

Health, well-being, and inclusion for all through equitable access to assistive technology

Side Event at the 58 Session of the Commission on Population and Development

Date and time: 9 April 2025 from 13:15 to 14:30 (New York Time, GMT+5) Venue: Conference Room 11, UN Building Hosted by: World Health Organization, United Kingdom, United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs, UNICEF, and co-sponsored by the International Disability Alliance and the International Federation on Ageing **Registration link:** <u>https://forms.office.com/e/UzfQarZATQ</u>

Registration deadline for attendees without a UN grounds pass is 2 April. If you do not have a UN grounds pass, instructions on collecting your special event ticket will be emailed after registration.

2.5 billion people globally require at least one assistive product. This side event will call on all stakeholders to play their part in addressing the current inequity of access to assistive technology, to ensure that the 1:3 people globally with a functional impairment are not left behind.

Join us as we demonstrate the role of assistive technology in equitable population development, showcase assistive technology initiatives working to address the current inequity of access and inspire cross-sectoral and cross-agency collaborative action.

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