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## INVITATION

Side Event During the 72<sup>nd</sup> Session of the United Nations General Assembly

# PROTECTING HEALTH CARE IN ARMED CONFLICT

Friday, September 22, 2017 | 11:30 am - 1:30 pm | Conference Room A, UN Headquarters

The Permanent Missions of Canada, the Kingdom of the Netherlands, the Kingdom of Spain, and the United Kingdom to the United Nations

In collaboration with

*The Lancet*-American University of Beirut Commission on Syria and Safeguarding Health in conflict Coalition

Cordially invite you to participate in this event to discuss:

- The global scale of attacks on health care in conflict
- Progress since UNSC Resolution 2286
- Next steps for UN Member States and the international civil society

### PANELISTS

**Naz Modirzadeh, Professor of Practice & Director**

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**Iman Nuwayhid, Dean & Co-Chair**

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**Leonard Rubenstein, Senior Scientist & Chair**

SAFEGUARDING HEALTH IN CONFLICT COALITION

**Ahmad Tarakji, President**

SYRIAN AMERICAN MEDICAL SOCIETY

### MODERATOR

**Homer Venters, Director of Programs**

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*Attacks on medical facilities and health care workers in armed conflicts are ongoing. We must act now to stop them!*