Information session for Permanent Missions in preparation for EB150:

Agenda item 7 (Political Declaration of the third High-level Meeting of the UN General Assembly on NCDs)

Thursday, 21 October 2021
14:30 to 17:00
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https://www.who.int/teams/noncommunicable-diseases/governance

**Governance of WHO’s leadership and coordination role in promoting and monitoring global action against noncommunicable diseases**

INTERSESSIONAL WORK IN PREPARATION FOR THE 150TH SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD

The WHO Governing Bodies requested the Director-General to submit information about the following 10 assignments on the prevention and control of noncommunicable diseases and the promotion of mental health to the 150th session of the Executive Board (see also agenda item 7 of the draft provisional agenda for EB150):

a. Decision WHA74(10) - Develop an implementation roadmap 2023–2030 for the global action plan for the prevention and control of NCDs 2013–2030
b. Resolution WHA74.4 - Develop recommendations to strengthen and monitor diabetes responses within national noncommunicable disease programmes, including considering the potential development of targets in this regard
c. Resolution WHA74.5 - Develop a draft global strategy on oral health
d. Annex 9 of document EB148/7 in accordance with resolution A/RES/73/2 - Develop recommendations on how to strengthen the design and implementation of policies, including those for resilient health systems and health services and infrastructure to treat people living with NCDs and to prevent and control their risk factors in humanitarian emergencies
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• Update on Annex 5
  Dr Nono Simelela, Assistant Director-General, Special Advisor to the DG, Strategic Priorities

• Update on Annexes 1, 2, 3 4 and 6
  Dr Bente Mikkelsen, Director, Department for NCDs, WHO

• Update on Annex 6
  Dr Rüdiger Krech, Director, Health Promotion Department, WHO

• Update on Annexes 6 to 8:
  Dr Dèvora Kestel, Director, Department for Mental Health and Substance Use, WHO

• Update on Annex 9:
  Dr Francesco Branca, Director, Department for Nutrition and Food Safety, WHO

• Update on Annex 10:
  Dr Svetlana Akselrod, Director, Global NCD Platform, WHO

• Clarifications, questions and answers

• Concluding remarks
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## Context

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- Screening and treating precancerous lesions
- Women living with HIV
- Invasive cancer treatment and palliative care
- Post-market surveillance of medical devices
- Costing national cervical cancer programme
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- Research and innovation
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## WHO guidance and tools

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## Support to Member States with priority for high-burden countries

## Collaboration with partners

## The way forward


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The Architecture to Eliminate Cervical Cancer

**THRESHOLD:** All countries to reach < 4 cases 100,000 women

2030 CONTROL TARGETS

- **90%** of girls fully vaccinated with HPV vaccine by age 15 years.
- **70%** of women are screened with a high-performance test by 35 years of age and again by 45 years of age.
- **90%** of women identified with cervical disease receive treatment (90% of women with precancer treated, and 90% of women with invasive cancer managed).

SDG 2030: Target 3.4 – 33.3 % reduction in mortality from NCDs
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CCEI 2020-2021

WHA73.2
3 August 2020

Aug/Sep 21
DG expert group

First anniversary
Nov 17 2021

AFRO and SEARO RC on CCEI

July 21
COUNTRY SUPPORT

Nov 2020
Launch

Dec 2020

WHO Framework for strengthening cervical cancer screening and treatment services for the management of premalignant and malignant cervical cancer

Women living with HIV are more likely to develop cervical cancer than women without HIV
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Countries with HPV vaccine in the national immunization programme

Acceptability, in principle, of Cecolin®, Recombinant Human Papillomavirus Bivalent (Types 16, 18) Vaccine produced by Xiamen Innovax Biotech Co., Ltd., for purchase by United Nations (UN) agencies

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Source: WHO/UNICEF HPV vaccine coverage estimates, 2019 update

14 Oct 2021
WHO guideline for screening and treatment of cervical pre-cancer lesions for cervical cancer prevention, second edition

Summary recommendation for the general population of women

WHO suggests using either of the following strategies for cervical cancer prevention among the general population of women:

- HPV DNA detection in a screen-and-treat approach starting at the age of 30 years with regular screening every 5 to 10 years.

- HPV DNA detection in a screen, triage and treat approach starting at the age of 30 years with regular screening every 5 to 10 years.

Summary recommendation for women living with HIV

WHO suggests using the following strategy for cervical cancer prevention among women living with HIV:

- HPV DNA detection in a screen, triage and treat approach starting at the age of 25 years with regular screening every 3 to 5 years.
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Estimates of the global burden of cervical cancer associated with HIV

Women living with HIV have a substantially increased risk for cervical cancer when compared with women without HIV infection. Worldwide, roughly 6% of women with cervical cancer are living with HIV and just under 5% of all cases of cervical cancer are attributable to HIV. However, these proportions vary widely by region; 85% of women with cervical cancer and HIV live in sub-Saharan Africa, underscoring the major contribution of HIV to cervical cancer burden in the region. In countries with a high burden of both cervical cancer and HIV, it is vital to integrate HIV and cervical cancer care and vaccinate girls against human papillomavirus to secure long-term declines in the future disease burden.

