Pandemic Influenza Preparedness (PIP) Framework

Sharing of influenza viruses & access to vaccines and other benefits

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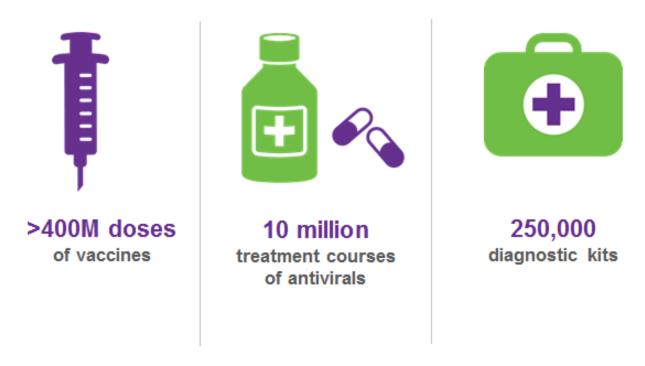
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PIP Framework - Access to Vaccines

→ PIP Framework objectives:

- Rapid, systematic and timely sharing of influenza viruses with pandemic potential with Global Influenza Surveillance and Response System
- Fair and equitable access to vaccines and other pandemic response products by countries in need





WHA 71 & PIP Framework

- → PIP 2016 Review Report: Contains important reflections on Framework scope in light of 2 developments:
 - Increasing use of GSD for vaccine/other product development
 - Entry into force of Nagoya Protocol
- → Review Group (RG) recommends an Analysis:
 - Should scope of PIP Framework be expanded or not to include: Seasonal viruses? GSD in definition of PIP Biological Materials?
- → WHA 70(10) requests DG to, *inter alia*, analyse issues from RG questions, report to WHA71, and to make recommendations on further action.



A71/24 - Report on progress

- → A71/24 provides details on each request in A70(10) and a draft decision (para 20).
- → Draft decision proposes:
 - Full implementation of Review recommendations that fall within Secretariat mandate by WHA72;
 - Submission of comprehensive Analysis <u>draft</u> to WHA72 thru EB144.
 - Submission of <u>final</u> Analysis to WHA73 thru EB146 (unless WHA 72 deems comprehensive draft to be sufficient)
 - Implementation of Partnership Contribution Plan 2018–2023
 - Continued work to conclude SMTA2s
 - Continued engagement with CBD Secretariat and other IOs
 - Implementation of external auditor recommendations
 - Report to WHA72 through EB144.



What is at stake

- → A71/24 Report, proposals for future actions and draft decision are straightforward.
- → Subject matter of Analysis has implications which will be considered by WHA 72
 - Analysis will address opportunities and challenges of pursuing or not pursing changes to the scope of the Framework
 - Analysis will reflect broad input from Member States and relevant stakeholders, notably PIP Advisory Group and GISRS.

