



Introduction to the concurrent sessions 3 A, B & C IANPHI-WHO Collaboration

How can IANPHI and WHO support NPHIs in strengthening public health systems through partnerships?

Building on a proposal for a joint IANPHI-WHO action plan, three concurrent sessions will explore how WHO, IANPHI and relevant partners can collaborate.

Presentation Summary of IANPHI-WHO Action Plan

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- State of Play

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- Objectives of the draft IANPHI-WHO Joint Action Plan

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- How could IANPHI and WHO work together ? 3 work streams

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- Consultation process by IANPHI and WHO & initial comments

1. Background: IANPHI-WHO High-Level Meeting 28 February 2019, Geneva

What did we learn?

WHO sees potential in IANPHI and in NPHIs and would like to collaborate

WHO wants to better understand NPHIs functions and how IANPHI supports NPHIs

WHO wants to understand how IANPHI's support to NPHIs adds value to WHO's strategic priorities



What next steps were decided?

Establish a joint work plan and jointly mobilise resources

IANPHI and WHO to develop a mechanism to deploy NPHI expertise & build capacity

Approve the work plan and assign focal points on the WHO side

So where are we now? 

2. State of Play: Progress Made

Establish a joint work plan and jointly mobilise resources

- IANPHI Secretariat and the Geneva working panel have developed a draft IANPHI-WHO Joint Action Plan
- Once the joint priorities and areas of action are approved by both sides, IANPHI and WHO could begin mobilising resources

IANPHI and WHO mechanism to deploy NPHI expertise & build capacity

- IANPHI Secretariat has developed a proposal for a NPHI Capacity Building Programme for Global Health Security
- IANPHI will consult NPHIs for their interest and involvement

Approve the work plan and assign focal points on WHO side

- IANPHI will further discuss detail with WHO - based on discussions in Addis
- Currently, WHO's Health Emergencies Division and WHO EURO are particularly interested in collaborations with IANPHI

3.1. Joint Action Plan in detail: objective & cooperating framework

Objective: Demonstrate the areas of collaboration between IANPHI and WHO that will add value to improving/ promoting public health through NPHIs around the world.

Through 

Existing areas of collaboration

- Practical best-practice guide on mergers with WHO EURO
- Leadership workshops
- ...

New areas of collaboration

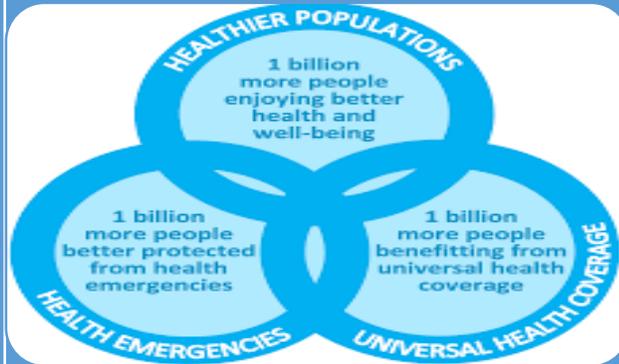
- Country preparedness and health security

