

Draft Provisional Agenda

1. Opening of the session

- (a) Election of Officers
- (b) Adoption of the Agenda

EM/RC70/1-Rev.3

2. (a) Final report to Member States on progress, achievements, and challenges in implementing Vision 2023

EM/RC70/2

Progress reports on:

- (b) Poliomyelitis eradication and polio transition EM/RC70/INF.DOC.1
- (c) Regional approach to implementing the Thirteenth General Programme of Work, 2019–2025 EM/RC70/INF.DOC.2
- (d) Scaling up mental health care: a framework for action EM/RC70/INF.DOC.3
- (e) The implementation of the regional tobacco control strategy EM/RC70/INF.DOC.4-Rev.1
- (f) Implementing of the regional framework on ending preventable newborn, child and adolescent deaths and improving health and development EM/RC70/INF.DOC.5-Rev.1
- (g) Implementing the framework for action for the hospital sector in the Eastern Mediterranean Region EM/RC70/INF.DOC.6
- (h) The implementation of the framework for improving national institutional capacity for evidence-informed policy-making for health in the Eastern Mediterranean Region, 2020–2024 EM/RC70/INF.DOC.7
- (i) Accelerating regional implementation of the Political Declaration of the Third High-level Meeting of the General Assembly on the Prevention and Control of Noncommunicable Diseases, 2018 EM/RC70/INF.DOC.8-Rev.1
- (j) Regional framework for action to strengthen the public health response to substance use EM/RC70/INF.DOC.9-Rev.1
- (k) The implementation of the framework for strengthening health laboratory services, 2016–2023 EM/RC70/INF.DOC.10

- (l) Health issues facing populations affected by disasters and emergencies, including the International Health Regulations (2005) EM/RC70/INF.DOC.11
- (m) Implementing the regional strategy for integrated disease surveillance: overcoming data fragmentation in the Eastern Mediterranean Region EM/RC70/INF.DOC.12-Rev.1
- (n) Building resilient communities for better health and well-being in the Eastern Mediterranean Region- implementation of the roadmap EM/RC70/INF.DOC.13
- (o) Addressing diabetes as a public health challenge in the Eastern Mediterranean Region EM/RC70/INF.DOC.14

3. Technical papers

- (a) Addressing noncommunicable diseases in emergencies: a regional framework for action EM/RC70/3-Rev.1
- (b) Strengthening public health readiness for mass gatherings in the Eastern Mediterranean Region EM/RC70/4-Rev.1
- (c) Health workforce in the Eastern Mediterranean Region: from COVID-19 lessons to action EM/RC70/5
- (d) Climate change, health and environment: a regional framework for action, 2023–2029 EM/RC70/6

4. World Health Assembly and Executive Board

Programme and budget matters

- (a) Proposed approach for a draft full plan for the WHO investment round EM/RC70/7

Governance matters

- (b) Resolutions and decisions of regional interest adopted by the Seventy-sixth World Health Assembly and the Executive Board at its 152nd and 153rd sessions EM/RC70/8-Rev.1
- (c) Review of the draft provisional agenda of the 154th session of the WHO Executive Board EM/RC70/8-Annex 1
- (d) Membership of WHO bodies and committees EM/RC70/9
- (e) Update on implementation of the WHO Transformation Agenda in the Eastern Mediterranean Region EM/RC70/10
- (f) Fourteenth General Programme of Work, 2025–2028 EM/RC70/11

Technical matters

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| (g) Development of draft global action plan and monitoring framework on infection prevention and control, 2024–2030 | EM/RC70/12 |
| 5. Report of the sixteenth, and seventeenth meetings of the Programme Subcommittee of the Regional Committee | EM/RC70/15
EM/RC70/16 |
| 6. Report of the seventh meeting of the Regional Subcommittee for Polio Eradication and Outbreaks | EM/RC70/17-Rev.1 |
| 7. Amended and restated terms of reference of the Programme Subcommittee of the Regional Committee for the Eastern Mediterranean Region | EM/RC70/13 |
| 8. Nomination of the Regional Director | EM/RC70/WP.1 |
| 9. Awards | |
| a) Award of the State of Kuwait Prize for the Control of Cancer, Cardiovascular Diseases and Diabetes in the Eastern Mediterranean Region | EM/RC70/INF.DOC.15 |
| b) Award of the Down Syndrome Research Prize | EM/RC70/INF.DOC.16 |
| c) Dr A.T. Shousha Foundation Prize and fellowships | EM/RC70/INF.DOC.19 |
| 10. Nominations | |
| Nomination of a Member State to the Policy and Coordination Committee of the Special Programme of Research, Development and Research Training in Human Reproduction | EM/RC70/INF.DOC.17 |
| 11. A review of the status of resolutions adopted by the Regional Committee during the period 2000–2017, and recommendations for sunseting and reporting requirements | EM/RC70/14-Rev.2 |
| 12. Place and date of future sessions of the Regional Committee | EM/RC70/INF.DOC.18 |
| 13. Other business | |
| 14. Closing session | |