

7th Session - Working Group 2.2 (The Caribbean)
Adapting and improving access to services for women and vulnerable groups who use drugs

PROGRESS PRESENTATION SESSION
Position paper on
‘Integrating a gender perspective and reducing stigma in care and attention policies for women and diverse people who use drugs in Latin America and the Caribbean’.

AUGUST 14, 2024
16:00 CEST

COPOLAD III invites you to the seventh session of the Working Group focussed on the Caribbean countries in order to continue the dialogue around the initiative to develop a positioning document on stigma and gender perspective in policies, actions and strategies for the comprehensive care and treatment for women and other vulnerable groups who use drugs. This process, as announced at both WG sessions last December and July, is already underway and will feed the actions that have been carried out by COPOLAD III to deepen the topic of ‘women, drugs and stigma’ and its impact on quality of life, accessibility to the right to health, quality care, adherence to services and social inclusion.

For this session, the aim is to present the work plan, the progress made so far, promote a dialogue with The Caribbean representatives that feeds back into the proposed work plan for the coming months, including the process of technical accompaniment and the index of the document.

AGENDA
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CEST TIME	SESSION	PANELISTS
16:00-16:15	Welcome and introduction	COPOLAD III
16:15 – 16:45	Presentation of the progress of the positioning document, working methodology and technical assistance.	Ernesto Cortés, consultor de COPOLAD
16:54 – 17:15	Space for dialogue around the stigma and its impact - feedback with the countries	Participant countries from The Caribbean
17:15 – 17:30	Conclusions and next steps	COPOLAD III Ernesto Cortés, consultor COPOLAD III

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