Consultation with non-State actors on their participation in WHO governance

This survey provides the opportunity for non-State actors, both those in official relations and those who are not, to share their comments and suggestions on how to stimulate non-State actors’ involvement into WHO’s governance.

As part of the WHO reform processes, including the transformation agenda, the Member States are seeking ways to stimulate the participation of non-State actors in official relations in governing bodies’ meetings. The Executive Board at its 145th session in May 2019, following the discussion on the document EB 145/4 WHO governance reform processes: Involvement of non-State actors, requested WHO Secretariat to organize a web consultation with non-State actors to be organized to hear their views and proposals regarding their participation in WHO governing bodies, including organization of an informal meeting.

This survey is organized to respond to the request by the WHO Executive Board. You are invited to participate in this survey - each participating non-State actor is expected to complete the survey once. The survey is open until 15 September 2019, with a view for the Secretariat to analyze the results and elaborate a proposal for consideration to the Member States and by the Board at its 146th session in January 2020.

Completion of the survey should take approximately 15 minutes. The survey works best on Chrome or FireFox, Internet Explorer does not support it well.

There are 76 questions in this survey

Information on the respondent

[ ] Name of the entity *

Please write your answer here:

Please provide information on the entity you are representing

[ ] Your name and position in your entity *

Please write your answer here:

[ ] Your email address: *

Please write your answer here:

[ ] How many staff does your entity have? *

Please choose all that apply:

- 0-3
- 4-15
[]Is your entity membership based?

Please choose only one of the following:

☐ Yes
☐ No

[]Are the members of your entity *

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'Yes' at question '5 [Q001a4]' (Is your entity membership based?)

Please choose all that apply:

☐ entities
☐ individuals

[]Please indicate the total number of your entity's members, including the number of the members of your member associations: *

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'Yes' at question '5 [Q001a4]' (Is your entity membership based?)

Please choose only one of the following:

☐ 1-99
☐ 100-2999
☐ 3000-100000
☐ over 100000

[]What is your entity's annual budget (in US dollars)?

Only numbers may be entered in this field.

Please write your answer here:

[]How important are the following areas of the work for your entity? *

Please choose the appropriate response for each item:

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Official relations

In accordance with the Framework on Engagement with non-State actors (FENSA), official relations “is a privilege that the Executive Board may grant to nongovernmental organizations, international business associations and philanthropic foundations that have had and continue to have a sustained and systematic engagement in the interest of the Organization”. Please find the list of non-State actors in official relations on the following link: https://www.who.int/docs/default-source/documents/fensa/non-state-actors-list.pdf?sfvrsn=d970bb57_2.

Entities in official relations are invited to participate in sessions of WHO’s governing bodies (the World Health Assembly, the Executive Board and the six regional committees). In addition, WHO Regional committees may decide on a procedure granting accreditation to their meetings to other international, regional, and national non-State actors not in official relations with WHO as long as the procedure is managed in accordance with FENSA.

Pursuant to the WHO Framework of Engagement with non-State actors, WHO does not engage with the tobacco industry or non-State actors that work to further the interests of the tobacco industry. WHO also does not engage with the arms industry.

By continuing this survey, you confirm that the entity you represent does not engage with the tobacco industry or non-State actors that work to further the interests of the tobacco industry, or with the arms industry.

[]Is the entity you represent in official relations with WHO? *

Please choose only one of the following:

- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No
Participation in the World Health Assembly and WHO Executive Board meetings

How regularly does your entity participate in the World Health Assembly?

* Please choose only one of the following:
- Always
- Often
- Occasionally, depending on agenda items
- Not at all

How regularly does your entity participate in the WHO Executive Board meetings?

* Please choose only one of the following:
- Always
- Often
- Occasionally, depending on agenda items
- Not at all

Does your entity participate in the World Health Assembly and/or WHO Executive meetings as a member of a delegation of a non-State actor in official relations?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

-------- Scenario 1 --------
Answer was 'No' at question '10 [Q002]' (Is the entity you represent in official relations with WHO?) and Answer was 'Often' or 'Occasionally, depending on agenda items' or 'Always' at question '11 [q004]' (How regularly does your entity participate in the World Health Assembly?)

-------- or Scenario 2 --------
Answer was 'No' at question '10 [Q002]' (Is the entity you represent in official relations with WHO?) and Answer was 'Often' or 'Always' or 'Occasionally, depending on agenda items' at question '12 [q004bis]' (How regularly does your entity participate in the WHO Executive Board meetings?)

