Privacy Statement for Panelists in Global Fund Partnership Forums

The Global Fund is committed to respecting the dignity and privacy of people, while balancing such rights with the Global Fund values of transparency and accountability and the ability of the Global Fund to carry out its mission.

1. When does this privacy statement apply?

This privacy statement explains how we collect and use data you provide in order to act as a panelist in a Partnership Forum. It also explains the choices and rights available to you. The selection of panelists in the Partnership Forums is not directed at people under the age of fifteen (15). Do not collect or disclose any personal information that identifies, or could be used to identify, any persons under the age of fifteen (15) in connection with the nomination process. The Global Fund will not use any personal data of minors for profiling or marketing purposes.

2. What information will be collected about me and how will it be used?

The Global Fund will process personal information of panelists to carry out its mandate as an international organization. This means the Global Fund has an interest in collecting information to ensure the inclusiveness of the Partnership Forums by live-streaming and recording the opening and closing sessions. We will collect the audio and video of panelists’ images and voices.

The Global Fund does not request the personal information of any person other than the panelist and you should not provide any such information. Personal information of panelists will be made available to the Global Fund Secretariat in Geneva, Switzerland, and certain service providers, and as necessary, in order to facilitate attendance and participation at a Partnership Forum, to other participants and panelists. The Global Fund will not disclose optional information, particularly information that may be revealing of health, gender identity, sexual orientation or geo-political or socio-cultural background to other participants, although such information will be assessed within the Global Fund with the aim of ensuring inclusive and diverse participation at a Partnership Forum.

3. How long will the Global Fund keep my information?

We will retain your information up to sixty (60) days after the relevant Partnership Forum.

4. How does the Global Fund protect my information?

The Global Fund has policies in place for data governance, privacy and information security, including procedural and technical control measures, aligning with ISO 27001 information security best practices.
5. What if I don’t wish to provide my information?

You can also participate without providing any optional personal information, especially information that may be revealing of health, gender identity, sexual orientation or geo-political or socio-cultural background.

6. Whom should I contact if I have questions about my personal information?

You may request at any time that your personal information be corrected or deleted in connection with participation in the Partnership Forums. We invite you to contact personaldataprotection@theglobalfund.org if you have questions about your personal information.

For your protection, we will only implement requests with respect to the personal information associated with the particular email address that you use to send us your request, and we may need to verify your identity before implementing your request.

We will endeavor to comply with your request as soon as reasonably practicable. In some cases, we may need to retain certain information where important public interests require, such as the safety and security of individuals; the rights and freedoms of others; the integrity of audit, investigation, arbitral or judicial processes; and/or recordkeeping or legal purposes.

7. Privileges and immunities

Nothing in or related to this privacy statement may be construed as a waiver, express or implied, of the privileges and immunities accorded to the Global Fund under international law, including international customary law, any international conventions, treaties or agreements, or any national laws.