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Wafaa El-Sadr Named to World Health Organization Technical Advisory Group on Tuberculosis

Wafaa El-Sadr, MD, MPH, professor of clinical Epidemiology and Medicine, and director of the International Center for AIDS Care and Treatment Programs (ICAP) at the Mailman School, has been named to the World Health Organization's (WHO) Strategic and Technical Advisory Group on Tuberculosis. Dr. El-Sadr is among 20 international TB experts selected to serve on the group, which will advise the WHO on its range of global TB control activities. She begins her three-year term when the group meets in Geneva in mid-June.

Dr. El-Sadr also serves as chief of the Division of Infectious Diseases at Harlem Hospital Center. She has been instrumental in the development of domestic and international programs and research studies for the prevention and treatment of tuberculosis and HIV.