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Universal Health Coverage in the straightjacket of the Sustainable Development Agenda: alternative paradigms for health within planetary boundaries

This lecture will outline why current policies to improve global health, and Universal Health Coverage (UHC) more specifically, are bound to fail in the partnership model of the Sustainable Development Goals. It takes a critical look at the financing trends, actors and policy priorities advancing UHC and puts this in a broader political-economic frame of increasing global income inequalities and ecological degradation. An alternative approach to improve global public health based on doughnut (circular) economics and respecting the planetary boundaries, will be explored and discussed.

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