



**REGIONAL COMMITTEE FOR THE  
EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN  
Sixty-third Session  
EMRO, Cairo, 3-6 October 2016**

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29 August 2016

**Provisional Agenda**

1. **Opening of the Session**
  - (a) Election of Officers
  - (b) Adoption of the Agenda EM/RC63/1. Rev.2
2. **Programme and budget matters**
  - (a) Proposed Programme budget 2018-2019 EM/RC63/2
3. **(a) Annual Report of the Regional Director 2015** EM/RC63/3  
Progress reports on:
  - (b) Eradication of poliomyelitis EM/RC63/INF.DOC.1
  - (c) Emerging and re-emerging diseases including dengue and dengue haemorrhagic fever EM/RC63/INF.DOC.2
  - (d) Prevention and control of noncommunicable diseases EM/RC63/INF.DOC.3
  - (e) Implementation of the International Health Regulations (2005) EM/RC63/INF.DOC.4
  - (f) Universal health coverage and the development of a package of essential health services EM/RC63/INF.DOC.5
4. **Technical discussions**
  - (a) Scaling up family practice: progressing towards universal health coverage EM/RC63/Tech.Disc.1
5. **Technical papers**
  - (a) Improving access to assistive technology EM/RC63/4
  - (b) Strategic frameworks for strengthening health laboratories and blood transfusion services EM/RC63/5  
EM/RC63/6
6. **World Health Assembly and Executive Board**
  - (a) Resolutions and decisions of regional interest adopted by the Sixty-ninth World Health Assembly and the Executive Board at its 138<sup>th</sup> and 139<sup>th</sup> Sessions EM/RC63/7

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|     | (b) Review of the draft provisional agenda of the 140 <sup>th</sup> Session of the WHO Executive Board                                     | EM/RC63/7-Annex 1  |
|     | (c) Governance Reform  | EM/RC63/8          |
| 7.  | Nomination of the Regional Director  | EM/RC63/WP.1       |
| 8.  | Shaping the future of health in the WHO Eastern Mediterranean Region: reinforcing the role of WHO 2012-2016. Progress report               | EM/RC63/INF.DOC.6  |
| 9.  | <b>Awards</b>  |                    |
|     | (a) Award of the Dr A.T. Shousha Foundation Prize and Fellowship   | EM/RC63/INF.DOC.7  |
|     | (b) Award of the State of Kuwait Prize for the Control of Cancer, Cardiovascular Diseases and Diabetes in the Eastern Mediterranean Region | EM/RC63/INF.DOC.8  |
|     | (c) Award of the Down Syndrome Research Prize  | EM/RC63/INF.DOC.9  |
| 10. | Place and date of future sessions of the Regional Committee  | EM/RC63/INF.DOC.10 |
| 11. | Other business   |                    |
| 12. | Closing session  |                    |