

Global health sector strategies on, respectively, HIV, viral hepatitis and sexually transmitted infections for the period 2022-2030

Key stages of the 2022 – 2030 strategies' development process

- Throughout 2021, Member States, experts, communities, partners and other stakeholders worked with WHO to define the key priorities and strategic shifts required to achieve the goals of ending these diseases as public health threats by 2030.
- In **October 2020** the WHO Strategic and Technical Advisory Committee on HIV and Viral Hepatitis (STAC-HIVHEP) reflected on an analysis of progress and gaps at the end of the 2016–2021 strategies' implementation period to develop a proposed approach to the next series of strategies ([Meeting report and recommendations](#)).
- A series of virtual consultations was held from **May to July 2021** in all WHO regions (reports from WHO regions of [Africa](#), [America](#), [Europe](#), [Eastern Mediterranean](#), [South-East Asia](#), and [Western Pacific](#)).
- An online survey was conducted from **May to August 2021**, alongside a series of stakeholder briefings ([presentation](#)).
- Member States were briefed in advance of the 148th Executive Board and the 74th World Health Assembly and comments raised during the briefings and during discussion of the relevant agenda items informed the draft strategies ([GHSS at WHA74](#); [GHSS at EB148](#)).
- WHO Regional Committees variously considered frameworks to cover the disease areas in question during the 2021 cycle of committees or made plans to reflect on the global health sector strategies in 2022.
- In **September 2021** WHO convened a meeting of the Strategic and Technical Advisory Group on HIV, viral hepatitis and sexually transmitted infections (STAC-HHS) to review the first full draft of the strategies document with a further stage of feedback solicited from Member States during the last quarter of 2021.
- During **October 2021**, Member States provided comments to a full initial draft of the strategies using an online document review platform.

- The Executive Board considered a **20 December 2021** draft of the strategies at its meeting in January 2022. The Executive Board agreed to a further period of informal consultations to support the finalization of the strategies prior to their consideration for adoption at the World Health Assembly.
- Member States were invited by the WHO Secretariat to provide further written input by **11 February 2022** on the December 2021 draft version of the strategies and bilateral meetings were held with several Member States to discuss concerns raised during the Executive Board about terminology in the December 2021 draft. An updated version was shared on **24 February 2022**.
- Informal consultations were held globally on **7 March 2022** (to review 24 February 2022 draft version) and **7 April 2022** (to review 7 March 2021 draft version) and in the Eastern Mediterranean Region on 21 April 2022. Bilateral meetings also continued throughout March and April.
- In **May 2022** the [final draft of the Global Health Sector Strategies \(GHSS\)](#) on HIV, viral hepatitis and sexually transmitted infections for the period 2022-2030 was presented for consideration of Member States at the 75th World Health Assembly.
- The **Seventy-Fifth World Health Assembly** noted with appreciation the new [Global Health Sector Strategies for HIV, viral hepatitis and sexually transmitted infections for the period 2022-2030](#) and approved its implementation for the next eight years.

Timeline

