Update on IPEA and next steps for engagement

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# UNGA Political Declaration of the High-Level Meeting on Antimicrobial Resistance—Our Reference Point

- Quadripartite organizations were invited to establish an independent panel on evidence for action against AMR in 2025
- Scope of Panel

To facilitate the generation and use of multisectoral, scientific evidence to support Member States to tackle AMR

How will this be achieved?

Using existing resources and avoiding duplication of on-going efforts, after an open and transparent consultation with all Member States on its composition, mandate, scope, and deliverables.





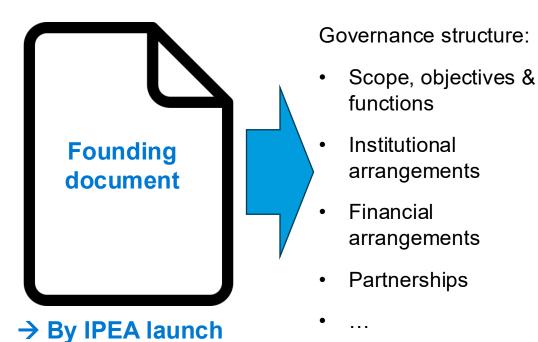


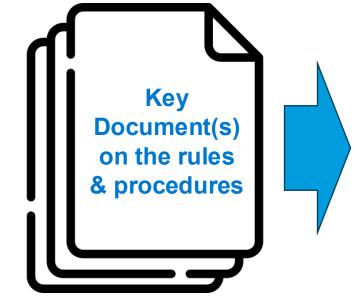




# **Elements Needed for the Establishment and Operations of IPEA**

Building upon existing science-policy panels, a strong Panel typically has...





These will include:

- Rules of procedure
- Conflict-of-interest policy
- Process for setting work programme
- Procedures for the Panel's deliverables (e.g., expert selection)
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→ By first plenary session

### **Functions and Outputs of the Panel**



 Assessments: synthesize diverse knowledge sources from various sectors into comprehensive, thematic, or methodological reports



 Horizon scanning: identify and highlight early signs of emerging risks or opportunities, and appropriate responses



Knowledge management: share information, and identify and highlight research gaps



 Policy support: develop tools and methodologies based on the Panel's output to guide decision-making at all levels

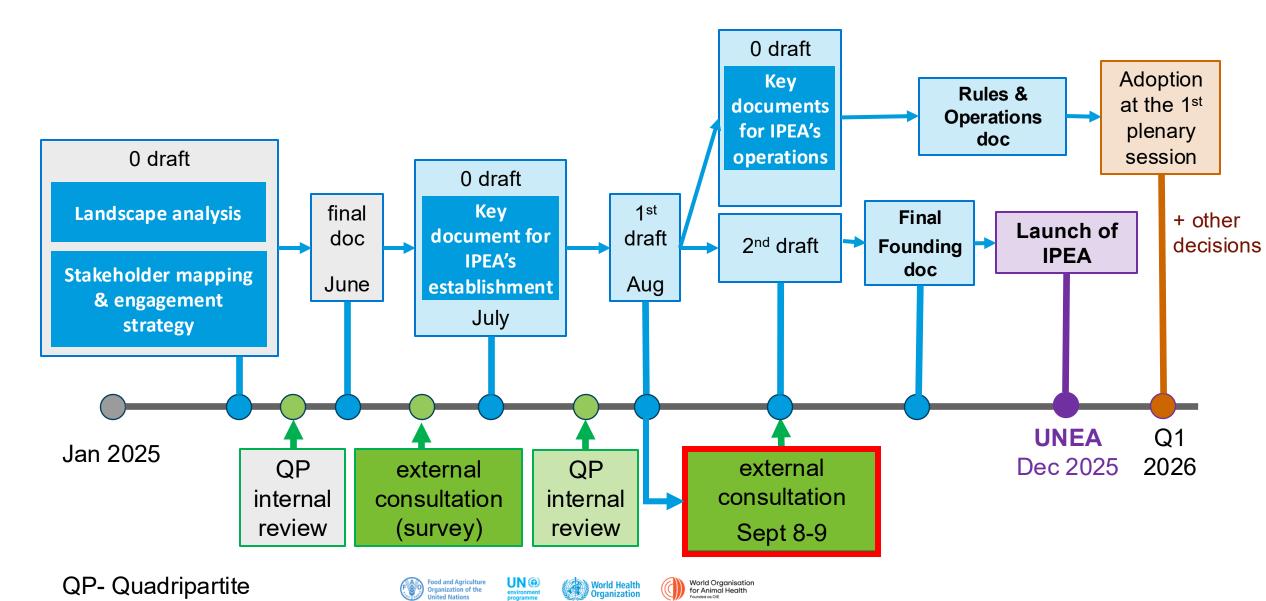








### Progression of the consultative process for IPEA



#### How scientists can be involved in the IPEA?

#### **Direct engagement**

- Raise awareness of the Panel among your peers and networks
- Consult national focal points and observers
- Participate the meetings of the Panel's Governing Body
  - As observers
  - As members of the Interdisciplinary Expert Committee or ad hoc expert groups
- Participate as authors, information and data contributors, or reviewers in the Panel's work











#### How scientists can be involved in the IPEA?

#### **Indirect engagement**

- Generate and publish relevant data and knowledge, including
  - organizing special issues in scientific journals
  - hosting expert workshops/meetings
- Conduct work contributing to the Panel's objectives and functions, e.g.
  - addressing knowledge gaps identified by the Panel
  - translating and disseminating the Panel's outputs
  - fostering uptake of the deliverables by policy- and decision-makers
  - conducting capacity building based on the deliverables











#### How can you get involved next?











Virtual Multi-Stakeholder Consultations on the Establishment of the

Independent Panel on Evidence for Action against Antimicrobial Resistance

**8-9 September**Virtual event





Monday, **8 September** (9:30-12:00 and 14:00-16:30 CEST) Tuesday, **9 September** (9:30-12:00 and 14:00-16:30 CEST)

#### Register until 7th September









## Thank you!







