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## Millennium Development Goals Report 2011

10:30 AM - 11:30 AM - Friday, July 8, 2011

to be presented by

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The eight Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) – which range from halving extreme poverty to halting the spread of HIV/AIDS and providing universal primary education, all by the target date of 2015 – form a blueprint agreed to by all the world's countries and all the world's leading development institutions. They have galvanized unprecedented efforts to meet the needs of the world's poorest.

This year's report highlights development successes, and says many are due in part to continued economic growth in some developing countries and targeted efforts in critical MDG areas, such as health. Increased funding from many sources has expanded key programmes, such as treatment for people living with HIV/AIDS.

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