

Regional Committee for Africa**Original: English**Seventy-fifth sessionLusaka, Zambia, 25–27 August 2025Provisional agenda item 3**Provisional agenda**

1. Opening of the meeting
2. Election of the Chairperson, the Vice-Chairpersons and the Rapporteurs
3. Adoption of the provisional agenda and provisional programme of work
4. Appointment of Members of the Committee on Credentials
5. Statement of the Chairperson of the Programme Subcommittee
6. Annual report of the Regional Director on the work of WHO in the African Region

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7. Regional framework for accelerating implementation of the global oral health action plan: addressing oral diseases as part of noncommunicable diseases toward universal health coverage and health for all by 2030
8. Accelerating progress in the health and well-being of women, children and adolescents by transforming health systems in the African Region
9. Regional strategy to strengthen rehabilitation in health systems, 2025–2035
10. Framework to advance universal access to safe, effective and quality-assured blood products in the WHO African Region: 2026–2030
11. Addressing threats and galvanizing collective action to meet the 2030 malaria targets

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12. Status of public health and emergency workforce in Africa
13. Strengthening Africa's health security: enhancing event detection, building resilient systems, and fostering strategic partnerships

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14. Proposed programme budget 2026–2027
15. Draft provisional agenda, place, and dates of the Seventy-sixth session of the Regional Committee

16. Information documents**Pillar 1: One billion more people benefitting from universal health coverage**

- 16.1 Report on the Regional Strategy for expediting the implementation and monitoring of national action plans on antimicrobial resistance, 2023–2030 in the WHO African Region
- 16.2 Progress report on the implementation of the Strategy for scaling up health innovations in the African Region
- 16.3 Mid-term review of PEN-PLUS – A regional strategy to address severe noncommunicable diseases at first-level referral health facilities
- 16.4 Progress report on the Regional oral health strategy 2016–2025: addressing oral diseases as part of noncommunicable diseases
- 16.5 Progress report on the Framework to strengthen the implementation of the comprehensive mental health action plan 2013–2030 in the WHO African Region
- 16.6 Progress report on the Framework for provision of essential health services through strengthened district/local health systems to support UHC in the context of the SDGs
- 16.7 Progress report on the Framework for health systems development towards universal health coverage in the context of the Sustainable Development Goals in the African Region
- 16.8 Progress report on the Regional strategy on regulation of medical products in African Region, 2016–2025
- 16.9 Progress Report on the Regional framework for integrating essential noncommunicable disease services in primary health care

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- 16.10 Progress report on the Framework document for the African Public Health Emergency Fund
- 16.11 Progress report on the Regional framework for the implementation of the Global strategy for cholera prevention and control 2018–2030

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- 16.12 Progress report on the Regional Multisectoral strategy to promote health and well-being, 2023–2030 in the WHO African Region
- 16.13 Progress report on the Regional strategy for community engagement, 2023–2030 in the WHO African Region
- 16.14 Final report on the implementation of the Strategic plan to reduce the double burden of malnutrition in the African Region (2019–2025)

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- 16.15 Progress report on the Framework for integrating country and regional health data in the African Region: Regional Data Hub 2024–2030
- 16.16 Report on WHO staff in the African Region
- 16.17 Regional matters arising from reports of WHO internal and external audits

17. Closure of the Seventy-fifth session of the Regional Committee.