

Annex 5

WHO collaborating centres in the Eastern Mediterranean Region as at December 2019¹

Field	Title	Country	Institution name
Antimicrobial resistance	WHO Collaborating Centre for Infection Prevention and Control and Anti-Microbial Resistance	Saudi Arabia	Infection Prevention and Control Department, King Abdulaziz Medical City Hospital
Bacterial pathogens	WHO Collaborating Centre for Reference and Research on Bacterial Pathogens	Lebanon	American University of Beirut
Bioethics	WHO Collaborating Centre for Bioethics	Islamic Republic of Iran	Tehran University of Medical Sciences
	WHO Collaborating Centre for Bioethics	Pakistan	Sindh Institute of Urology and Transplantation
Blood safety	WHO Collaborating Center for Research and Training on Blood Safety	Islamic Republic of Iran	Iranian Blood Transfusion Organization
	WHO Collaborating Centre for Training and Research in Blood Transfusion	United Arab Emirates	Sharjah Blood Transfusion and Research Center
Cardiovascular diseases	WHO Collaborating Centre for Research and Training in Cardiovascular Diseases Control, Prevention and Rehabilitation for Cardiac Patients	Islamic Republic of Iran	Isfahan Cardiovascular Research Centre
Diabetes	WHO Collaborating Centre for Treatment, Education and Research in Diabetes and Diabetic Pregnancies	Pakistan	Diabetic Association of Pakistan
Evidence-informed policy-making	WHO Collaborating Centre for Evidence-Informed Policy and Practice	Lebanon	American University of Beirut
Eye health	WHO Collaborating Centre for Eye Care and Prevention of Blindness	Islamic Republic of Iran	Shahid Beheshti University of Medical Sciences

¹ Please note that the status of some WHO collaborating centres in the Region may have changed since 31 December 2019.

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Family practice	WHO Collaborating Center for Family Practice	Lebanon	American University of Beirut
Health information systems	WHO Collaborating Centre for the WHO Family of International Classifications	Kuwait	Health Information and Medical Records, Ministry of Health
Health professional education	WHO Collaborating Centre for Health Professionals' Educational Development	Bahrain	Arabian Gulf University
	WHO Collaborating Centre for Research and Development in Medical Education	Egypt	Suez Canal University
	WHO Collaborating Centre for Research in Health Professional Education	Pakistan	College of Physicians and Surgeons
	WHO Collaborating Centre for Health Professional Education	Sudan	University of Gezira
Health systems management	WHO Collaborating Centre for Training and Research on Health System Management	Islamic Republic of Iran	Tabriz University of Medical Sciences
Health technologies	WHO Collaborating Center for Medical Devices Regulation	Saudi Arabia	Saudi Food and Drug Authority
HIV surveillance	WHO Collaborating Centre for HIV surveillance	Islamic Republic of Iran	Kerman University of Medical Sciences
Laboratory quality control	WHO Collaborating Centre for Quality Control and Clinical Chemistry	Islamic Republic of Iran	Ministry of Health and Medical Education
Mass gatherings	WHO Collaborating Centre for Mass Gatherings Medicine	Saudi Arabia	Ministry of Health
Mental health and substance use disorders	WHO Collaborating Centre for Mental Health	Islamic Republic of Iran	Iran University of Medical Sciences
	WHO Collaborating Center for Research and Training on Substance Use Disorders and Mental Health	Islamic Republic of Iran	Tehran University of Medical Sciences
	WHO Collaborating Centre for Mental Health	Morocco	Ibn Rushd University

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	WHO Collaborating Centre for Mental Health Research, Training and Substance Abuse	Pakistan	Rawalpindi Medical College
	WHO Collaborating Centre for Substance Use Prevention and Treatment of Substance Use Disorders	United Arab Emirates	National Rehabilitation Center
NCDs and gastrointestinal cancers	WHO Collaborating Centre for Research on NCDs and Gastrointestinal Cancers	Islamic Republic of Iran	Digestive Diseases Research Institute
Neglected tropical diseases	WHO Collaborating Centre on Mycetoma	Sudan	University of Khartoum
Nursing	WHO Collaborating Centre for Nursing Development	Bahrain	University of Bahrain
	WHO Collaborating Centre for Nursing Development	Jordan	Jordan University of Science and Technology
Nutrition	WHO Collaborating Centre for Research on Nutrition and Food Technology	Islamic Republic of Iran	National Nutrition and Food Technology Research Institute
Patient safety	WHO Collaborating Centre for Quality and Patient Safety Training	Oman	Ministry of Health
	WHO Collaborating Center on Patient Safety Policies and Strategies	Saudi Arabia	Ministry of Health
Pharmaco-vigilance	WHO Collaborating Centre for Pharmacovigilance	Morocco	Centre Anti Poison et de Pharmacovigilance du Maroc
Reproductive health	WHO Collaborating Centre for Reproductive Health Research and Training	Morocco	Ministry of Health
	WHO Collaborating Centre for Training and Research in Reproductive Health	Tunisia	International Training and Research Center in Reproductive Health and Population
Tobacco control	WHO Collaborating Centre for Treating Tobacco Dependence	Qatar	Hamad Medical Corporation

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Tuberculosis	WHO Collaborating Centre for Tuberculosis Education	Islamic Republic of Iran	Shahid Beheshti University of Medical Sciences
Violence and injury prevention	WHO Collaborating Centre for Child Maltreatment Research and Planning	Saudi Arabia	Ministry of National Guard – Health Affairs
Water and sanitation	Centre Collaborateur de l'OMS en matière de formation et de recherche dans le domaine de l'eau potable et de l'assainissement	Morocco	National Office of Electricity and Drinking Water
Women's health	WHO Collaborating Center for Training and Research on Women's Health Issues	Jordan	The National Woman's Health Care Center (NwHcC)