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FEDERATION OF UGANDA MEDICAL STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION

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To: Medical students nationwide

Dear All,

RE: CALL FOR APPLICATIONS: AMBASSADORS FOR THE #Youth2EndTB MOVEMENT - UGANDA

We are pleased to inform you that the Federation of Uganda Medical Students' Association (FUMSA) is spearheading a national effort to establish the **#Youth2EndTB Movement in Uganda**. This initiative is aligned with the World Health Organization's (WHO) 1+1 Initiative, which seeks to harness the power of youth to accelerate the fight to end tuberculosis (TB).

As Uganda faces a high burden of TB, young people—particularly medical students—have a critical role to play in advocating for change, promoting access to care, and driving innovative solutions to end TB in our communities. Through the #Youth2EndTB Movement, we aim to build a network of Youth TB Ambassadors who will champion efforts to achieve the End TB targets both nationally and globally.

We are therefore **calling for applications** from enthusiastic, passionate, and dedicated medical students who are eager to make a difference. Successful applicants will join a vibrant community of youth leaders and engage in impactful activities, including:

- Collaborating with local, national, and international stakeholders to advance the TB response.
- Advocating for TB awareness, prevention, and treatment within their institutions and communities.
- Empowering their peers with knowledge and skills to amplify the fight against TB.
- Contributing to the development and implementation of the Youth Call to Action for TB.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Must be a medical student enrolled in a recognized university in Uganda.
- Demonstrates strong leadership, communication, and teamwork skills.
- Passionate about public health and committed to ending TB.
- Available to actively participate in movement activities.



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Benefits of Becoming a Youth TB Ambassador:

- Access to training, resources, and mentorship to enhance your skills as a public health advocate.
- Opportunities to network with national and global health leaders.
- Be part of shaping impactful solutions for one of the world's most pressing health challenges.
- Certification of recognition for your contribution to the #Youth2EndTB Movement.

How to apply:

Click on link below and fill the google form.

<https://forms.gle/AaYmnVxiWrz91kZCA>

Deadline: 15th December 2024

We encourage all eligible students to apply and join us in creating a TB-free Uganda. Together, we can make a meaningful impact in ending this devastating disease.

For further inquiries, please contact us at scoph256@gmail.com

Yours sincerely,

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PICTORIAL FROM THE RECENTLY CONCLUDED #YOUTH2ENDTB TOWNHALL AT SPEKE RESORT MUNYONYO BY WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION X MINISTRY OF HEALTH - UGANDA ON 28/11/24



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