

The Republic of Korea fully supports the report on the “global roadmap on defeating meningitis by 2030”, which emphasizes close cooperation among regions and countries in eradicating this disease. Additionally, we extend our endorsement to Resolution EB152(8).

Meningitis has been reported not only in developing countries but also in developed countries. So, specific national prevention and treatment plans are necessary. Research on enhancing existing interventions has to continue, and addressing meningitis as a priority of the WHO agenda is important. We are pleased with the inclusion of these elements in the roadmap.

The Republic of Korea endorses and is committed to the Resolution on the ‘global roadmap on defeating meningitis by 2030’.

Thank you.