

## UHF HAS MOVED



**we have moved** so that we can serve you better.

**UHF has moved to permanent offices at Plot 110 Bukoto Street.**

**You are all welcome!!**

## NETWORKING EVENT

To be held at the UHF 'new' offices at 110 Bukoto Street and the topic will be ***“Creating Awareness about UHF what we do and believe in”***

## UPCOMING EVENTS FOR MARCH

- WOMEN'S DAY 8TH
- WORLD TB DAY 24TH
- MEDCARD APPS AB TBC
- VODAFONE CONFERENCE 31st “USING ICT TO IMPROVE ACCESS & DELIVERY TO HEALTHCARE”

## CONFERENCES PHOTOS



(L-R) Leah Odundo & Puja Tank at the Africa Pharmaceutical Summit Conference held in Nairobi 24th-25th February



(L-R) Marloes Kibacha, Grace Kiwanuka & Puja Tank at the 3rd Africa Healthcare Summit 2016 Conference held in London 17th – 18th February

## INTERESTING COMMENTS ABOUT MARCH EVENTS:

**Dr. Mungherera: (Women's Day)** – "The theme for **Women's Day 2016** is " *PLANET 50-50 BY 2030: STEP IT UP FOR GENDER EQUALITY*" Women's role in the national development of Uganda continues to be significantly hindered by gender issues that adversely impact their health status.

There is need for instance to review and strengthen ongoing strategies aimed at promoting male involvement in Maternal Health and those aimed at increasing medical and psychosocial support services for survivors of Gender Based Violence.

**Paddy Busulwa: (TB)** - The Uganda Ministry of Health and Partners envision A **Uganda free of Tuberculosis** and with the **Goal** to reach a reduction of 35% in TB prevalence by 2020. **World TB Day** will be commemorated on March, 24 under the Global Theme: **Unite to End TB**. Uganda has adapted it to theme: "*United to End TB- and the Slogan; Find, Treat and Cure All.*"

This year's **World TB Day** commemoration should bring attention to all concerned that TB cases are far from solved as implied by the continued occurrence of drug-resistant TB cases and other treatment outcomes related to inadequate attention to TB control.

**World TB Day**, is designed to build public awareness that tuberculosis today remains an epidemic in much of the world, causing the deaths of nearly one-and-a-half million people each year, mostly in developing countries.

It commemorates the day in 1882 when Dr Robert Koch astounded the scientific community by announcing that he had discovered the cause of tuberculosis, the TB germ.

## ON THE LIGHTER SIDE



Uganda Minister of Health Dr. Elioda Tumwegisye handing over a USTP certificate of recognition to the Secretary for Health of Kalangala District which was the best performing district – this was during the National event for World TB day on 24th March 2015 at Gulu. Looking on are officials from MOH, WHO, USTP & Gulu District.



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