# Global Health Watch:
# 43 Weeks of Crisis, Context & Resources to Respond

| JANUARY | FEBRUARY | MARCH | APRIL | MAY | JUNE | JULY | AUGUST | SEPTEMBER | OCTOBER | NOVEMBER |
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*Advocacy Responses and Wins in the Midst of Madness*

- **JANUARY**: AVAC launches Global Health Watch
- **FEBRUARY**: AVAC & Global Health Council sue USG on foreign aid freeze
- **FEBRUARY**: US District Court judge issues Temporary Restraining Order, ordering government to reinstate foreign aid funding
- **MARCH**: US Supreme Court orders Administration to release up to $2 billion in frozen foreign aid
- **MAY**: Gates Foundation announces accelerated plan to spend $200 billion and sunset operations by 2045
- **JUNE**: FDA approves LEN for PrEP
- **JUNE**: US Supreme Court upholds Affordable Care Act's preventative services mandate
- **JULY**: WHO recommends LEN for PrEP
- **SEPTEMBER**: Gates Foundation & Unitaid fund accelerated timelines for generic LEN and price reduction
- **SEPTEMBER**: PEPFAR & Global Fund commit to supply LEN to 2m people over three years
- **SEPTEMBER**: Marathon airs globally
- **NOVEMBER**: $11.34 billion pledged, including $4.6 billion from USG
- **NOVEMBER**: First doses of LEN for PrEP arrive

*Massive Disruptions in Global Health: Shocks and Aftershocks*

- **JANUARY**: New administration takes office
- **JANUARY**: Foreign assistance frozen
- **JANUARY**: US withdraws from WHO
- **FEBRUARY**: Partial "waiver" granted for PEPFAR
- **FEBRUARY**: NIH cancels ~1,800 research grants
- **FEBRUARY**: USAID dismantling begins
- **MARCH**: HIV and STI information silently removed from CDC websites
- **APRIL**: Mass layoffs at HHS agencies — CDC, NIH, FDA
- **MAY**: USG cuts funding to Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance
- **JUNE**: CDC ACIP committee reconstituted with vaccine skeptics
- **AUGUST**: Shooting at CDC headquarters in Atlanta
- **AUGUST**: CDC director fired; other leaders resign
- **AUGUST**: NIH shifts away from basic science and clinical research
- **AUGUST**: Supreme Court allows $4 billion in foreign aid to expire
- **SEPTEMBER**: America First Global Health Strategy launched
- **OCTOBER**: US government shutdown begins
- **OCTOBER**: Jeanne Marrazzo fired as NIAID director
- **OCTOBER**: CIFF cuts funding to all US-based NGOs

* selected milestones from 2025

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