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CONFERENCE ANNOUNCEMENT

CHAK ANNUAL HEALTH CONFERENCE 2025 & AGM

DATES: April 28 – 30th April 2025

VENUE: CBK Institute of Monetary Studies, Ruaraka off Thika Road, Nairobi

Conference Theme: "Health care financing crisis; will faith based health facilities survive?"

<u>Conference structure</u> – the conference delivery structure will include;

- i. Plenary sessions with presentations from MOH/SHA and FBO-TWG on NHIF/SHA
- ii. Plenary panel sessions with discussants
- iii. Health Technologies Exhibition sessions with posters, brochures, equipment & IT innovations

Conference Objectives;

- 1. To discuss the emerging health financing challenges in Kenya and donor funding decline
- 2. To review the NHIF-SHA transition progress, successes and challenges
- 3. To discuss the status of unpaid medical claims, by NHIF/SHA and MAKL; threats to the sustainability of Faith Based Hospitals
- 4. To share information on the new Primary Health Care (PHC) Fund, the financing model and opportunities for Faith based lower-level facilities.
- 5. To share updates on the emerging developments in the digitalization of health services

The conference sessions will include:

- 1. The status of healthcare financing crisis in Faith Based Health Facilities
- 2. Emerging health financing challenges in Kenya and Donor funding decline
- 3. NHIF-SHA Transition progress, successes and challenges
- 4. The burden of unpaid medical claims with NHIF/SHA and MAKL; which way forward
- 5. New Primary Health Care (PHC) financing model, opportunities for FBO lower-level facilities
- 6. Digitalization in Health
- 7. Access to affordable quality health commodities; the commitment by MEDS

Conference Registration Fee

- a. CHAK Members;
 - i. Hospitals Ksh 7,000 per delegate
 - ii. Health Centres and Medical Training Colleges Ksh 4,000 per delegate
 - iii. Dispensaries, CBHC Programmes and Churches Ksh 3,000 per delegate



- b. Non-Members Ksh 20,000 (inclusive of conference materials, accommodation and meals); Ksh 10,000 for non-residential participants
- c. Exhibition opportunity will be available at a fee; please discuss with CHAK Secretariat your Exhibition space needs and make reservation.

Registration closing date - 20th April 2025

Annual Health Conference Programme outline

- Day one: Monday 28th April 2025
 - Registration of Delegates 8:30am 1:00pm
 - 2:00 2:30pm: Opening Devotion and Keynote Address by CHAK Chairman.
 - o 2:30 5:30pm:
 - The status of healthcare financing crisis in Faith Based Health Facilities
 - Integration of health services for in the context of declining donor funding and policy change.

• Day two: Wednesday 29th April 2025 – Health care financing challenges

- NHIF-SHA Transition progress, successes and challenges
- The burden of unpaid medical claims with NHIF/SHA and MAKL; which way forward
- New Primary Health Care (PHC) financing model, opportunities for FBO lower-level facilities
- Digitalization in Health
- Access to affordable quality health commodities; the commitment by MEDS

• Afternoon of day two - we shall have panel discussions on;

- Innovative health financing and sustainability strategies by CHAK Member health facilities
- o Realigning FBO lower-level health facilities to the new PHC financing model

• Day three: Wednesday 30th April 2025 (8:00am - 2:00pm)

- Registration for the AGM
- AGM Business Meeting 2025
- Closure and departure