

▼ LAUNCHING OF THE REPORT

**REGULATORY SYSTEM
STRENGTHENING IN THE AMERICAS**LESSONS LEARNED FROM THE NATIONAL REGULATORY
AUTHORITIES OF REGIONAL REFERENCE**APRIL 26th, 2021.** 11: 00 A.M. – 12:30 P.M. (EDT) WASHINGTON, D.C. TIME▼
Welcoming and introduction

James Fitzgerald, Director, Health Systems and Services, PAHO

Sponsor's remarksMark Abdo, Associate Commissioner for Global Policy and Strategy,
Food and Drug Administration of the United States of America**Keynote speaker: comments and remarks of the Landscaping Report**

Jarbas Barbosa da Silva Jr., Assistant Director, PAHO

Remarks on behalf of the expert committee

Antonio Britto, Executive Director, Associação Nacional de Hospitais Privados (ANAHP), Brazil

**State of the regulatory system in the Americas and its role in health systems
and social development in the post-COVID-19 agenda**Panel discussion including regulators, industry, international organizations
and civil society**Moderator:** Mary Lou Valdez, Deputy Director, PAHO**Panelists:**

Analía Porrás, Unit Chief, Medicines and Health Technologies, PAHO

Andreas Seiter, Global Lead Health, Nutrition and Population, World Bank Group

Julio Cesar Aldana Bula, General Director, Colombia National Food and Drug Surveillance Institute

Mario Castillo, Director of International Trade and Integration Division, Economic Commission
for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC)

Murray M. Lumpkin, Deputy Director, Regulatory Affairs, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

Olga Lidia Jacobo Casanueva, Director, Center for State Control of Drugs and Medical Devices, Cuba

Silvia Gold, President, Mundo Sano Foundation

Q&A**Closing remarks**

Jarbas Barbosa da Silva Jr., Assistant Director, PAHO