## **Commission on the Status of Women (CSW60)**



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The 60<sup>th</sup> Session of the Commission on the Status of Women (CSW60) will be held from 14 – 24 March at UN Headquarters in New York. This year's priority theme is *Women's empowerment and its link to sustainable development*, and the review theme is *The elimination and prevention of all forms of violence against women and girls*.

The official schedule, including ministerial segments, is listed <a href="here">here</a> [1]. The Commission will agree an outcome document that sets out the need to strengthen frameworks to promote women's empowerment and inclusion in development, foster enabling environments for gender equality, and strengthen women's leadership, amongst others. A draft outcome document is available, <a href="here">here</a> [2].

There are a number of side events related to NCDs during this year's CSW. For a full listing of all side events, please visit the <u>website</u> [3].

Please note that many events require an RSVP in order to attend, especially if you do not have a valid UN grounds pass.

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