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Matthew Harold is Head of External Affairs and Strategic Partnerships for Novartis Global Health & Sustainability. Novartis Global Health's mission is to broaden patient access to appropriate medicines regardless of location and socio-economic factors.

Matt directs the external engagement and partnership strategies for Global Health, which aim to build inclusive communities, coalitions, and partnerships to address unmet healthcare needs for underserved patients. Matt leads and has oversight on all external engagements for Global Health, including senior-level government and stakeholder meetings, as well as Novartis's presence at key global health summits and forums.

Before joining Novartis, Matt was Director of Corporate Affairs at Pfizer Rare Disease, where he oversaw and coordinated communications, patient advocacy, and policy strategy. Matt collaborated closely with the patient community, co-developing several publications on the area of rare disease policy and country-level national plan development. Prior to Pfizer, Matt held several roles in investment banking and corporate strategy.

Matt is originally from Washington, D.C. He attended Columbia University in New York City where he obtained a dual degree in French literature and political science. Matt has lived across the globe from Japan to the United Kingdom, and is currently based in Zurich, Switzerland.