Please choose only one of the following:
- Yes
- No
- Other

Please give additional information:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'Yes' or 'Other' or 'No' at question '13 [q004nonor]' (Does your entity participate in the World Health Assembly and/or WHO Executive meetings as a member of a delegation of a non-State actor in official relations?)

Please write your answer here:
[]At what level is your organization represented at WHO governing body meetings? *

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

--------- Scenario 1 ---------

Answer was 'Occasionally, depending on agenda items' or 'Always' or 'Often' at question '11 [q004]' (How regularly does your entity participate in the World Health Assembly?)

--------- or Scenario 2 ---------

Answer was 'Always' or 'Often' or 'Occasionally, depending on agenda items' at question '12 [q004bis]' (How regularly does your entity participate in the WHO Executive Board meetings?)

Please choose all that apply:

- Top leadership
- Management
- Staff
- Members
- Volunteers

[]What is the average duration of your participation in the meetings?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

--------- Scenario 1 ---------

Answer was 'Often' or 'Occasionally, depending on agenda items' or 'Always' at question '11 [q004]' (How regularly does your entity participate in the World Health Assembly?)

--------- or Scenario 2 ---------

Answer was 'Often' or 'Always' or 'Occasionally, depending on agenda items' at question '12 [q004bis]' (How regularly does your entity participate in the WHO Executive Board meetings?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- The whole duration (100%)  
- Approximately half of the duration of the meeting (50%)  
- Shorter duration (approximately (25%)
- Other

[]How important is participation in WHO governing body meetings for your entity and what priority does it have in your annual work? *

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

--------- Scenario 1 ---------
Answer was 'Occasionally, depending on agenda items' or 'Always' or 'Often' at question '11 [q004]' (How regularly does your entity participate in the World Health Assembly?)

------- or Scenario 2 -------

Answer was 'Always' or 'Often' or 'Occasionally, depending on agenda items' at question '12 [q004bis]' (How regularly does your entity participate in the WHO Executive Board meetings?)

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[ ] Which aspects of WHO governing body events are most relevant to your organization (please choose maximum 4):

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

------- Scenario 1 -------

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Answer was 'Always' or 'Often' or 'Occasionally, depending on agenda items' at question '12 [q004bis]' (How regularly does your entity participate in the WHO Executive Board meetings?)

All your answers must be different and you must rank in order.
Please select between 2 and 4 answers
Please number each box in order of preference from 1 to 9
Please choose at least 2 items.
Please choose no more than 4 items.

Following WHO governance

Staying up-to-date with decisions made by WHO on technical areas of interest

Informal networking

Formal technical briefings and side events

Informal side events

Making statements in the Executive Board meeting or Committee A or B at the World Health Assembly

Exploring bilateral opportunities on resource mobilization

Meetings with WHO technical units
Meeting with other entities working on the same topics

[] What are the biggest challenges, if any, for your entity to be able to participate in the WHO governing body meetings?

Please write your answer here:

[] What changes would need to take place in order to provide entities a more meaningful opportunity to engage in WHO governing bodies? *

Please write your answer here:

Please note that only the Member States, intergovernmental and UN agencies, and the non-State actors in official relations are invited to participate in sessions of WHO's governing bodies.

Regional committees may also decide on a procedure granting accreditation to their meetings to other international, regional, and national non-State actors not in official relations with WHO as long as the procedure is managed in accordance with the Framework on Engagement with non-State actors.
Involvement in the World Health Assembly and/or WHO Executive Board meetings

[ ] Does the non-State actor you represent make statements at the WHO governing body meetings?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

-------- Scenario 1 --------
Answer was 'Yes' at question '10 [Q002]' (Is the entity you represent in official relations with WHO? ) and Answer was 'Occasionally, depending on agenda items' or 'Often' or 'Always' at question '11 [q004]' (How regularly does your entity participate in the World Health Assembly? )

-------- or Scenario 2 --------
Answer was 'Yes' at question '10 [Q002]' (Is the entity you represent in official relations with WHO? ) and Answer was 'Often' or 'Always' or 'Occasionally, depending on agenda items' at question '12 [q004bis]' (How regularly does your entity participate in the WHO Executive Board meetings?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- Regularly
- Occasionally
- Not at all
- Other

[ ] In your view, to what extent does making statements provide an opportunity to non-State actors in official relations and their constituencies to:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'Not at all' or 'Occasionally' or 'Regularly' at question '21 [q005]' (Does the non-State actor you represent make statements at the WHO governing body meetings?)

