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TENTH MEETING OF THE MEMBER STATE MECHANISM ON SUBSTANDARD AND FALSIFIED MEDICAL PRODUCTS
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Draft programme of work

Date and time	Item
Wednesday and **Thursday** **27–28 October** 11:00–14:00 and 15:30–17:00 and **Friday 29 October** 11:00–14:00	**1. Opening of the session** **2. Adoption of the agenda and method of work** • The Member States will be invited to adopt the agenda, agree to the method of work and review the programme of work (documents A/MSM/10/1 and A/MSM/10/2). **3. Update by the Secretariat on the activities and budget to implement the workplan of the Member State mechanism** • The Secretariat will deliver a presentation to be followed by a discussion (document A/MSM/10/3). **4. Update on the list of prioritized activities for 2020–2021** • The Secretariat and activity leads will provide updates on the prioritized activities as indicated below (documents A/MSM/10/4 and A/MSM/10/5). (a) Develop and promote training material and guidance documents to strengthen the capacity of national/regional regulatory authorities for the prevention and detection of and response to substandard and falsified medical products (b) Expand and maintain the Global Focal Point Network among national medicines regulatory authorities to facilitate cooperation and collaboration (c) Improve Member States' understanding of detection technologies, methodologies and "track and trace" models (d) Increase Member States' knowledge of the links between substandard and falsified medical products and access to quality, safe, efficacious and affordable medical products (e) Develop and leverage existing activity for effective risk communication and make recommendations for awareness campaigns on substandard and falsified medical products (f) Enhance Member States' capacity to expand awareness, effectiveness, impact and outreach in their work on substandard and falsified medical products

	(g) Promote shared understanding among Member States from a public health perspective regarding medical products in transit (document A/MSM/10/8) (h) Identify and develop appropriate strategies to understand and address the distribution or supply of substandard and falsified medical products via the internet (documents A/MSM/10/9 and A/MSM/10/10) **5. WHO's participation in relevant global and regional initiatives** • The Secretariat will provide an update on WHO engagement in relevant global and regional initiatives, highlighting the linkages with the Member State mechanism (presentation to be followed by discussion). **6. Draft list of prioritized activities to implement the workplan of the Member State mechanism for the period 2022–2023** • Member States will be invited to approve the list of prioritized activities for 2022–2023 as recommended by the Steering Committee (document A/MSM/10/6) (presentation to be followed by discussion). **7. Update on governance issues** • Member States will be invited to note the new composition of the Steering Committee, beginning from the closure of the tenth meeting of the Member State mechanism. • Member States will be invited to note the Secretariat report on governance (document A/MSM/10/7) (presentation to be followed by discussion). **8. Proposed dates of the eleventh meeting of the Member State mechanism** • Member States will decide when the eleventh meeting of the mechanism will take place.
Friday 29 October 15:30–17:00	**9. Report of the Member State mechanism** • Member States will be invited to adopt the meeting report. **10. Closure of the meeting**.

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