

Proposed modalities of engagement for relevant stakeholders

Stakeholder	Invited to attend open sessions of meetings of the INB, and to speak¹ at those open sessions at the co-chairs' request	Invited to attend meetings of INB subgroups², and to speak¹ at those meetings at the subgroup chair's request	Invited to provide inputs to the INB (via an electronic portal, an open "hearing", and/or a segment of a session)³
United Nations and other intergovernmental organizations in effective relations with WHO (Annex A)	Yes	Yes	Yes
Observers (Annex B)	Yes	Yes	Yes
Non-State actors in official relations with WHO (Annex C)	Yes	Yes	Yes
Other stakeholders, as decided by the INB	Yes, for those entities listed in Annex D.	Yes, for those entities listed in Annex D.	Yes, for those entities listed in either Annex D or Annex E.

¹ The speaking time of a stakeholder may be limited by the chair of the meeting, unless otherwise decided by the INB. Written inputs from stakeholders are to be encouraged.

² With the exception of drafting groups, unless otherwise agreed by the INB, per paragraph 20 of the INB's method of work (document A/INB/1/3 Rev.1).

³ Previous intergovernmental working groups have engaged with one or more categories of stakeholders using various modalities, including: (1) inviting stakeholders to observe working group meetings; (2) setting aside time within one or more working group meeting(s) for stakeholders to intervene; (3) holding separate meetings or "hearings", where stakeholders are invited to provide inputs (in some instances, such meetings were followed by closed sessions of the working group to discuss the inputs provided); and (4) extending the opportunity to participate in electronic consultations to stakeholders.

Annex A: United Nations and other intergovernmental organizations in effective relations with WHO

1. United Nations
2. African Development Bank and African Development Fund
3. Commission of the African Union
4. Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
5. Islamic Development Bank
6. International Fund for Agricultural Development
7. International Labour Organization
8. League of Arab States
9. International Organisation of la Francophonie
10. World Organisation for Animal Health
11. International Atomic Energy Agency
12. Pan American Health Organization
13. International Committee of Military Medicine
14. South Centre
15. United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
16. United Nations Industrial Development Organization
17. Universal Postal Union
18. World Intellectual Property Organization
19. World Meteorological Organization

Annex B: Observers

1. Holy See
2. Palestine
3. Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance
4. Order of Malta
5. International Committee of the Red Cross
6. International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies
7. Inter-Parliamentary Union
8. Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria

Annex C: Non-State actors in official relations with WHO

The list of entities in official relations with WHO is available on the WHO website at:

<https://www.who.int/about/collaboration/non-state-actors/non-state-actors-in-official-relations-with-who>

Annex D: Other stakeholders, as decided by the INB, invited to (1) attend open sessions of meetings of the INB, (2) speak at open sessions of meetings of the INB, at the co-chairs' request, and (3) provide inputs to the INB (via an electronic portal, an open "hearing", and/or a segment of a session)

Access to COVID-19 Tools (ACT) Accelerator
International Air Transport Association
International Civil Aviation Organization
International Maritime Organization

International Monetary Fund
International Organization for Migration
International Shipping Federation
Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS
Medicines Patent Pool
Médecins Sans Frontières International
UNITAID
United Nations Children's Fund
United Nations Environment Programme, including the Convention on Biological Diversity
World Bank Group
World Food Programme
World Trade Organization
Other stakeholders, as decided by the INB.

The list may be updated by INB, if so decided

Annex E: Other stakeholders, as decided by the INB, invited to provide inputs to the INB (via an electronic portal, an open “hearing”, and/or a segment of a session)

1. Other United Nations system organizations

Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights
Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women
United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs
United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East
United Nations Research Institute for Social Development

2. Other intergovernmental organizations and arrangements

African Development Bank
Asian Development Bank
Commission of the African Union
Commonwealth Secretariat
Council of Europe
European Bank for Reconstruction and Development
Health Ministers' Council for Gulf Cooperation Council States
Inter-American Development Bank
Organization of American States
Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
Organisation of Islamic Cooperation

3. Other entities and persons

To be decided by the INB. Such entities could include, without limitation, academic institutions, civil society organizations, indigenous populations and communities, manufacturers and industry associations, and individual experts (such as academic figures or independent technical experts).

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