New WHO recommendations on screening and treatment to prevent cervical cancer among women living with HIV
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Invasive cervical cancer

1. Presentation to a primary health care facility with symptoms
   - Cervical cancer suspected at screening

2. Evaluation for the probability of cancer: suspicious lesion and/or persistent symptoms
   - Clinical examination
   - Speculum and pelvic examination
   - Colposcopy (if available)
   - Biopsy

Histological confirmation of cancer

Clinical, radiological, pathological staging

Decision to treat (Multidisciplinary Team)

Stage-appropriate treatment: surgery, radiotherapy, systemic therapy (single modality or in combination)

Symptom management, physical, psychosocial and spiritual support

Follow up, rehabilitation

End of life care
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Cervical cancer knowledge repository - one stop shop
https://cceirepository.who.int/

Costing of national plans

Costing the National Strategic Plan on Prevention and Control of Cervical Cancer: Mongolia, 2020–2024

November 2020
COUNTRY SUPPORT

- More than 25 countries were supported in 2020-21 for accelerating cervical cancer control.
- WHO and partners are providing capacity building, support for national plan development, switching from VIA to HPV based testing, management of cervical cancer and in monitoring the outcomes.
COLLABORATION

• Collaboration to facilitate the distribution of HPV vaccines (GAVI Alliance, technical partners)

• Collaboration to improve access to secondary prevention services (Unitaid, UNICEF)

• Collaboration on advancing radiotherapy for cervical cancer (IAEA)

• UN Agencies, including UNAIDS, UNFPA and UNICEF align their strategies with the inclusion of cervical cancer elimination targets

• High-level collaborations to raise awareness and advocate for the global strategy implementation (the African Union and the Commonwealth)
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Way forward

- Support the implementation of regional frameworks
- Collaborate with governments and partners to accelerate the implementation of the strategy and monitor the progress
- Integration of cervical cancer prevention with HIV, SRHR, NCDs (cancer) PHC and other programmatic areas
- Promoting global and national partnerships
- Advocacy
Annex 5: Action required by EB150

The Executive Board is invited to note Annex 5.
Update on Annexes 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6

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Resolutions

2013

WHA66.10 decided to “endorse the WHO Global Action Plan on NCDs” and to “adopt the set of nine voluntary global targets for achievement by 2025”.

2019

WHA72(11) confirmed “the objectives of the WHO Global Action Plan on NCDs as a contribution to SDG 3.4” and decided “to extend the period of the action plan to 2030 in order to ensure its alignment with the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development”

2021

WHA74(19) requests the DG to develop “an implementation roadmap 2023–2030 for the global action plan for the prevention and control of noncommunicable diseases 2013–2030” (not: for SDG 3.4)
Annex 1: Draft implementation road map 2023–2030 for the global action plan for the prevention and control of noncommunicable diseases 2013–2030

Process and timeline

June-August 21

WHO regional technical expert consultations

Information session for civil society, academic institutions, philanthropic foundations, and people living with or affected by noncommunicable diseases.

3 Sep 21

The WHO Secretariat will convene an Open Discussion Forum on a draft implementation roadmap.

6-7 September 21

The Secretariat will submit a draft implementation roadmap for inclusion in the report to EB150 for agenda item 7 (NCDs)

1 October 2021

Implementation supported with tools

May 2022

January 2023

Intercessional work if required

https://cms.who.int/teams/noncommunicable-diseases/governance#
Scope

• The NCD roadmap 2013-2030 will highlight the barriers in implementing the NCD GAP 2013-30 and provide evidence-based and cost-effective options to overcome them.

• Using the NCD Global Monitoring Framework, identify pathways for achieving the targets on risk factor control, disease diagnosis and management, surveillance, intersectoral action, financing and other related areas.

• Support countries to prioritize interventions based on their NCD epidemiological profile, available resources and other considerations, using a simulation tool.

• The roadmap will promote a national, collaborative and multisectoral process, which is supported by partners and relevant stakeholders, to advance NCD prevention and control and contribute to the SDG target on NCDs.

• Bring together the various initiatives and technical packages for NCD prevention and control in a one-stop shop for easy access.

• Showcase country best practices and successes across NCD prevention and control interventions.
Feedback from consultations with regional Technical Experts

- Considerable heterogeneity across and within regions; Epidemiology, Socio-economics and health system and infrastructure development
- Regions are off track to meet the 2030 SDG target for premature mortality
- Issues identified that needs attention to move NCD agenda forward
  - Policy and implementation gaps
  - Role of the private sector in healthcare delivery
  - Data collection and surveillance
  - National multisectoral action plans need increased support
  - Financing NCD action and building capacity in terms of health systems, health workforce and research and implementation were also identified

