



Statement by the Southern Africa Youth Forum (SAYoF)

Participation in the SADC Joint Regional Meeting of SRH/Gender Program Managers and M&E/HIS Experts.

The Southern Africa Youth Forum (SAYoF) will be attending the **SADC Joint Regional Meeting of SRH/Gender Program Managers and M&E/HIS experts**, being convened by the **Southern African Development Community (SADC)** to accelerate implementation, monitoring, and reporting of the Sexual and Reproductive Health Rights Strategy 2019-2030 from **31st August 2026 to 4th September 2026** in **Harare, Zimbabwe**. The meeting will be held under the theme **“Accelerating Implementation, Monitoring and Reporting of the SADC SRHR Strategy 2019–2030.”**

The meeting will be convened in collaboration with United Nations agencies under the **Together4SRHR** initiative, namely **UNAIDS, UNFPA, UNICEF, and WHO AFRO**. This initiative is supported by **Sweden and the European Union**.

The SAYoF Delegation will be led by **Dr. Vivian Joseph (Tanzania), Head of the Health Cluster**, and deputised by **Hon. Ian Takudzwa Vambe, Southern Africa Youth Parliament**.

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