



#### **MEDIA ADVISORY**

Experts Convene Forum on Proven Solutions to End Hunger Meds & Food for Kids Presents 2nd Annual Zero Hunger: Doing What Works Forum

# Who/What:

Meds & Food for Kids is convening a panel of leading experts on the local, national and global issue of hunger. They will engage in a public discussion to amplify proven strategies and innovative approaches aimed at achieving the United Nations' goal of a world free of hunger by 2030.

# When/Where:

April 25, 2024 | 11am – 2pm | Hilton Frontenac | 1335 S Lindbergh Blvd, St. Louis, MO 63131

# **Keynote Speaker:**

<u>Catherine Bertini</u> is a World Food Prize Laureate and three-time UN Under Secretary General.
She is Founder of the Trust Fund for Girls' Education and Managing Director of the <u>Rockefeller</u>
Foundation Food Initiative.

### Panelists:

- <u>Lora lannotti, PhD</u>, is founding director of the <u>E3 Nutrition Lab</u>, working to identify economically affordable and environmentally sustainable nutrition solutions globally. She is also the first Director of Planetary Health and Environmental Justice at the new Center for the Environment at Washington University in St. Louis.
- <u>Eric Mitchell</u> is President of the <u>Alliance to End Hunger</u>. He leads and mobilizes a network of companies, nonprofit organizations, universities, foundations, and individuals to end hunger domestically and globally.
- <u>Kristen Wild</u> is President and CEO of <u>Operation Food Search</u>. She oversees the operations, programs and initiatives OFS sets forth in the mission of healing hunger and strengthening the St. Louis region.

### **Moderator:**

• <u>Chris Greene</u> is CEO of Meds & Food for Kids. He works with the organization's global stakeholders, partners and team of more than 100 Haitians who produce lifesaving ready-to-use therapeutic food in Cap-Haitien for distribution in Haiti and 17 other countries.

Members of the media are invited to attend the forum at no charge. Tickets are available for purchase @ \$50/person: <u>Tickets and Sponsorships</u>

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