Impact of COVID-19

- The covid-19 pandemic was widely acknowledged to have disproportionately affected people living with NCDs and delivery of NCD services across all regions.
- Pandemic has shifted resources from national NCD response plans
- Long term sequelae of covid-19 disease (long COVID) could result in increased NCD and mental health burdens.
- Lessons could also be learned from adoption of new technologies for disease management and new service delivery models (ie telemedicine modalities), and new methods data collection and analysis
- Opportunities for moving the NCD agenda forward in many countries and that building back better-UHC and PHC agenda

Strengths of the proposed road map

- Considerations of heterogeneity at the global, regional, national and subnational levels
- Development of tools to help countries understand the drivers of NCD morbidity and premature mortality within the specific national context and to aid with prioritization and selection of the most impactful, cost-effective interventions
1. Accelerate national response based on the understanding of NCDs epidemiology and risk factors and the identified barriers and enablers in countries.
   1.1 Evaluate the progress made in achieving the targets on prevention and control of NCD
   1.2 Identify barriers to implementing cost-effective interventions across prevention and control of NCDs

2. Prioritize and scale-up the implementation of most impactful and feasible interventions in the national context
   2.1 ENGAGE
   2.2 ACCELERATE
     • Accelerate the implementation of the most cost-effective and feasible NCD interventions in the national context
     • A web-based simulation tool to select a prioritized set of NCD interventions for countries
     • Strengthen NCD prevention and control in PHC for promoting equitable access and quality of care
     • Ensure that UHC benefit packages include prevention and control of NCD
     • Sustainable financing
     • Build back better with implementation research, innovation, and digital solutions
   2.3 ALIGN

3. Ensure timely, reliable and sustained national data on NCD risk factors, diseases and mortality for data driven actions and to strengthen accountability

Existing monitoring framework and milestones to track progress across countries and regions
Annex 1: Draft implementation road map 2023–2030 for the global action plan for the prevention and control of noncommunicable diseases 2013–2030

**Compendium**

**Preventions for Universal Health**

Alignment with UHC and PHC frameworks

Cost effective interventions for mental health

WHO Global Air Quality Guidelines
Accelerator themes

1. Primary health care
2. Sustainable financing
3. Community and civil society engagement
4. Determinants of health
5. Fragile and vulnerable settings
6. Research and Development, Innovation and Access
7. Data and digital health
Annex 1: Structure

Mandate, scope, purpose and modalities

Strategic directions for implementing the WHO Global NCD Action Plan 2013-2030

- **Strategic Direction 1**: Accelerate national response based on the understanding of NCDs epidemiology and risk factors and the identified barriers and enablers in countries
- **Strategic Direction 2**: Prioritise and scale-up the implementation of most impactful and feasible interventions in the national context
- **Strategic Direction 3**: Ensure timely, reliable and sustained national data on NCD risk factors, diseases and mortality for data driven actions and to strengthen accountability

Recommendations actions

- Recommended actions for Member States to be taken in 2022
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- Actions for the Secretariat to be taken in 2022 include
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Annex 1: Recommendations

Recommended actions for Member States to be taken in 2022

- Strengthen national capacity for governance of multi-stakeholder engagement, cross-sectoral collaboration, and meaningful and effective partnerships
- Strengthen national monitoring and surveillance systems for NCDs and their risk factors for reliable and timely data
- Prioritize research to enhance understanding of the epidemiology of NCDs and their risk factors, social, economic, and commercial determinants, multilevel and multisectoral governance, and invest in translational and implementation research to advance NCD prevention and control.

Recommended actions for international partners to be taken in 2022

- Assist and support in the development of the implementation roadmap across the strategic directions and actions at global, regional, country and local level

Actions for the Secretariat to be taken in 2022

- Develop an NCD data portal, to provide a visual summary of all NCD indicators and to facilitate countries to track their progress
- Develop heatmaps for countries to identify specific NCDs, and their contribution to the premature mortality
- Propose updates focused on prevention and management of NCDs to the Appendix 3 of the NCD GAP 2013-2030, in consultation with Member States, UN organizations and non-State actors, for consideration by Member States at the World Health Assembly in 2023, through the EB
- Develop a web-based simulation tool, using interventions for NCDs which are updated with the latest evidence and aligned to PHC and UHC frameworks to support countries to identify priority interventions-based on their national context
- Develop guidance, to promote policy coherence for NCDs and risk factors among all relevant government sectors and involving relevant stakeholders by establishing or strengthening national governance mechanisms that can guide integrated, coordinated, coherent NCD responses
- Develop guidance to support Member States in making informed decisions on pursuing meaningful multi-stakeholder collaboration, including with the private sector and civil societies, that aligns with and further advances national NCD responses
- The WHO Innovation Scaling Framework will help to scale up NCD prevention and control through harnessing research, innovation, and digital solutions.
- Develop guidance for meaningful engagement of people living with NCD (PLWNCD) and mental health conditions to support WHO and Member States in the co-development and co-design of NCD principles, policies, programmes, and services
Annex 1: Action required by EB150

