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Dear Dr Shikhashvili,

You have been nominated by the Ministry to participate in the upcoming Global Conference on Primary Health Care: from Alma-Ata towards Universal Health Coverage and the Sustainable Development Goals. The Conference will be hosted by the Government of Kazakhstan, in joint coordination with the World Health Organization and the United Nations Children's Fund. It will take place at the Palace of Independence in Astana, Kazakhstan, from 25-26 October 2018. The Conference aims to renew political commitment to placing primary health care (PHC) at the heart of achieving universal health coverage (UHC) and the Sustainable Development Agenda as well as reaffirm and commemorate the original principles of the 1978 Declaration.

The conference will bring together Heads of State and Ministers of Health, Finance, Education, and Social Welfare as well as representatives from international organizations, development partners, civil society, professional organizations and academia. During the Conference, participants will be invited to endorse a new Declaration and commit to transforming the PHC vision into a practical reality through an implementation plan.

To attend the Conference, we kindly request you to register as soon as possible using the following link:

<http://www.euro.who.int/aa40-register>

For more information, please visit www.who.int/primary-health/conference-phc/en/ or contact the coordination team at primaryhealthcare@who.int.

We very much look forward to your participation in this important event and to a rich and productive engagement.

On behalf of the Coordination Team for the Global Conference on Primary Health Care, please accept, Sir/Madam, the assurance of our highest consideration.



Edward Kelley
Co-Chair, Alma Ata 40 Coordination Team
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