

14.4 “Implementation of resolution WHA 75.11 (2022)”

Explanation of the vote

Thank you Chair,

Ukraine expresses its gratitude to all Member States that supported the adoption of this decision and stood in solidarity with the Ukrainian people. Your vote is a clear demonstration of the international community’s continued commitment to protecting health care, supporting humanitarian response efforts, and upholding the principles of the UN Charter and international law.

We appreciate the steadfast support of the WHO, its Director-General, and partners in responding to the ongoing health emergency caused by the Russian Federation’s aggression against Ukraine. Today’s decision sends an important message that attacks on health care and medical personnel must not be tolerated and that the health needs of millions of Ukrainians remain a priority for the international community.

Ukraine remains committed to close cooperation with WHO and Member States to ensure continued delivery of emergency medical assistance, recovery of damaged health infrastructure, and strengthening of our healthcare system despite the ongoing challenges posed by Russia’s war of aggression.

Thank you.