Reinvigorate political action
1) Raise the priority given to NCDs and mental health (SDG target 3.4) in national responses to implement the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, and UNDAFs.
2) Accelerate, through whole-of-government coordinated action, the implementation of the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control.
3) Recognize the implementation of the best buys as the single most important “default” option for any national NCD response.
4) Work together to launch a sustained initiative to prioritize the collective implementation of a number of best buys (as a new set of time-bound commitments).
5) Establish a Heads of State and Government Group aimed at fast tracking and monitoring national NCD responses in the most vulnerable countries.

Enable health systems to respond more effectively to NCDs
6) Prioritize a whole-of-government approach for strengthening essential public health functions which are a prerequisite for scaling up action against NCDs.
7) Ensure that the national publicly-financed UHC benefit package integrates the NCD best buys, including access to essential NCD medicines and technologies.

Increase significantly the financing of national NCD responses
8) Explore possible lending to implement national NCD and mental health responses from the World Bank and regional development banks, taking into account the increasing number of countries which have received such support since 2011.

Double efforts to engage sectors beyond health
9) Create the fiscal space for interventions that have the capacity to generate revenue, such as taxation of tobacco products, alcohol and sugar-sweetened beverages, and that represent a revenue for financing development.
10) Strengthen the role of the education sector by improving education awareness-raising on the prevention and control of NCDs, and by making the school environment as an ideal place for the establishment of healthy behaviours.
11) Establish policies in the food system to improve availability and access to healthy diets and restrict the supply and marketing of food communities contributing to unhealthy diets.

Reduce the negative impact of the globalization of the commercial determinants of NCDs and strengthen the contribution and accountability of the private sector
12) Strengthen governments’ capacity to analyse the rationale, principles, benefits and risks of engaging with the private sector to contribute to the implementation of national NCD responses.
13) Establish a national accountability system to monitor the implementation of industry commitments
**Reinforce the role of non-State actors**
14) Provide space and meaningful participation of NGOs, private sector, philanthropic foundations and academic institutions in building coalitions and alliance to contribute to the implementation of national NCD responses.

**Strengthen “win-wins” for development cooperation**
15) Provide bridging development assistance in the next two years, as raising domestic and international financing for national NCD and mental health responses will take time, and countries need to build their capacity in policy development first to ensure equal opportunity to integrate NCDs into national responses to the overall implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development.
16) Invest matching funds after this two year period.

**Promote accountability to the world’s citizens**
17) Conduct a STEPs survey.
18) Commit to Joint Evaluation Exercise (JEE) approaches to assess national NCD capacities