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PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening of the meeting
2. Election of the Chairperson, the Vice Chairpersons and the Rapporteurs
3. Adoption of the provisional agenda and provisional annotated programme of work (Documents [AFR/RC71/1](#) and [AFR/RC71/1 Add.1](#))
4. Appointment of the Committee on Credentials
5. Statement of the Chairperson of the Programme Subcommittee (Document [AFR/RC71/2](#))
6. Annual Report of the Regional Director on the work of WHO in the African Region (Document [AFR/RC71/3](#))
7. **(Matters of global concern related to World Health Assembly decisions and resolutions)**
8. Sixth progress report on the implementation of the Transformation Agenda of the WHO Secretariat in the African Region (Document [AFR/RC71/4](#))
9. WHO Programme Budget 2022–23
 - Sustainable financing (Document [AFR/RC71/5](#))
10. Framework for an integrated multisectoral response to TB, HIV, STIs and hepatitis in the WHO African Region (Document [AFR/RC71/6](#))

11. Framework for the implementation of the Immunization Agenda 2030 in the WHO African Region (Document [AFR/RC71/7](#))
12. Framework for the implementation of the Global strategy to defeat meningitis by 2030 in the WHO African Region (Document [AFR/RC71/8](#))
13. Framework for the implementation of the Global strategy to accelerate the elimination of cervical cancer as a public health problem in the WHO African Region (Document [AFR/RC71/9](#))
14. Framework for implementing the Global strategy on digital health in the WHO African Region (Document [AFR/RC71/10](#))
15. Framework for improving access to assistive technology in the WHO African Region (Document [AFR/RC71/11](#))
16. Framework for implementing the priority actions of the global plan of action of the Decade of Healthy Ageing 2021–2030 in the African Region (Document [AFR/RC71/12](#))
17. Framework for strengthening the use of evidence, information and research for policy-making in the African Region (Document [AFR/RC71/13](#))
18. **Information Documents**
 - 18.1 Progress report on the Framework for implementing the Global Technical Strategy for Malaria 2016–2030 in the African Region (Document [AFR/RC71/INF.DOC/1](#))
 - 18.2 Progress towards measles elimination by 2020 (Document [AFR/RC71/INF.DOC/2](#))
 - 18.3 Progress report on the Regional strategy and Strategic plan for Neglected Tropical Diseases in the African Region 2014–2020 (Document [AFR/RC71/INF.DOC/3](#))
 - 18.4 Progress report on the Regional framework for integrating essential NCD services in primary health care (Document [AFR/RC71/INF.DOC/4](#))
 - 18.5 Progress report on the implementation of the Regional Strategy on Regulation of Medical Products in the African Region, 2016–2025 (Document [AFR/RC71/INF.DOC/5](#))
 - 18.6 Progress report on the implementation of the Framework for health systems development towards UHC in the context of the SDGs in the African Region (Document [AFR/RC71/INF.DOC/6](#))
 - 18.7 Progress report on research for health: a strategy for the African Region (Document [AFR/RC71/INF.DOC/7](#))
 - 18.8 Progress report on the implementation of the Regional strategy for health security and emergencies, 2016–2020 (Document [AFR/RC71/INF.DOC/8](#))
 - 18.9 Progress report on the Regional framework for the implementation of the global Strategy for cholera prevention and control 2018–2030 (Document [AFR/RC71/INF.DOC/9](#))

- 18.10 Report on WHO staff in the African Region (Document [AFR/RC71/INF.DOC/10](#))
- 18.11 Regional Matters arising from reports of WHO internal and external audits
(Document [AFR/RC71/INF.DOC/11](#))
19. Draft Provisional Agenda, place and dates of the Seventy-second session of the Regional Committee (Document [AFR/RC71/14](#))
20. Adoption of the Report of the Regional Committee (Document AFR/RC71/15)
21. Closure of the Seventy-first session of the Regional Committee