

## APPENDIX

# Thematic and mission reports prepared by UN Special Rapporteurs on the right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health

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### *Thematic reports*

The right to health: sources, contours, and content. The mandate holder's key objectives, themes, and specific issues.	Report to the Commission on Human Rights, February 13, 2003 (E/CN.4/2003/5)
Right-to-health indicators. Good practices. HIV/AIDS. Neglected diseases (and leprosy). Optional Protocol to the Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights.	Report to the General Assembly, October 10, 2003 (A/58/427)
Sexual and reproductive health. Poverty (and Niger's Poverty Reduction Strategy). Neglected diseases. Violence prevention.	Report to the Commission on Human Rights, February 16, 2004 (E/CN.4/2004/49)
Millennium Development Goals. Indigenous peoples. Child survival and indicators.	Report to the General Assembly, October 8, 2004 (A/59/422)
Mental disability.	Report to the Commission on Human Rights, February 11, 2005 (E/CN.4/2005/51)
Commission on Social Determinants of Health. Health professionals and human rights education. The skills drain: migration of health professionals.	Report to the General Assembly, September 12, 2005 (A/60/348)
Right to an effective, integrated health system accessible for all. Human rights-based approach to health indicators.	Report to the Commission on Human Rights, March 3, 2006 (E/CN.4/2006/48)
Maternal mortality. Access to medicines (responsibilities of states and pharmaceutical companies).	Report to the General Assembly, September 13, 2006 (A/61/338)
Health and human rights movement. Cases on the right to health and other health-related rights.	Report to the Human Rights Council, January 17, 2007 (A/HRC/4/28)
Prioritization. Impact assessments. Water and sanitation.	Report to the General Assembly, August 8, 2007 (A/62/214)
Health systems and the right to health.	Report to the Human Rights Council, January 31, 2008 (A/HRC/7/11)
Accountability. Human Rights Guidelines for Pharmaceutical Companies in relation to Access to Medicines.	Report to the General Assembly, August 11, 2008 (A/63/263)

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*Mission reports*

Intellectual property and access to medicines. Trade in services and the General Agreement on Trade in Services. Impact assessments. Gender and trade. Technical assistance. Trade Policy Review Mechanism. Accessing countries to World Trade Organization.	Report to the Commission on Human Rights on Mission to World Trade Organization, March 1, 2004 (E/CN.4/2004/49/Add.1)
Poverty. Prevention, treatment, and control of diseases. Women's and children's health. Health-related policy frameworks (poverty reduction and non-discrimination). Availability, accessibility, and acceptability of health care. Health professionals. Water and sanitation. Availability of resources.	Report to the Commission on Human Rights on Mission to Mozambique, January 4, 2005 (E/CN.4/2005/51/Add.2)
Poverty, discrimination, inequality, and the right to health. Role of international community, civil society, and health professionals. Trade agreements. Environment. Mental health. Sexual and reproductive health. Ethnicity and culture (indigenous peoples).	Report to the Commission on Human Rights on Mission to Peru, February 4, 2005 (E/CN.4/2005/51/Add.3)
Participation, access to information, accountability, and health professionals. Health system financing. Corruption. Sexual and reproductive health. HIV/AIDS. Tuberculosis. Mental health. Environment. Roma.	Report to the Commission on Human Rights on Mission to Romania, February 21, 2005 (E/CN.4/2005/51/Add.4)
Neglected diseases.	Report to the Commission on Human Rights on Mission to Uganda, January 19, 2006 (E/CN.4/2006/48/Add.2)
Detention. Mental health. Ethical obligations of health professionals. Force-feeding.	Report to the Commission on Human Rights on the situation of detainees at Guantanamo Bay, February 27, 2006 (E/CN.4/2006/120)
Protection of civilians during and after the conflict of 2006, and the right to health.	Report to the Human Rights Council on Lebanon/Israel conflict of August 2006, October 2, 2006 (A/HRC/2/7)
Integration of the right to health into domestic laws and policies. Access to appropriate health care. Mental health. The Sami. Harm-reduction for drug users. Human rights education and health professionals. Asylum-seekers and undocumented foreign nationals. International obligations in relation to the right to health and development. Health indicators. Disaggregation of data. Impact assessment.	Report to the Human Rights Council on Mission to Sweden, February 28, 2007 (A/HRC/4/28/Add.2)
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Access to medicines. Human rights responsibilities of pharmaceutical companies. Affordability of medicines. Effects of patents and licensing on access to medicines. Research and development: neglected diseases and pediatric formulations.	Report to the Human Rights Council on Mission to GlaxoSmithKline, May 5, 2009 (A/HRC/11/12/Add.2) <sup>5</sup>
Maternal mortality.	Report to the Human Rights Council on Mission to India, April 15, 2010 (A/HRC/14/20/Add.2)

