves with the statement made by Malta on behalf of the EU.

Director-General, Dear Dr. Tedros,

The draft 13th GPW reflects your grand visions and great ambitions for the evolvement of global health. Like many others, Denmark is pleased to see that your ambitions are clearly aligned with the Agenda 2030 and with the SDGs. We agree that we need to act now to achieve our common goals.

We appreciate the strong focus on primary healthcare as indispensable towards achieving universal health coverage. The celebration this year of the 40th Anniversary of the Alma-Ata Declaration truly highlights the strong connection between the two aspects.

In this regard, we would like to know more about which concrete actions of the WHO you envision for dissemination of good practices for primary healthcare to ensure the achievement of UHC

Also, we would appreciate to hear your reflections and expectations for the celebration of the 40th anniversary of the Alma-Ata Declaration and the outcome of the high-level meeting on primary health

Thank you.