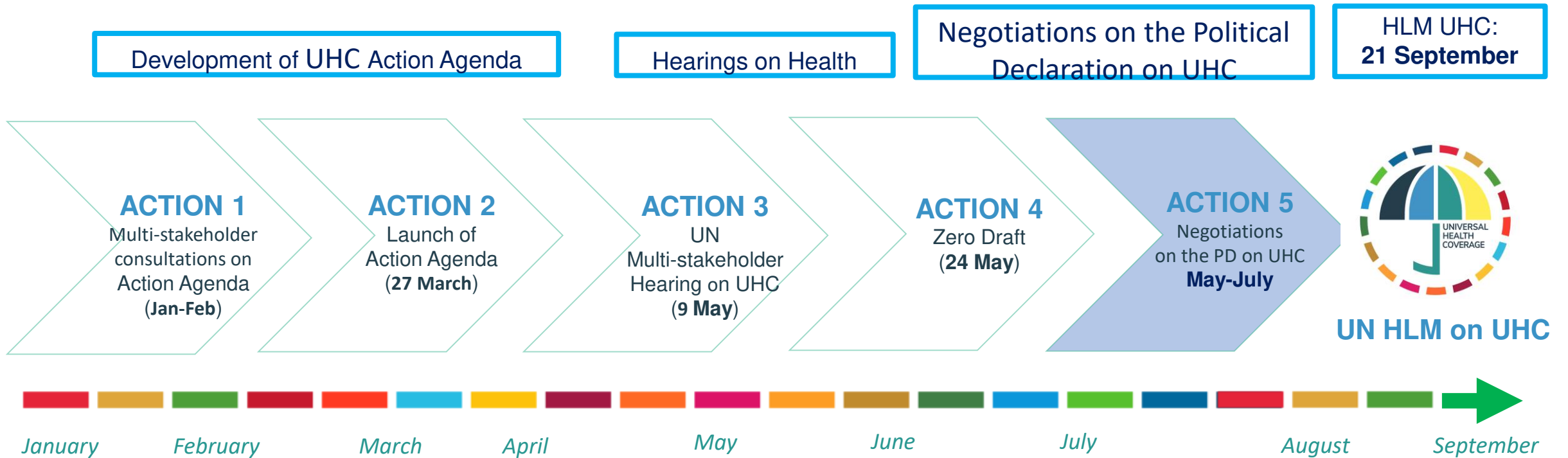


The United Nations High-Level Meeting on UHC



- The President of the General Assembly (PGA) will convene a high-level meetings (HLM) on UHC on **21 September 2023**.
- These HLM provides an opportunity to reinvigorate progress on universal health coverage (UHC) and health for all.
- **Theme:** Universal Health Coverage: Expanding our ambition for health and well-being in a post-COVID world.

The Road to the High-Level Meeting on UHC



Multi-stakeholder Hearing on UHC

9 May – Multistakeholder hearing on UHC

1. Focus areas for moderated panel discussions
 - Panel discussion 1: UHC as a driver to accelerate health for all
 - Panel discussion 2: From UHC Commitment to Actions and Accountability
2. Focus areas for floor statements: PHC, gender equality, accountability, social participation, legislation and regulation for health, vulnerable groups etc.