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[ ] If "other", please explain:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'Not at all' or 'Very little' or 'Somewhat' or 'To a great extent' at question '22 [q008]' (In your view, to what extent does making statements provide an opportunity to non-State actors in official relations and their constituencies to: (other))

Please write your answer here:
[ ] Does the non-State actor you represent post statements on the dedicated website ahead of the Member States debates at World Health Assembly and/or WHO Executive Board meetings?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

-------- Scenario 1 --------
Answer was 'Yes' at question '10 [Q002]' (Is the entity you represent in official relations with WHO? ) and Answer was 'Often' or 'Always' or 'Occasionally, depending on agenda items' at question '11 [q004]' ( How regularly does your entity participate in the World Health Assembly? )

-------- or Scenario 2 --------
Answer was 'Yes' at question '10 [Q002]' (Is the entity you represent in official relations with WHO? ) and Answer was 'Always' or 'Often' or 'Occasionally, depending on agenda items' at question '12 [q004bis]' (How regularly does your entity participate in the WHO Executive Board meetings?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- Yes
- No
- Not sure

[ ] In your view, how beneficial posting the statements on the dedicated website is in allowing Member States to take them into account when formulating their own positions?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'Yes' at question '24 [q006]' (Does the non-State actor you represent post statements on the dedicated website ahead of the Member States debates at World Health Assembly and/or WHO Executive Board meetings?)

Please choose the appropriate response for each item:

- Very beneficial
- Somewhat beneficial
- Neutral
- Very little beneficial
- Not at all beneficial

[ ] In your view, how satisfactory are the current modalities of involving non-State actors in WHO governance?

Please choose the appropriate response for each item:

- Very satisfactory
- Satisfactory
- Neutral
- Unsatisfactory
- Very unsatisfactory

[ ] Please explain the reasons for your answer above:

Please write your answer here:
[] Should non-State actors in official relations be organized in constituencies for making their contributions to WHO Governing bodies, if the constituencies had a more prominent manner to contribute to the debates?

Please choose only one of the following:

- Yes
- No
- Not sure

[] How should the non-State actors in official relations be organized in constituencies?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was 'Yes' at question '28 [q010]' (Should non-State actors in official relations be organized in constituencies for making their contributions to WHO Governing bodies, if the constituencies had a more prominent manner to contribute to the debates?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- In 3 groups of non-State actors as classified in FENSA (NGOs, philanthropic foundations and international business associations)
- In 5 groups (3 groups of NGOs, and one each of philanthropic foundations and international business associations)
- Other

[] How should the constituencies be built, managed and facilitated?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was 'Yes' at question '28 [q010]' (Should non-State actors in official relations be organized in constituencies for making their contributions to WHO Governing bodies, if the constituencies had a more prominent manner to contribute to the debates?)

Please write your answer here:

[] Do you have other proposals for changes in modalities to improve non-State actor participation in WHO governance, recalling the constitutional prerogative of Member States in the decision making of WHO’s governing bodies?

Please write your answer here:
Participation and involvement in WHO Regional Committees

Does your entity participate in the WHO Regional Committees?

Please choose only one of the following:

- Often
- Occasionally
- Not at all

Why?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was 'Not at all' at question '32 [q014]' (Does your entity participate in the WHO Regional Committees?)

Please write your answer here:

Does your entity participate in the Regional Committee as:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was 'No' at question '10 [Q002]' (Is the entity you represent in official relations with WHO?) and Answer was 'Occasionally' or 'Often' at question '32 [q014]' (Does your entity participate in the WHO Regional Committees?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- a member of a delegation of a non-State actor in official relations?
- as an accredited entity to that Region?
- Other

In which WHO region does your entity participate in the WHO Regional Committee meeting (select as many that apply)?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:

Answer was 'Occasionally' or 'Often' at question '32 [q014]' (Does your entity participate in the WHO Regional Committees?)

Please choose all that apply:

- African Region (AFRO)
- Eastern Mediterranean Region (EMRO)
European Region (EURO)
Region of the Americas (AMRO)
South-East Asia Region
Western Pacific Region

Which aspects of Regional Committee events are most relevant to your organization (please chose maximum 4):

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was ‘Often’ or ‘Occasionally’ at question ‘32 [q014]’ (Does your entity participate in the WHO Regional Committees?)

All your answers must be different and you must rank in order.
Please select between 2 and 4 answers
Please number each box in order of preference from 1 to 9
Please choose at least 2 items.
Please choose no more than 4 items.

