FAQs for the East Africa Regional Dialogues

- 1. What is the East Africa Regional Dialogues? The East Africa Regional Dialogues is a platform centered on driving institutional change to advance gender equality in health leadership. This year's event, themed "Empowered to Lead Centering Allyship and Gender Equality to Transform Global Health Leadership," aims to deepen understanding of barriers to women's leadership in health, advocate for investment in essential tools for leadership, and explore the role of allyship in advancing gender parity within public and global health institutions.
- **2. Who should attend the East Africa Regional Dialogues?** The East Africa Regional Dialogues is open to all health professionals, researchers, policymakers, civil society members, academics, and development partners who are interested in advancing gender equality in health leadership. The East Africa dialogues is also beneficial to anyone committed to institutional change and enhancing the role of allyship for women in health leadership.
- 3. Is there a registration fee? No! registration fee is waivered for all the delegates
- **4. How do I register to attend the Dialogues?** You can register for the dialogues by visiting the <u>official event website</u>. Follow the instructions provided there to complete your registration.
- **5.** Is there a registration deadline? Yes, there is a registration deadline. Registration will close on **October 3rd**, **2024**. Please check the official event website to ensure you register on time.
- **6. Can I register at the venue?** It is recommended to register in advance due to limited seating space. However, if space permits, onsite registration might be possible. Please check the event website closer to the event date for more details.
- **7. What is the date and venue of the dialogues?** The East Africa regional dialogues will be held on October 11, 2024, from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM EAT.
- **8.** Are there planned networking opportunities? Yes, there are planned networking opportunities including special sessions for networking and the provision of networking booths at the venue. The activities are well curated including an early lunch and networking break, as well as a tea and networking session at the conclusion of the event.
- **9. How can I stay updated on announcements and changes?** To stay updated with any announcements and changes, please subscribe to our mailing list here and follow WomenLift Health official social media channels to stay informed about announcements and any changes to the event.

- **10.** How can I access the agenda? The full agenda has been made available on the event website. Registered participants will also receive updates via email. Kindly register here to receive the updates.
- **11. How can I access the venue?** Directions and transportation options to the venue will be provided on the event website. We recommend checking this section closer to the event date for detailed information. The venue is a step free area which is ideal and accessible to all.
- **12. How can I participate in the dialogues?** Delegates can take part in workshops as audiences and volunteer as commissionaires ushering other delegates into the venue.
- **13.** Is there a list of preferred hotels for accommodation? A list of preferred hotels offering discounted rates for attendees will be available on the event website.
- **14. What is the expected weather?** The weather in October can vary, so we recommend checking the local weather forecast closer to the event date to prepare accordingly.
- **15. Who can I contact in case of further questions?** For any further inquiries, please contact Eastafricadialogues@womenlifthealth.org (Johnasies to support setting this up)