Sharing Experience: the 2022 Ebola Outbreak in Uganda

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World Health Organization Representative and Head of Mission to Uganda

WHEN & WHERE

DATE & TIME
MONDAY, JUNE 12, 2023
12 PM

SPEAKER WILL PRESENT IN MAURER CENTER FOR PUBLIC HEALTH AUDITORIUM
ROOM 3013

PRESENTATION ZOOM INFORMATION:
https://unmc.zoom.us/j/93676961217?pwd=aWd1cUNjSWg1U3ROSzAzdlE2ddidNUT09

Dr Yonas holds a Doctorate in Medicine. He has 40 years of local, national and international experience in clinical medicine, disaster management, project management and partnership development at senior, technical, and managerial levels. Dr Yonas has a wealth of experience in the healthcare field, having worked in rural and referral hospitals in Ethiopia, with international humanitarian organization following the genocide in Rwanda and WHO programs in Geneva, South-East Asia, and Uganda. He has held various leadership positions, including Deputy WHO Representative for India and WHO Representative and Head of Mission to D.P.R. Korea (North Korea) and Thailand. Before taking his current position as WHO Representative to Uganda in January 2018, he was the Regional Planning head at the WHO Regional Office for South-East Asia, based in New Delhi, India. As WHO Representative, Dr Yonas led the team of WHO experts to advise the Government of Uganda and other stakeholders in addressing public health matters, alongside coordinating the global response in times of outbreaks and other health emergencies. In Uganda, among other achievements he successfully led WHO interventions in Marburg, Ebola (Zaire), COVID-19, Measles, Malaria, Cholera and most recently Ebola (Sudan) outbreak to mention a few.