**Tentative Program for the International Conference on Healthcare and Social Work (June 20-21 2025)**

**Day One**

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| ***Theme:* Health in a Social Perspective** |
| **Date:** 20 June 2025 |
| **Venue:**  |
| **Organized by:** Global Events Canada |
|  **Conference activities** |
|  **Day 1 Theme: Care, Practice and Equality** |
| **Time**  | **Activity**  | **Responsible Person** |
| 8:00am - 9:00am | Arrival/Registration & Career fair / Posters | Conference – Career Fair – **Nayebare Carol**Program Coordinator **– Kasaija Joseph** |
| 9:00am - 9:40am |  **Conference and Career Fair Opening Suzan Nalwoga –** **Master of Ceremonies**  |
| **30 min**  | Opening prayers & Land acknowledgement* Welcome Remarks, Introductions
* Conference Objectives
* Committee Introduction
 | **Suzan Nalwoga –** Master of Ceremonies**George Wilobo:** Conference Host & Convener |
| **10 mins** | Conference Opening remarks – Chief Guest |  |
| **10:20am -10:45am** |  **Tea Break / Career Fairwalk with chief guest Lydia Namugenyi and Fazila OSC**  |

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| **10:45am-12:00pm Session one** |
| **15min** | **Research:** Measuring Emerging Best practices in Healthcare and Social Care for both Global South and Global North |  **Mr. Kasaija Joseph** Public Health Consultant, MsPH, CSC Global Alumni, SRH |
| **9:40am-10:20am** | Conference Key note Address | **Dr. Siu Mee Cheng**, PhD, MHSc, BASc, CHE, Executive Director, Street Haven Toronto |
| **15min** | Unpacking the Theme Health in a Social Perspective with focus to Care, Practice and Equality | **Dr. John Wasikye Kirya,** MsPH, Public Health Specialist and Promotion at City of Toronto |
| **30 mins** | **Plenary/Panel Discussion**1. Joseph Kasaija
2. Dr. Siu Mee Cheng, PhD, MHSc, B.A.Sc., CHE
3. Dr. John Wasikye Kirya

**Q& A session** | Henry Ssali, PhD (candidate), M.ED, BA(IR) Social Justice Advocate, President LHAE, ED University of Toronto African Alumni Association Canada |
| **12:00pm-1:00pm** | * **Lunch and Networking**
* **Career Fair Walk Around Posters**  **Nayebare Carol**
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| **1:00pm-2:30pm** |  **Session Two: Moderated by Suzan Nalwoga** |
|  |  **Session Opening/Introduction** |  |
| **10 mins** | Remarks from the Event Silver Sponsor |  |

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| **50 mins** | The Emerging Role of Social Work in Primary Health Care –  | Knowledge sharing from various Social Service Agencies |
| **15** | Question & Answer session |  |

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|  |  **Oral Abstracts Presentations** |
| **15 min** | **Abstract a)** Health and Social Policy  |  |
| **15 mins** | **Abstract b)** Practical Application of Health in a social Perspective |  |
| **5mins** | **Q&A from presentations**  | Conference Delegates |
| **2:30pm - 2:50pm** |  **Break / Networking/Career fair / Poster Exhibition tour**  | Conference Delegates |
| **2:50 - 3:00pm** | Closing Remarks by Guest of Honor  |   |
| **3:00pm - 3:30pm** | Group Picture Departure | **George Wilobo**, Conference Host  |