“Addressing Dementia” from Human Rights perspective

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2. RECENT POLICY DEVELOPMENTS

**GLOBAL**

- **UN Social Forum - 2014**
  - * Rights of Older Persons
  - * Right to Autonomy

- **World Alzheimer’s Day**
  - * September 21, 2014,
  - * call on all States

- **WHO First Ministerial Conference on Global Action Against Dementia**
  - Mar 2015 - * call on member states

**REGIONAL**

- **Glasgow Declaration on Dementia**
  - Oct 2014

- **PAHO draft Regional Strategy and Action Plan on Dementia**

- **OAS : Inter-American Convention on the Protection of the Rights of Older Persons**
3. RIGHT TO HEALTH

HR STANDARDS
1. Universal Access
2. Availability
3. Acceptability & Dignity
4. Quality

HR PRINCIPLES
1. Non-Discrimination
2. Transparency
3. Participation
4. Accountability
4. TIMELY DIAGNOSIS

3 years ?

5 years ?
5. Diagnosis Globally

High Income

10 PWD
4 YES
6 NO

Low Middle Income

10 PWD
1 YES
9 NO
6. PERSONS WITH DEMENTIA

2015

47+ million

LMIC  60% =

28 million

2050

135 million

LMIC 71% =

96 million
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8. ADEQUATE INFRASTRUCTURE

POSSIBLE CAUSE

• Ignorance
• Lack of Health Education
• Lack of knowledge Health care providers
• Unaffordable
• No insurance

POSSIBLE SOLUTION

• Stigma
• Awareness and Health education
• Capacity building (Training)
• Universal Health Care Insurance
• Chromic Disease Insurance
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<td>Difference or Geopolitical discrimination between HIC vs LMIC?</td>
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10. IN CONCLUSION FOR 7TH OEWGA

- use Inter-American Convention as initial draft
  International Convention on the Protection of
  the Rights of Older Persons
- Review and adapt
  - Human Rights legislation:
  - Monitoring adequacy or lack of sanctions
  - International Cooperation and Reparations
- expert group to inventory gaps and propose
  how to repair these gaps