The Executive Board is invited to request the Secretariat to conclude the work on the development of an implementation roadmap 2023–2030 (for the global action plan for the prevention and control of NCDs diseases 2013–2030) in conjunction with the planned development of a draft update to the updated appendix 3 of WHO’s global action plan for the prevention and control of noncommunicable diseases 2013–2030, in consultation with Member States and taking into account the views of other stakeholders, before the end of 2022, for consideration by the EB and WHA in 2023.
Annex 2: Structure

Challenges and opportunities

Setting five diabetes coverage targets for 2030

- 80% of people with diabetes are diagnosed.
- 80% of people with diagnosed diabetes have good control of glycaemia.
- 80% of people with diagnosed diabetes have good control of blood pressure.
- 60% of people with diabetes of 40 years or older receive statins.
- 100% of people with type 1 diabetes have access to affordable insulin treatment and blood glucose self-monitoring

Recommendations for strengthening and monitoring diabetes responses

- Recommended actions for Member States
- Recommended actions for international partners, including the private sector
- Recommended actions for WHO
Annex 2: Draft recommendations to strengthen and monitor diabetes responses within national NCD programmes, including global coverage targets

Annex 2: Recommendations

Recommended actions for Member States

• Strengthen national capacity, leadership, governance, multisectoral action and partnerships to accelerate country response for the prevention and control of diabetes
• Reduce modifiable risk factors for diabetes and underlying social determinants
• Strengthen and orient health systems to address the prevention and control of diabetes through people-centered primary health care and universal health coverage
• Promote and support national capacity for high-quality research, innovation and development for the prevention and control of diabetes
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The Executive Board is invited to adopt the recommendations for Member States, international partners, and WHO, as well as the five global diabetes coverage targets and recommend their endorsement at the 75th World Health Assembly.
### Annex 3: Structure

#### Background and global overview of oral health

#### Vision

- Universal health coverage for oral health for all individuals and communities by 2030

#### Goal: Guide Member States to

- Develop ambitious national responses to promote oral health;
- Reduce oral diseases, other oral conditions and oral health inequalities;
- Strengthen efforts to address oral diseases and conditions as part of universal health coverage; and
- Consider the development of targets and indicators, based on national and subnational contexts, building on the guidance to be provided by the WHO global action plan on oral health, to prioritize efforts and assess the progress made by 2030

#### Guiding principles

- A public health approach to oral health
- Integration of oral health in primary health care
- Innovative workforce models to respond to population needs for oral health
- People-centred oral health care
- Tailored oral health interventions across the life course
- Optimizing digital technologies for oral health

#### Role of WHO, Member States and partners

- WHO
- Member States
- International partners
- Civil society
- Private sector
Annex 3: Draft global strategy on oral health

Annex 3: Strategic objectives

1. **Strategic Objective 1: Oral Health Governance** - Improve political and resource commitment to oral health, strengthen leadership and create win-win partnerships within and outside of the health sector.

2. **Strategic Objective 2: Oral Health Promotion and Oral Disease Prevention** - Enable all people to achieve the best possible oral health, and address the social and commercial determinants and risk factors of oral diseases and conditions.

3. **Strategic Objective 3: Health Workforce** - Develop innovative workforce models and revise and expand competency-based education to respond to population oral health needs.

4. **Strategic Objective 4: Oral Health Care** - Integrate essential oral health care and ensure related financial protection and essential supplies in primary health care.

5. **Strategic Objective 5: Oral Health Information Systems** - Enhance surveillance and information systems to provide timely and relevant feedback on oral health to decision-makers for evidence-based policy-making.

6. **Strategic Objective 6: Oral Health Research Agendas** - Create and continuously update context and needs-specific research focused on public health aspects of oral health.
**BACKGROUND**

**VISION and GOAL**

The vision of this strategy is universal health coverage for oral health for all individuals and communities by 2030, enabling them to enjoy the highest attainable state of oral health and contributing to healthy and productive lives.

The goal of the strategy is to guide Member States to (a) develop ambitious national responses to promote oral health; (b) reduce oral diseases, other oral conditions and oral health inequalities; (c) strengthen efforts to address oral diseases and conditions as part of universal health coverage; and (d) consider the development of targets and indicators, based on national and subnational contexts, building on the guidance to be provided by the WHO global action plan on oral health, to prioritize efforts and assess the progress made by 2030.

**GLOBAL OVERVIEW OF ORAL HEALTH**

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**ROLE OF WHO, MEMBER STATES, AND PARTNERS**
Outline & key elements of the draft global strategy on oral health

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**SO 5: Oral Health Information Systems** - Enhance surveillance and information systems to provide timely and relevant feedback on oral health to decision-makers for evidence-based policy-making

**SO 6: Oral Health Research Agenda** - Create and continuously update context and needs-specific research focused on public health aspects of oral health
The Executive Board is invited to adopt the global strategy on oral health and recommend its endorsement at the 75th World Health Assembly.
Annex 4: Structure

- The world is not on track to achieve SDG target 3.4 on NCDs
- The COVID-19 pandemic: A persisting deadly interplay with the NCD epidemic
- From COVID-19 to an all-hazards emergency preparedness and response approach for NCDs
- Recommendations (COVID-19 related, and beyond COVID-19 (all hazards))
  - Member States
  - International humanitarian partners, civil society and the private sector
  - WHO
Annex 4: Recommendations