3.2. Joint Action Plan in detail: cooperation framework

Sustainable Development Goal 3



WHO 13th General Programme of Work



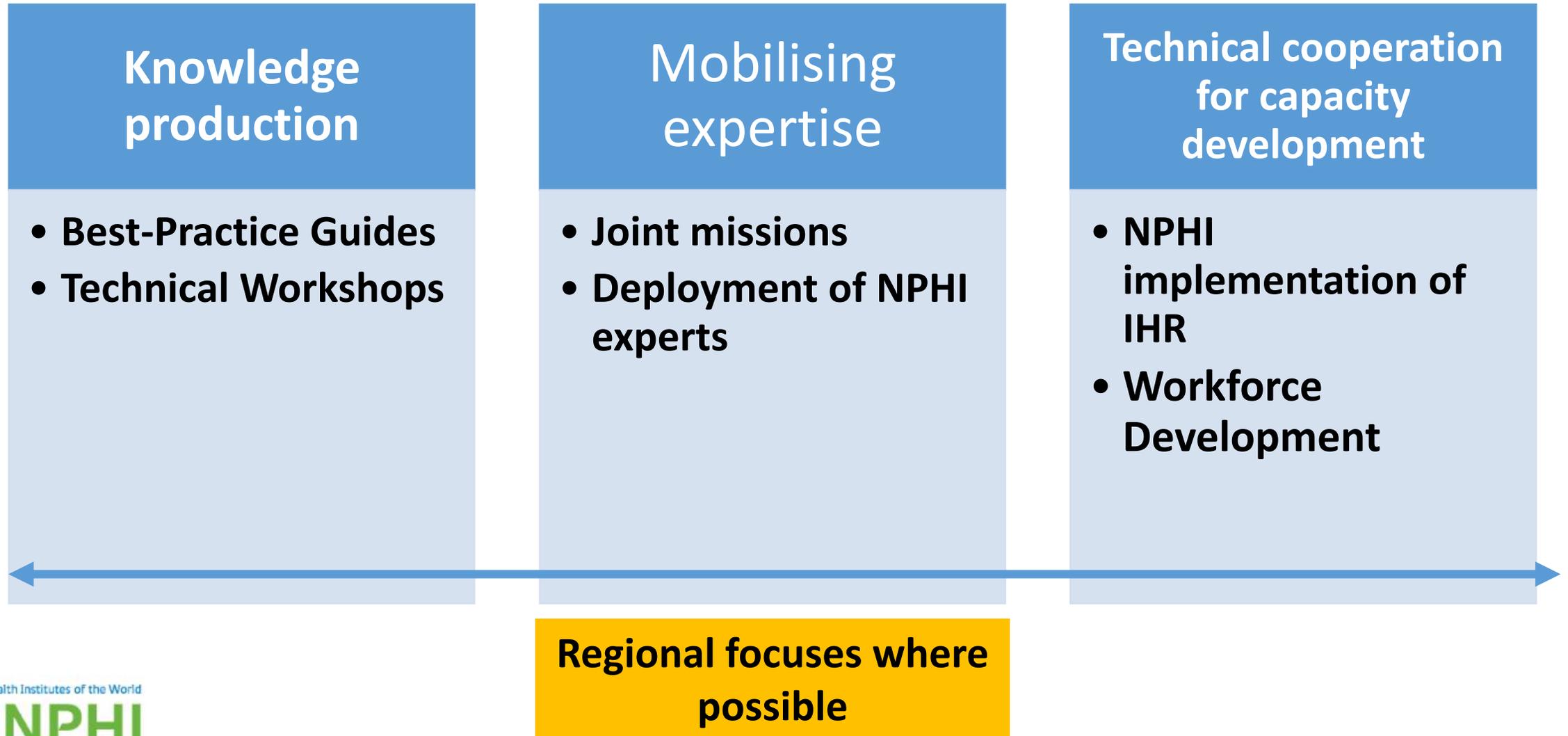
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Knowledge
Production

Technical
Cooperation

Sharing
Expertise

4.1. How IANPHI and WHO could Collaborate?



4.2. Examples: how would joint activities impact WHO priorities?

Universal
Health
Coverage

Joint activity: Public health advocacy to recognise the added value of NPHIs in strengthening health systems

