

tb hlm updates

- The zero draft: came out very weak, a clear step down from the 2018 political declaration, and took us by surprise; some improvement since.
 - Non-committal language; few numerical targets
- Difficult negotiations with the threat of gridlock; external issues have been structuring a lot of the debates and delayed significantly the final draft.
- Invitation to heads of state have just been issued by the President of UNGA, silence proceeding could start any point.

key community asks

1. Clear, measurable targets on diagnosing and treating people with TB
2. Commitments that explicitly support the human rights of people affected by TB
3. Accelerate the research, development, roll-out and access to new TB vaccines, diagnostics, drugs and other essential tools
4. The inclusion of clear financial targets for TB response and for research
5. Provisions for an accountability framework

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actions

- Push on your governments for high level representation at the meetings; reach out to check that your country missions have passed on the invitation to their central governments
- Ask to be included in your country's delegation – leverage the modalities
- Ask for commitments beyond the political declaration
- Join our Deepdive calls
- Let us know if you are planning anything in NYC/have intel from your governments