**Recommended actions for Member States – COVID-19 related**

- Integrate and strengthen policies, programmes and services to treat people living with NCDs and prevent and control their risk factors into Country COVID-19 response and recovery plans, in line with the UN Comprehensive Plans.
- Collect and use data to assess the impact of COVID-19 on PLWNCDs and monitor the impact of the pandemic on NCD services disruption, morbidity and mortality.
- Maintain, restore and scale up prevention, early diagnosis and care for people living with or at high risk of NCDs as soon as feasible, and ensure that they are protected from exposure to COVID-19 and considered in health and social protection.
- Mobilize and use COVID-19 and other emergency funding to support the provision and continuity of essential services, ensuring access to essential, safe, affordable, quality and effective NCD medicines and supplies including, for the prevention and control of NCDs and their modifiable risk factors.
- Ensure the meaningful engagement of civil society, health professionals and people living with NCDs in the planning, implementation and evaluation of national COVID-19 preparedness and response plans.
- Prioritize PLWNCDs in national deployment and vaccination roll-outs for COVID-19 vaccines
- Raise awareness about the links between COVID-19 and NCDs, how PLWNCDs can protect themselves, their families and communities from COVID-19, and how they can access and maintain safe continuity of care for their condition

**Recommended actions for Member States – All hazards**

- Work towards achieving strong and resilient health systems with universal health coverage and primary health care, as an essential foundation for effective preparedness and response to public health emergencies
Annex 4: Recommendations

**Recommended actions for International, humanitarian partners, civil society and the private sector**

- Advocate for the inclusion of programmes and services for the prevention and control of NCDs and their modifiable risk factors as part of an all hazards multisectoral approach to health emergency preparedness and responses, including in current COVID-19 Country Strategic Preparedness and Responses Plans.
- Strengthen partnerships, global coordination and cooperation between UN agencies, humanitarian organizations, civil society, PLWNCDs and the private sector to support all countries, upon their request, in implementing their multisectoral national action plans, for strengthening their health systems response to health emergencies, including for maintaining the safe provision NCD services during them.
- Support the development, implementation and continuity of a prioritized essential NCD health package to be guaranteed in health emergencies, at various levels of care, considering national and subnational humanitarian and health system contexts.
- Support countries in building their public health and workforce capacity for integrated care in humanitarian settings, with strengthened capabilities to work across NCDs and other diseases/conditions.
- Support countries to strengthen investment in research, evidence generation, enhanced guidelines, evaluation and monitoring to support contextual implementation and ensure quality and accountability.
- Support countries in the procurement and deployment of essential, safe, affordable, quality and effective NCD medicines and supplies, including WHO standard NCD kits or other essential bulk items, with appropriate consideration for cold chain sensitive medicines like insulin.
- Promote and support research on NCD in humanitarian settings.
- Support and advocate for PLWNCDs to be meaningfully consulted and engaged in the design, implementation and evaluation of NCD policies, programmes and services in humanitarian settings.
Annex 4: Recommendations

Recommended actions for WHO

• Review current WHO NCD related response in countries in emergencies and suggest a strategic approach on how to improve WHO technical assistance to countries across preparedness, response and recovery, leveraging crises as an entry-point to build health systems back better through development of sustainable NCD services.

• Strengthen collaboration and communication across WHO, including with the Global Health Cluster and other humanitarian partners such as the Interagency Group on NCD in Humanitarian Settings, to enhance WHO leadership and normative function and better assist countries in emergencies.

• In collaboration with WHO Emergency Health Programme, the Global Health Cluster and other humanitarian and academic partners, develop a prioritized essential NCD health package to be guaranteed in health emergencies, at various levels of care, considering national humanitarian and health system contexts, drawing on WHO UHC Compendium.

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• Support countries in building their public health and workforce capacity for integrated care in humanitarian settings, with strengthened capabilities to work across NCDs and other diseases/conditions.

• Strengthen WHO’s normative role, and technical capacity to develop and disseminate normative products, technical guidance, tools, data and scientific evidence to support countries, in developing and implementing national response plans to health emergencies, with necessary provision to treat PLWNCDs and to prevent and control their risk factors in humanitarian emergencies.

• To further advocate with donors the prioritization of building bridges with a view to prioritizing NCDs in humanitarian emergencies across the health, development and peace-building sectors.

• Strengthen global, regional and country preparedness and response capabilities and capacities for health emergencies by enhancing meaningful engagement of PLWNCD in the planning, implementation and evaluation of national preparedness and response plans.

• Engage WHO NCD Technical Advisory Groups and other academic partners to shape the research agenda, document country experiences as to inform policies to strengthen NCD emergency preparedness and responses.
Annex 4: Action required by EB150

The Executive Board is invited to adopt the recommendations and recommend their endorsement at the 75th World Health Assembly.
Annex 6: Structure

NCDs: Where are we today?