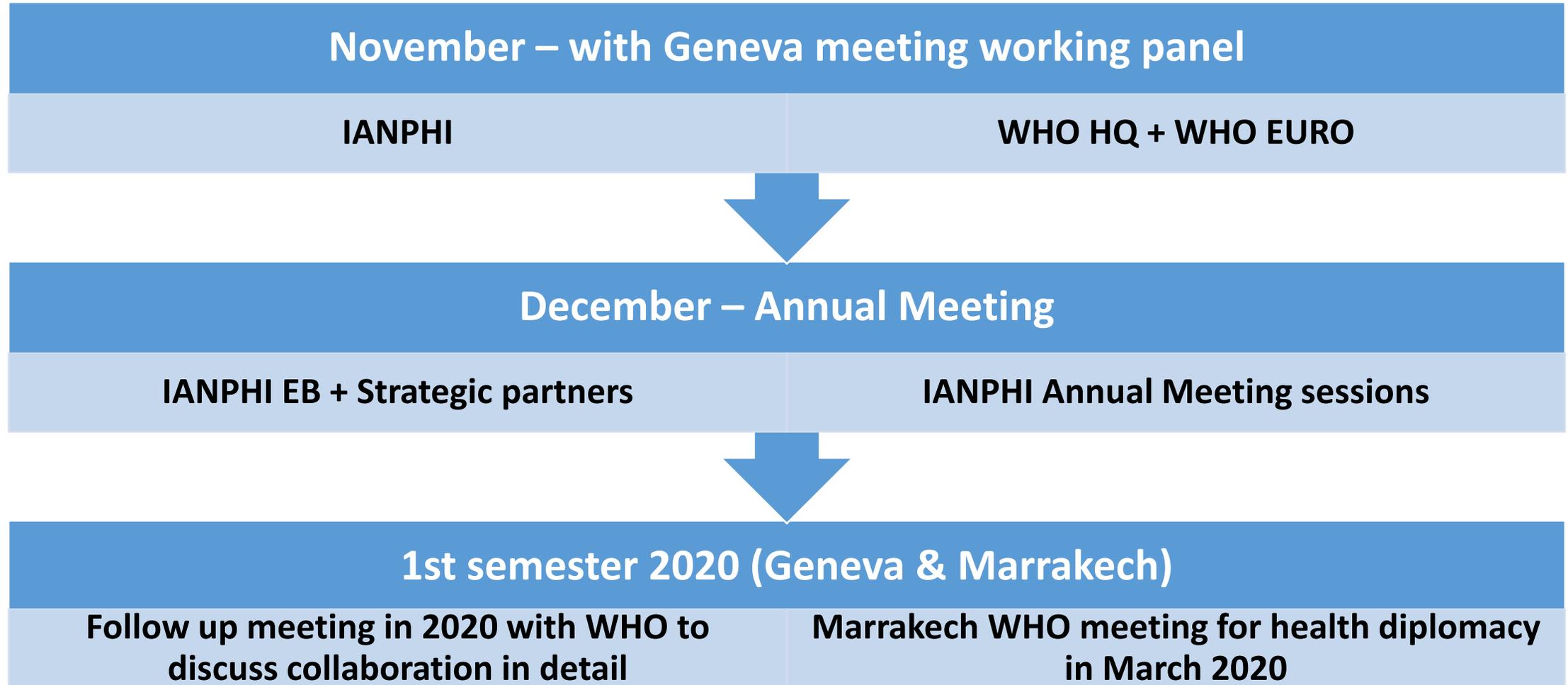
Health
Promotion

Joint activity: Research collaboration to transform data into actions and policy.

Health
Emergencies

Joint activity: NPHI capacity building to develop core capacities for IHR with WHO.

5.1. Consultation Process



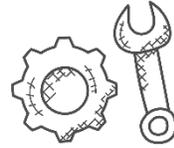
5.2. What comments have we received so far?

Definition, Goals & Approaches



- Political support for NPHIs is an important step
- Avoid duplicating efforts for workforce development with other organisations
- More focus on PH leadership and inequities

Activities



- WHO health security assessments (including JEE) should include NPHI development as a criteria
- Could the activities be more ambitious ?

Staffing & Structure



- How to mobilise NPHI support for programme coordination
- How will the Secretariat be strengthened

Funding



- Identify mechanism for how to transfer donor funding from IANPHI to implementing partners
- What are next steps for funding ?

***Achieving universal health coverage,
Addressing health emergencies
Promoting healthier populations.***

- a) What capacity/experience do NPHIs have to address this issue*
- b) How might NPHI collaborate to learn from each other & build capacity*
- c) How can WHO and IANPHI best complement each other to support NPHIs to address this issue – Building on IANPHI's tools for knowledge production, sharing expertise and technical cooperation*



Concurrent session 3A: Working session on health coverage

Moderator: Anne Bergh, Director for global health, NIPH, Norway

This session will develop a better understanding for IANPHI, for WHO and for partners of how NPHIs can contribute to achieving Universal Health Coverage. Participants will take stock of what is currently done and what more can be done to work towards UHC.



Concurrent session 3B: Addressing health emergencies

Moderator: Neils Squires, Director of global Public Health, PHE, UK

Addressing health emergencies at country level to ensure global safety is a WHO priority. This session aims to develop a good understanding of how WHO and NPHIs can collaborate through IANPHI to address health emergencies at country level. Participants will discuss the International Health Regulations' core competencies in terms of NPHI scope of functions and national priorities.

Concurrent session 3C: Promoting healthier populations

Moderator: Jean-Claude Desenclos, Deputy Director for science, SpF, France

Building on the concurrent session 2*, this session will look at how NPHIs can collaborate together and with WHO. Moreover, this session will aim to identify the comparative advantages of WHO and NPHIs when working with different stakeholders through intersectoral collaboration.

***Intersectoral collaboration for disease prevention and health promotion – How do NPHIs work with stakeholders?**
This session will present different experiences of NPHIs and will identify approaches taken by NPHIs to strengthen their position through intersectoral collaboration and engagement with stakeholders.



Plenary session 7: Conclusions from concurrent sessions 3 A, B & C: How IANPHI and WHO can jointly support NPHIs in strengthening public health systems through partnerships

This plenary session will discuss to what extent NPHIs are key agents in strengthening public health systems and achieving WHO strategic priorities. A key focus of this session will be to mobilise support and identify next steps in the IANPHI – WHO Collaboration.

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