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Dear Dr Berdzuli,

**4th Annual Meeting of Integrated Health Services Delivery for Focal Points
Almaty, Kazakhstan, 22–23 June 2017**

The WHO European Centre for Primary Health Care is organizing the 4th Annual Meeting of Integrated Health Services Delivery for Focal Points at their office, located at Tole Bi str. 88, Almaty, Kazakhstan.

The two-day meeting aims to convene representatives from countries and invited experts on this year's topic: the status of primary health care in the WHO European Region in the context of the implementation of the European Framework for Action on Integrated Health Services Delivery, endorsed by Member States at the 2016 meeting of WHO Regional Committee for Europe. This event will also focus on integrating primary health care services and hospitals as a gateway for transforming services.

I have the pleasure of inviting you to nominate one participant to attend this event. We encourage participants of different profiles, inviting representatives working within the health ministry in departments related to services delivery, primary and/or secondary health care, national agencies, centres and the like dedicated to primary or secondary health care or services delivery in general and/or representatives of national expert groups, councils or similar supporting the transformation of health services delivery towards integrated health services delivery.

About 70 participants are expected to participate. WHO will cover transport and living expenses. The working languages of the meeting will be English and Russian, with simultaneous interpretation provided.

I look forward to receiving your nomination with the name, title and address of the proposed participant by 30 April 2017. We will then communicate with this person directly and provide the necessary documentation and administrative information. Please send your reply to the Secretariat, WHO European Centre for Primary Health Care, email EUROCPHC@who.int. Please address your reply to Juan Tello, Head, WHO European Centre for Primary Health Care, who is responsible for this event.

I thank you in advance for your continued support in transforming the delivery of services and implementing the European Framework for Action on Integrated Health Services Delivery. I look forward to receiving your reply.

Yours very truly,



Hans Kluge
Director, Division of Health Systems and Public Health

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