- 34 countries have implemented 10 or more of the commitments made on the prevention and control of NCDs at the United Nations General Assembly while 66 have implemented fewer than 5, including 4 that have implemented none;
- No countries are on track to achieve all the nine voluntary global targets for 2025 set by the World Health Assembly in 2013 against a baseline in 2010;
- 14 countries are on track to achieve the global SDG target 3.4.1 for 2030 set by the United Nations General Assembly in 2015 against a 2015 baseline

The global burden of NCDs and risk factors during the past 20 years

National capacity for NCD prevention and control

COVID-19 and NCDs
Annex 6: Progress achieved in the prevention and control of noncommunicable diseases and mental health

Trends in global deaths (in millions) from NCDs during the last two decades

- > 70 years of age
  - 2000: 16.8
  - 2010: 19.9
  - 2015: 21.8
  - 2019: 23.8

- 30-70 years of age
  - 2000: 12.7
  - 2010: 13.7
  - 2015: 14.7
  - 2019: 15.7

- <30 years of age
  - 2000: 1.7
  - 2010: 1.5
  - 2015: 1.4
  - 2019: 1.4
Annex 6: Action required by EB150

EB150 is invited to note the Annex 6, including its component on the prevention and control of NCDs
Update on Annex 6

- Dr Rüdiger Krech, Director, Health Promotion Department, WHO

Progress achieved in the **prevention of noncommunicable diseases**
Update on Annexes 6 to 8:

- Dr Dèvora Kestel, Director, Department for Mental Health and Substance Use, WHO

6  Progress achieved in the prevention and control of noncommunicable diseases and the promotion of mental health
7  Draft intersectoral global action plan on epilepsy and other neurological disorders in support of universal health coverage
8  Draft action plan (2022–2030) to effectively implement the global strategy to reduce the harmful use of alcohol as a public health priority
Summary of mental health component of Annex 6 in report to EB150.

Report documents progress on implementing Comprehensive Mental Health Action Plan 2013-2030

1. Updated data on progress of implementation, based on Mental Health Atlas 2020 (just released!)

2. WHO Secretariat activities in response to COVID-19 (as requested in relevant EB148 decision)

3. Updates on:
   • Special Initiative for Mental Health and country support
   • Key leadership activities and products by the Department
   • (announcing) a World Mental Health Report in 2022
Annex 6: Progress in mental health

- The global situation for mental health remains challenging
- Close to 1 billion people experienced a mental disorder in 2019
- More than 1 of every 100 deaths is due to suicide
- US$ 1 trillion is lost in economic productivity annually to depression and anxiety alone
Annex 6: Progress in mental health

• Global Burden of Disease (GBD) 2020 data indicate significant impacts of COVID-19:
  o Increase of anxiety disorders by 25.6% since 2019 (76.2 million new cases)
  o Increase of depression by 27.6% since 2019 (53.2 million new cases)
  o Women and young people more affected

• Mental health services were most frequently disrupted essential health service reported by Member States
171 (88%) of Member States completed the Mental Health Atlas 2020 Questionnaire

Just over 2% of spending on health is for mental health, 66% of which goes to psychiatric hospitals

Only 25% of Member states report the integration of mental health in primary health care

Progress on aligning MH policies, plans and legislation with human rights instruments remains limited
Annex 6: Progress in mental health

Opportunities

• With COVID-19, interest in mental health is higher than ever before

• A wide range of resources, tools and materials (incl. for COVID-19) have been developed and disseminated

• 90% of Member States report mental health integration in COVID-19 response plans

• The Special Initiative for Mental Health progressed to 8 countries in 2021

• Many regional mental health initiatives are underway, including development or updating of regional strategies and plans

• As requested by EB148, WHO’s capacity for emergency mental health is being strengthened (through courses for WHE and other staff)
Annex 6: Progress in mental health

Actions required by the EB150

EB150 is invited to note the Annex 6, including its component of mental health

Dévora Kestel
kesteld@who.int
Annex 7: Draft Intersectoral Global Action Plan on Epilepsy and other Neurological Disorders

**BURDEN AND CHALLENGES**

In adults, neurological disorders are the **leading cause of disability-adjusted-life-years** and the **second leading cause of death (9 million deaths per year)**.

The largest contributors of global neurological DALYs in 2016:

1. Stroke (42.2%)
2. Migraine (16.3%)
3. Dementia (10.4%)
4. Meningitis (7.9%)
5. Epilepsy (5%)

**RESOURCES AND GAPS**

Access to services and support including essential cost-effective medicines for neurological disorders is insufficient, esp. in **low- and middle-income countries**

- Only 1 in 10 people with **dementia** receive a diagnosis in LMICs
- Only 1 in 4 people with **epilepsy** receive treatment in LIC

There is shortage of workforce and distribution of the **neurological workforce** is grossly uneven: 7.1/100K population in HIC; 0.1/100K population in LIC

Lack of knowledge, stigmatization and discrimination hinder presentation to health care facilities for initial or follow-up assessments and adherence to medications
Annex 7: Draft Intersectoral Global Action Plan on Epilepsy and other Neurological Disorders

Vision of a world in which...

