
Geneva, 14 and 15 April 2026

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25 March 2026

Provisional agenda (annotated)

1. Opening of the meeting

2. Adoption of the agenda

- The Standing Committee will be invited to consider the agenda.

3. Update on the ongoing public health emergencies of international concern

- The Secretariat will provide a briefing on the current public health emergency of international concern on the international spread of poliovirus and the challenges faced in responding to it.
- Discussion.

4. Strengthening and oversight of the WHO Health Emergencies Programme

(a) Update on strengthening health emergency prevention, preparedness, response and resilience

(b) Update on the response to major ongoing health emergencies

- The Secretariat will update the Committee on WHO's work in health emergencies, including recommendations on health conditions in the occupied Palestinian territory, including east Jerusalem (pursuant to decision WHA78(16) (2025)).

- Discussion.

5. Report of the meeting

- The Standing Committee will consider its report of the meeting.

6. Closure of the meeting