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Informed consent.	Report to the General Assembly, August 10, 2009 (A/64/272)
Same-sex conduct, sexual orientation and gender identity. Sex work. HIV transmission. Effects of criminalization on the right to health.	Report to the Human Rights Council, April 27, 2010 (A/HRC/14/20)
Impact of drug control on the right to health. Compulsory treatment for drug dependence. Access to controlled medicines. Human rights-based approach to drug control.	Report to the General Assembly, August 6, 2010 (A/65/255)
Access to medicines.	Report to the Human Rights Council, March 16, 2011 (A/HRC/17/43) 5

Development. Convergence of development, human rights and the right to health. Human rights-based approaches to development.	Report to the Human Rights Council, April 12, 2011 (A/HRC/17/2)
Right to health of older persons.	Report to the Human Rights Council, July 4, 2011 (A/HRC/18/37)
Impact of criminalization on sexual and reproductive health. Family planning. Education and information.	Report to the General Assembly, August 3, 2011 (A/66/254)
Occupational health.	Report to the Human Rights Council, April 10, 2012 (A/HRC/20/15)
Health financing and the right to health.	Report to the General Assembly, August 13, 2012 (A/67/302)
Access to medicines.	Report to the Human Rights Council, May 1, 2013 (A/HRC/23/42)
Right to health of migrant workers.	Report to the Human Rights Council, May 15, 2013 (A/HRC/23/41)
States and non-state actors' obligations toward persons affected by or involved in conflict situations.	Report to the General Assembly, August 9, 2013 (A/68/297)
Unhealthy foods and diet-related non communicable diseases.	Report to the Human Rights Council, April 1, 2014 (A/HRC/26/31)
Effective and full implementation of the right-to-health framework. Justiciability. Progressive realization and the enforcement of the right to health. Transnational corporations. International investment agreements. Investor-state dispute settlement.	Report to the General Assembly, August 11, 2014 (A/69/299)

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Sexual and reproductive health. Harm reduction policies for drug users. Harm reduction policies and HIV/AIDS.	Report to the Human Rights Council on Mission to Poland, May 20, 2010 (A/HRC/14/20/Add.3)
Right to health of indigenous peoples. Detention.	Report to the Human Rights Council on Mission to Australia, June 3, 2010 (A/HRC/14/20/Add.4)
Inequalities and discrimination. Indigenous peoples. Women's right to health. Sexual and reproductive health. Violence against women. Access to medicines.	Report to the Human Rights Council on Mission to Guatemala, March 16, 2011 (A/HRC/17/25/Add.2)
Women's and children's health. Gender-based and family violence. Right to health of stateless persons and refugees. Detention.	Report to the Human Rights Council on Syrian Arab Republic, March 21, 2011 (A/HRC/17/25/Add.3)
Mental health. Maternal health. Malaria. Environment. Occupational health.	Report to the Human Rights Council on Mission to Ghana, April 10, 2012 (A/HRC/20/15/Add.1)
Access to medicines. HIV/AIDS. Criminalization of sex work and the use of drugs. Detention.	Report to the Human Rights Council on Mission to Vietnam, June 4, 2012 (A/HRC/20/15/Add.2)
Tuberculosis. Mental health. Domestic violence.	Report to the Human Rights Council on Mission to Tajikistan, May 2, 2013 (A/HRC/23/41/Add.2)
Tuberculosis. Detention.	Report to the Human Rights Council on Mission to Azerbaijan, May 3, 2013 (A/HRC/23/41/Add.1)
Right to health and nuclear disaster management.	Report to the Human Rights Council on Mission to Japan, July 31, 2013 (A/HRC/23/41/Add.3)

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Right to health of adolescents.	Report to the Human Rights Council, April 4, 2016 (A/HRC/32/32)
Sports and healthy lifestyles. Non-state actors' obligations. Good-practice approaches.	Report to the Human Rights Council, April 4, 2016 (A/HRC/32/33)
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