- brain health is valued, promoted and protected across the life course;
- neurological disorders are prevented, diagnosed and treated, and premature mortality and morbidity are avoided;
- people affected by neurological disorders and their carers attain the highest possible level of health with equal rights, opportunities, respect and autonomy.

Guiding principles

- People-centered PHC & UHC
- Integrated approach to care across the life course
- Evidence-informed policy and practice
- Intersectoral action
- Empowerment and involvement of persons with neurological disorders and their carers
- Gender, equity and human rights

Goals

- to reduce the stigma, impact and burden of neurological disorders, including associated mortality, morbidity and disability, and to improve the quality of life of people with neurological disorders, their carers and families, and
- strengthen the prevention, treatment and care of epilepsy and other neurological disorders, wherever possible, utilizing entry points and synergies to achieve the best results for all.
### Annex 7: Draft Intersectoral Global Action Plan on Epilepsy and other Neurological Disorders

#### Strategic Objectives and Action Areas

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- Policy, plans and legislation
- Financing |
| 3. Promotion and prevention        | - Care pathways
- Medicines, diagnostics and other health products
- Health workers’ capacity, training and support
- Carer support |
| 4. Research, innovation and information systems | - Promoting healthy behaviour across the life course
- Infectious disease control
- Preventing head/spinal trauma
- Reducing environmental risks
- Promotion of optimal brain development in children and adolescents |
| 5. Public health approach to epilepsy | - Investment in research
- Data and information systems |
- Access to services for epilepsy
- Engagement and support for people with epilepsy
- Epilepsy as an entry point |
### Global targets

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Actions required by the EB150

(OP1) ENDORSES the Intersectoral global action plan on epilepsy and other neurological disorders 2022–2031;

(OP2) URGES Member States to develop national responses to the overall implementation of the Intersectoral global action plan on epilepsy and other neurological disorders 2022–2031;

(OP3) REQUESTS the Director-General to submit a report on progress made in implementing this decision to the World Health Assembly in 2025, 2028 and 2031.
Annex 8: Action plan (2022-2030) to effectively implement the Global strategy to reduce the harmful use of alcohol

Process of consultations on the first and second drafts of an action plan (2022-2030) to effectively implement the Global strategy to reduce the harmful use of alcohol

- **27 July - 3 (10) September 2021**: Web-based consultation on the first draft of the action plan open to Member States, UN organizations and other intergovernmental organizations, and non-State actors
- **31 August 2021**: Informal consultation with Member States on the first draft
- **10th - 4th October 2021**: Development of the second draft of the action plan
- **8 October 2021**: Informal consultation with MS on the second draft with extension of a deadline for submission until **18th October 2021**.
Annex 8: Action plan (2022-2030) to effectively implement the Global strategy to reduce the harmful use of alcohol

Annex 8: Structure of the document

- **Introductory information** with the latest WHO estimates of alcohol consumption and alcohol-attributable disease burden with trends observed since 2010 (endorsement of the Global strategy) till 2016-2019
- **M mandate** provided by the Executive Board Decision 146(14) for development of an action plan (2022-2030) to effectively implement the Global strategy to reduce the harmful use of alcohol
- **Process** of development of an action plan
- **Appendix 1**: Draft of an action plan (2022-2030) to effectively implement the Global strategy to reduce the harmful use of alcohol
Annex 8: Structure of Appendix 1 (= the action plan itself)

- **Background**
- **Scope**
- **Goal**
- **Operational objectives and principles**
  - Implementation of high-impact strategies and interventions
  - Advocacy, awareness and commitment
  - Partnership, dialogue and coordination
  - Technical support and capacity building
  - Knowledge production and information systems
  - Resource mobilization
- **Key areas for global action with targets**
- **Targets, indicators and milestones for achieving global targets**
Annex 8: Action required by EB150

The Executive Board is invited to consider the draft action plan to effectively implement the global strategy to reduce the harmful use of alcohol and recommend its endorsement at the 75th World Health Assembly.
Update on Annex 9:

- Dr Francesco Branca, Director, Department for Nutrition and Food Safety, WHO

Draft recommendations for the prevention and management of **obesity** over the life course, including potential targets
Annex 9: Draft recommendations for the prevention and management of obesity over the life course, including potential targets

Comments from informal consultation with Member States, non-State actors and web-based consultation

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<td>Address the social and economic environments and behaviours related to obesity and facilitate prevention.</td>
<td>Reviewed language on education and counselling, and facilitating access to and availability of healthy diets and environments supporting physical activity</td>
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<td>Address needs of vulnerable populations</td>
<td>Stressed the specific need of vulnerable population throughout the paper and emphasized importance of social protection programs</td>
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<td>BMI as an imperfect marker of obesity that does not address individual and ethnic variations.</td>
<td>BMI maintained as a population indicator. Complementary indicators for risk assessment considered in obesity management</td>
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<td>Ned for additional data on the impact of interventions on obesity reduction</td>
<td>WHO is working on impact modelling studies for individual and aggregated obesity prevention and management interventions</td>
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- Need of more emphasis on
  - primary prevention
  - maternal health and breastfeeding in determining childhood health
  - linkages between early stunted linear growth and increased risk for NCDs morbidity later in life
  - environmental determinants of obesity
  - mental health and disability as an important co-condition of obesity
  - family-focused management
  - interventions in high-risk populations
  - relationship with food industry

