# Workshop Title

**School health: state of the art and perspectives**

## Rationale

Various approaches have been adopted to improve adolescents’ health in school setting. School management, curriculum and teaching, organization of school healthcare or setting up services such as school welfare services, external links with local health services and health professionals are considered as efficient ways to create a healthy setting. The literature suggests that health services can be successfully involved in HP programmes if they are associated with the school programme as a whole and if the work of the healthcare practitioners is complementary to that of other school professionals.

## Facilitators:

- Didier Jourdan, UNESCO Chair “Global Health and Education”, France
- Vladislav Kuchma, Director of Child and Adolescent Hygiene and Health Institute, Moscow, Russia
- Huber-Gieseke Tina, School health service of the city of Freiburg, Switzerland
- Tigran Yepoyan, UNESCO Regional HIV & Health Education Advisor

## Language

English (with simultaneous translation in Russian)

## Training Objectives

This workshop aims to take a stock of where we are in terms of school health promotion, to identify challenges, barriers and enablers and to share the various ways of improvement.

After a brief introduction (Prof. D. Jourdan), we will work on the challenges and change levers for school health. Two speakers will give us an account of the situation in EECA countries (Prof. Kuchma from Child and Adolescent Hygiene and Health Institute, Moscow) and in Western Europe countries (Dr. Huber-Gieseke from the school health service of the city of Freiburg, Switzerland). Based on the experience of the participants and the input of the speakers, we will work together on the key enablers to move forward in terms of policies and practices. Tigran Yepoyan (UNESCO Regional advisor) will make a synthesis based on the workshops production on challenges and change levers.

## Schedule

October 3rd 12:30 – 15:50