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Provisional agenda item 3

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME OF WORK

(Time: GMT/UTC+2)

DAY 5: Friday, 1 September 2023

09:00 – 09:30  Agenda Item 18  Information documents

Pillar 1: One billion more people benefitting from universal health coverage

Agenda item 18.1  Progress report on Research for health: a strategy for the African Region (Document AFR/RC73/INF.DOC/1)

Agenda item 18.2  Progress report on the implementation of the Strategy for scaling up health innovations in the WHO African Region (Document AFR/RC73/INF.DOC/2)

Agenda item 18.3  Progress report on Utilizing eHealth solutions to improve national health systems in the African Region (Document AFR/RC73/INF.DOC/3)

Agenda Item 18.4  Final report on the implementation of the health promotion strategy for the African Region (Document AFR/RC73/INF.DOC/4)

Agenda item 18.5  Final report on addressing the challenge of women’s health in Africa: report of the Commission on Women’s Health in the African Region (Document AFR/RC73/INF.DOC/5)
09:30 – 10:00  **Agenda Item 18 (contd) Information documents**

**Pillar 3: One billion more people enjoying better health and well-being**

**Agenda item 18.6**  Progress report on the Framework for the implementation of the Global action plan for physical activity, 2018–2030 in the WHO African Region (Document AFR/RC73/INF.DOC/6)

**Agenda item 18.7**  Progress report on the implementation of the Decade of action for road safety in the African Region (Document AFR/RC73/INF.DOC/7)

**Agenda item 18.8**  Progress report on the implementation of the Strategic plan to reduce the double burden of malnutrition in the African Region (2019–2025) (Document AFR/RC73/INF.DOC/8)

**Pillar 4: More effective and efficient WHO providing better support to countries**

**Agenda item 18.9**  Report on WHO staff in the African Region (Document AFR/RC73/INF.DOC/9)

**Agenda item 18.10**  Regional matters arising from reports of the WHO internal and external audits (Document AFR/RC73/INF.DOC/10)

10:00 – 10:30  **Agenda item 17**  Draft provisional agenda, place, and dates of the Seventy-fourth session of the Regional Committee (Document AFR/RC73/13)

10:30–11:00  **Agenda item 20**  Closure of the Seventy-third session of the Regional Committee

11:00–11:30  **Health break**

11:30–12:30  **Side event 9**  *Health Development Partnership for Africa and the Caribbean (HeDPAC)*

12:30–14:00  **Lunch break**

14:00  *The Botswana experience.*