All those issues were better clarified and explained throughout the paper.
### Comments from informal consultation with Member States, non-State actors and web-based consultation

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<td>More emphasis on agricultural and food policies to enable production and availability of healthy food and concomitantly limiting production and availability of unhealthy food and beverages. This also include the need for control of food marketing through a government-led mandatory legislative response</td>
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<td>Market regulation should include breastmilk substitutes and toddler milks and marketing control should be through a government-led mandatory legislative response</td>
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<td>Include increasing the availability of healthy food in school</td>
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<td>Increasing the coverage of primary health care services that include the diagnosis and management of obesity in children and adolescents.</td>
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<td>Increasing the adoption of regulations to control marketing of foods and non-alcoholic beverages</td>
<td>Included: Increasing the adoption of regulations to control marketing of foods and non-alcoholic beverages to which children are exposed. Indicator collected through the Global Nutrition Policy Review and NCD Country Capacity Survey. Baseline: 47 countries (Global database on the Implementation of Nutrition Action).</td>
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Annex 9: Action required by EB150

- The Executive Board is invited to adopt the recommendations for governments, other societal actors and WHO (paragraphs 18 to 47), as well as the proposed targets (paragraphs 48 to 51) and recommend their endorsement at the 75th World Health Assembly.
Update on Annex 10:

- Dr Svetlana Akselrod, Director, Global NCD Platform, WHO

Draft workplan for the global coordination mechanism on the prevention and control of noncommunicable diseases
Elements of the draft GCM/NCD Workplan 2022-2025

- Vision
- Theory of Change
- Logic Model
- Workplan and process indicators
GCM/NCD Collaborative Approach

Mobilizing the global/regional/national/subnational public NCD-related community for strengthened national capacity, leadership, governance, multisectoral action and partnerships to accelerate country response for the prevention and control of NCDs

Key Elements:

1. **WHO 3 Levels**
   - Integral part of WHO’s NCD Programme

2. **Member States**
   - Focus on impact in countries and country support
   - Supporting Member States drive multisectoral and multistakeholder collaboration and action at the country level

3. **GCM/NCD Participants, NSAs and PLWNCDS**
   - Inclusive, Participatory and Rights-based
Annex 10: Draft workplan for the global coordination mechanism on the prevention and control of noncommunicable diseases

GCM/NCD Workplan Supporting Countries

The role of the GCM/NCD across 4 of the 5 WHO Country-support functions

- Institutional building
  - Assists in partnership-building both at national and local levels; assists in convening partners; supporting organizational development/change

- Capacity building
  - Building technical capabilities for effective national multisectoral and multistakeholder responses;

- Technical assistance
  - Assists in implementation and dissemination of evidence-based interventions, best practices; supports innovation scale-up technical advice, technology transfer, assist in developing/adopting norms and standards;

- Policy
  - Assists in policy dialogue, policy reviews; assists in advocating for policies within governments (national or local)

Reference: WHO Department on Planning, Resource Coordination and Performance Monitoring
**GCM/NCD Theory of Change**

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Annex 10: Draft workplan for the global coordination mechanism on the prevention and control of noncommunicable diseases

Five priority areas provided to the GCM/NCD by the Member-States through Decision WHA74(11)

❖ an operational backbone for knowledge collaboration and the dissemination of innovative multistakeholder responses at country level, by raising awareness and promoting knowledge collaboration among Member States and non-State actors and by co-creating, enhancing and disseminating evidence-based information to support governments on effective multisectoral and multistakeholder approaches;

❖ an enabler for the global stocktaking of multistakeholder action at country level and for co-designing and scaling up innovative approaches, solutions or initiatives to strengthen effective multisectoral and multistakeholder action;

❖ providing and updating guidance to Member States on engagement with non-State actors, including on the prevention and management of potential risks;

❖ a global facilitator for the strengthened capacity of Member States and civil society to develop national multistakeholder responses for the prevention and control of noncommunicable diseases;

❖ a convener of civil society, including people living with noncommunicable diseases, to raise awareness and build capacity for their meaningful participation in national noncommunicable diseases responses
Structure of draft GCM/NCD Workplan 2022-2025

GCM/NCD Priority Area 1 to 5

ACTION 1.1

Activity 1.1.1
- Expected Outcome
- Performance measures

Activity 1.1.2
- Expected Outcome
- Performance measures

ACTION 1.2

Activity 1.2.1
- Expected Outcome
- Performance measures

Activity 1.2.2
- Expected Outcome
- Performance measures

Note: Please consult the workplan document for more details (activities, expected outcomes, performance indicators)
Annex 10: Action required by EB150

The Executive Board is invited to request the 75th World Health Assembly to take note of the work plan.
Thank you