

Committees of the Executive Board: filling of vacancies

Proposals by the Chair

1. This document contains the Chair's proposals (**shown in bold**) for vacancies to be filled on the following committees of the Executive Board: the Programme, Budget and Administration Committee; and the Foundation Committees and Selection Panels. The Board will also select members to represent it at the Eightieth World Health Assembly in 2027.

Programme, Budget and Administration Committee

2. The Programme, Budget and Administration Committee consists of 14 members, namely: two from each region from among Board members plus the Chair and a Vice-Chair of the Executive Board, ex officio.

Member	Selection criterion
Dr Artur Correia (Cabo Verde)	African Region
Dr Aspect J.V. Maunganidze (Zimbabwe)	African Region
Dr Elmer Roberto Bonilla Espinoza (El Salvador)	Region of the Americas
Dr Yelkis Gill (Panama)	Region of the Americas
Mr Tandin Dendup (Bhutan)	South-East Asia Region
Ms Yeshoda Aryal (Nepal)	South-East Asia Region
Ms Mónica García Gómez (Spain)	European Region
Mr Irakli Sasania (Georgia)	European Region
Dr Abdulrahman Alqashaan (Kuwait)	Eastern Mediterranean Region
Professor Mohamed Hassany (Egypt)	Eastern Mediterranean Region
Mr Yong Feng (China)	Western Pacific Region
Dr Yasuhiro Suzuki (Japan)	Western Pacific Region
—	Chair of Executive Board (ex officio)
—	Vice-Chair of Executive Board (ex officio)

Foundation Committees and Selection Panels

Award	Foundation Committee/Selection Panel	Executive Board member
Léon Bernard Foundation Prize ¹	Chair of the Executive Board; Vice-Chairs of the Executive Board; member of the Executive Board	–
Ihsan Doğramacı Family Health Foundation Prize	Chair of the Executive Board; Chair of the Board of Trustees of Bilkent University, Türkiye, or the Chair's appointee; a representative of the International Children's Center, Ankara	–
Sasakawa Health Prize	Chair of the Executive Board; member of the Executive Board; representative of the Founder	Dr Yasuhiro Suzuki (Japan)
United Arab Emirates Health Foundation Prize	Chair of the Executive Board; member of the Executive Board from a Member State of the Eastern Mediterranean Region; representative of the Founder	Mr Fahad Abdurrahman Aljalajel (Saudi Arabia)
The State of Kuwait Health Promotion Foundation's – His Highness Sheikh Sabah Al-Ahmad Al-Jaber Al-Sabah Prize for the Promotion of Healthy Ageing	Chair of the Executive Board; member of the Executive Board from a Member State of the Eastern Mediterranean Region; representative of the Founder	Dr Rakan Nassereldine (Lebanon)
Dr LEE Jong-wook Memorial Prize for Public Health	Chair of the Executive Board; member of the Executive Board; representative of the Founder	Mrs Katarzyna Drązek-Laskowska (Poland)
Nelson Mandela Award for Health Promotion	Chair and the first Vice-Chair of the Executive Board; member of the Executive Board from a Member State of the African Region	Dr Aspect J.V. Maunganidze (Zimbabwe)

¹ The Léon Bernard Foundation Prize has been inactive since 2007 owing to the unavailability of funds.