



The Lillian Lincoln Foundation and the World Health Organization Present
**A GENEVA PREMIERE OF THE INTERNATIONALLY ACCLAIMED
SNAKEBITE DOCUMENTARY**

MINUTES TO DIE

Open screening and panel discussion
(in English) followed by a reception

Tuesday 21 May, 18:00-20:30
9 Chemin des Mines, Room H8,
Campus Biotech, University of Geneva

Register at
bit.ly/minutes2die
by 14 May



ABOUT THE EVENT

Every year, it is estimated that snakebite envenoming kills more than 125,000, seriously injures over 2.7 million people and leaves at least 400,000 of those who survive with permanent disability. The total burden, however, is likely much higher, as up to 70% of cases go unreported. Despite its shocking death toll, the world knows little about this widespread global health crisis, which is, in fact, preventable and treatable.

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Despite its huge impact, snakebite is the biggest public health crisis you have likely never heard of.

Kofi Annan (1938-2018)

"Minutes to Die", the first documentary film on this issue, takes viewers to the homes and hospital beds of snakebite victims, to labs where scientists are developing new, improved, and cost-effective treatments to a pivotal meeting of public health officials at the World Health Organization (WHO).

Against the backdrop of this year's World Health Assembly (20-28 May 2019), where the first WHO-led global roadmap to minimise snakebite's huge health and socio-economic cost will be presented, this event couldn't be more relevant.

The screening of "Minutes to Die" will be followed by a panel discussion with key players in the global fight against snakebite as well as an informal reception with food and drinks.

PANELLISTS

Including speakers from:

- Health Action International
- Médecins Sans Frontières
- University of Geneva
- World Health Organization

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