Action Agenda from the UHC Movement

8 Action Areas



Action area 1: Champion political leadership for universal health coverage

Action area 2: Leave no one behind

Action area 3: Adopt enabling laws and regulations

Action area 4: Strengthen the health and care workforce for quality health care

Action area 5: Invest more, invest better

Action area 6: Move together towards universal health coverage

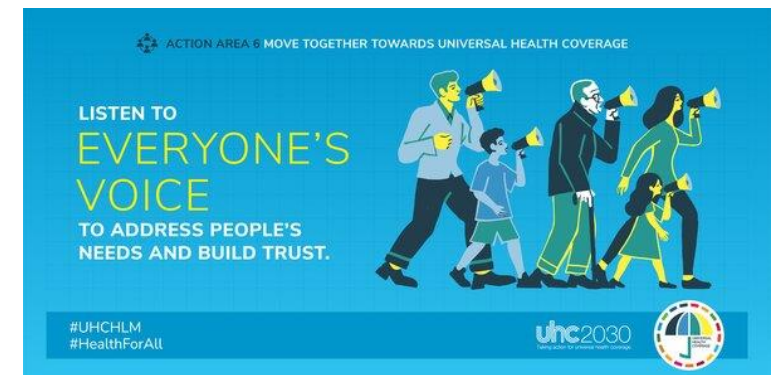
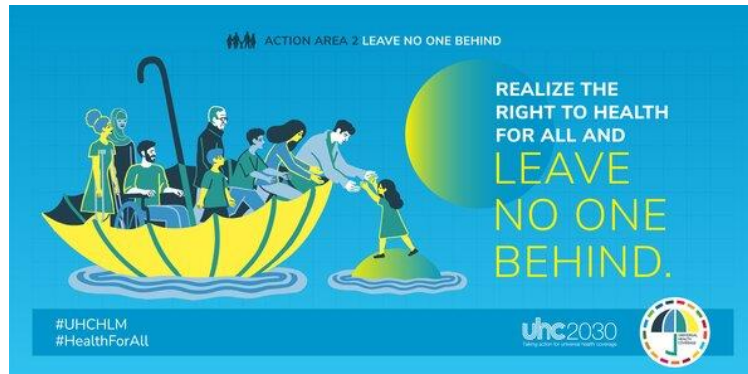
Action area 7: Guarantee gender equality in health

Action area 8: Connect universal health coverage and health security

Action Agenda from the UHC Movement

How it was developed

- Developed by the UHC2030 multistakeholder **Task Force** on UHC
- Informed by a public, open, online **consultation**
- Builds on the **2019 Political Declaration** as well as the latest research and data, including the UHC2030's state of UHC commitment review



Negotiation on the UHC political declaration zero draft

1. The zero draft aligned with the Action Agenda and the 8 actions: political leadership, sustainable financing, health workforce, gender equality, accountability and social participation, enabling laws and regulations, pandemic preparedness
2. CSEM launched a civil society survey to identify key gaps in the zero draft
 - CS feedback was mostly positive
 - Specific language was suggested by CS
 - CSEM shared CS feedback with missions in NY
3. A compilation of comments from Member States (MS) /Observers on the zero draft was circulated on June 8 among MS
 - New and stronger language added but needs further push on specific asks
 - New language on Ukraine likely to cause challenges in negotiations

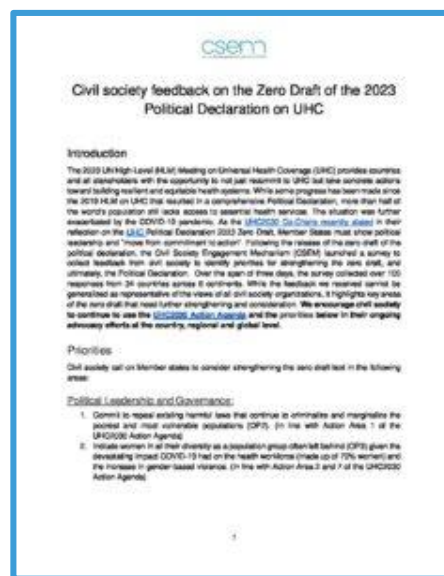
Community advocacy - strategy

1. Mobilize Civil society and communities at country level
 - Provide tools and advocacy materials to reach out to national leaders and mobilize their support on the UHC Key Asks
2. Engage and exchange with Member States in New York
 - Following key civil society feedback on the zero draft to UHC2030 co-chairs, CSEM focal point in New York and IFRC to be rapidly included in the negotiation processes
3. Engage with the Group of Friends of UHC
 - Maintaining regular conversations with the informal platform for UN Member States to keep pushing civil society and UHC key asks.

Advocacy Resources



Action Agenda



Civil society feedback



Advocacy letter



Social media Toolkit

<https://www.uhc2030.org/un-hlm-2023>