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**LETTER OF INTENT TO JOIN UNICEF AS THE FOUNDING PARTNER OF
THE CHILDREN'S ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH COLLABORATIVE**

It is with great pleasure that I sign on to the Children's Environmental Health Collaborative as a founding partner. This letter indicates the United Nations Environment Programme's commitment to protect children from the impacts of air pollution and lead through a collaboration with the Healthy Environment Healthy Children Programme Framework.

As a founding partner to the Collaborative, we commit to the following activities.

1. Advocate for prioritizing children's environmental health in key international forums, including through joint co-branded communication and advocacy products, when feasible.
2. Contribute research on the specific impacts of climate change and environmental degradation on children's health and sharing guidance, tools and best-practices to protect children from these impacts, with a particular focus initially on air pollution and lead.
3. Provide technical assistance, expertise and technical resources on children's environmental health;
4. Participate in joint convenings and promote coherent approaches to protecting children environmental health.

We agree to have our logo displayed amongst the founding partners on the Collaborative's website and updated attached brochure, and working with UNICEF to advance children's health, development and well-being.

Yours sincerely,

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