- Following the WHO regional governance
- Staying up-to-date with decisions on WHO technical areas of interest
- Informal networking
- Formal technical briefings and side-events
- Informal side-events
- Making statements
- Exploring bilateral opportunities on resource mobilization
- Meetings with WHO technical units
- Meetings with other entities working on same topics

Does your entity make statements at the Regional Committees?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was ‘Yes’ at question ‘10 [Q002]’ (Is the entity you represent in official relations with WHO?) and Answer was ‘Occasionally’ or ‘Often’ at question ‘32 [q014]’ (Does your entity participate in the WHO Regional Committees?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- Regularly

https://extranet.who.int/dataform/admin/printablesurvey/sa/index/surveyid/648829
In your view, to what extent does making statements provide an opportunity to non-State actors in official relations and their constituencies to:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'Regularly' or 'Occasionally' at question '37 [q016]' (Does your entity make statements at the Regional Committees?)

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If you selected "other", please explain:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'To a great extent' or 'Somewhat' or 'Very little' or 'Not at all' at question '38 [q016bis]' (In your view, to what extent does making statements provide an opportunity to non-State actors in official relations and their constituencies to: (other))

Please write your answer here:

Does your entity participate in any other Regional Office events, such as webex briefings, separate meetings for non-State actors, etc.?

Please choose only one of the following:

- Yes
- No

Which events does your entity participate?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met: Answer was 'Yes' at question '40 [q017]' (Does you entity participate in any other Regional Office events, such as webex briefings, separate meetings for non-State actors, etc.?)

Please write your answer here:
In your view, should non-State actors be organized in constituencies also for Regional Committees?

Please choose only one of the following:

- Yes
- No
- Other

Please explain your answer:

Please write your answer here:
Country level consultations ahead of WHO governing body meetings

[ ] Is your entity invited to country level pre-consultations ahead of the WHO Governing body meetings? *

Please choose only one of the following:

- Yes
- No
- Sometimes
- Not applicable

[ ] In which countries?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was ‘Yes’ or ‘Sometimes’ at question ‘44 [q018]’ (Is your entity invited to country level pre-consultations ahead of the WHO Governing body meetings?)

Please write your answer here:

[ ] Does your entity participate in the pre-consultations? *

Please choose only one of the following:

- Yes
- No
- Sometimes
- Not applicable

[ ] In which countries and who organizes them?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was ‘Yes’ or ‘Sometimes’ at question ‘46 [q019]’ (Does your entity participate in the pre-consultations?)

Please write your answer here:
If your entity participates in the pre-consultations, how beneficial are they for your entity? Please rate:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'Yes' or 'Sometimes' at question '46 [q019]' (Does your entity participate in the pre-consultations?)

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[]If you answered "other", please explain:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'Very beneficial' or 'Beneficial' or 'Neutral' or 'Slightly beneficial' or 'Not at all beneficial' at question '48 [q020]' (If your entity participates in the pre-consultations, how beneficial are they for your entity? Please rate: (Other))

Please write your answer here:

[]Please provide proposals for any potential changes for country-level preparations to WHO governing body meetings:

Please write your answer here:
Organization of separate informal meeting to stimulate non-State actor involvement in WHO governance

[] In your view, should WHO organize separate informal meeting/s in order to stimulate non-State actors' involvement in WHO governance?

Please choose only one of the following:

- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No
- [ ] Other

Please note that in accordance to the Framework of Engagement with non-State actors "before engaging with any non-State actor, WHO, in order to preserve its integrity, conducts due diligence and risk assessment". Participation in WHO meetings is accordingly subject to due diligence and risk assessment.

[] If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'Yes' at question '51 [q022]' (In your view, should WHO organize separate informal meeting/s in order to stimulate non-State actors' involvement in WHO governance? )

Please choose all that apply:

- [ ] Non-State actors in official relations only
- [ ] Non-State actors in official relations and other interested non-State actors engaged in work in support of WHO 13th General Programme of Work
- [ ] Member States and non-State actors in official relations
- [ ] Member States, non-State actors in official relations and other interested non-State actors engaged in work in support of WHO 13th General Programme of Work
- [ ] Other: 
Further questions "non-State actors in official relations only"

[] When should the meeting take place?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- January, in between the meeting of the Programme, Budget and Administration Committee and the Executive Board
- Back-to-back meeting before the World Health Assembly
- A stand-alone independent meeting outside WHO governing body meetings but before the World Health Assembly, after all WHA documents have been released
- A stand-alone independent meeting outside WHO governing body meetings, during a calmer period of the year
- Any other proposed timing: [ ]

[] What should the meeting’s agenda be based on?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- Main topics of the World Health Assembly and/or the Executive Board meeting
- All agenda items of the World Health Assembly
- World Health Assembly general discussion theme
- Selected 2-3 topics related to prominent or emerging issues in global health
- A comprehensive agenda related to WHO General Programme of Work
- Any other suggestions: [ ]

[] How often should the meeting be organized?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- Once a year
- Once in two years
- At longer interval
- Other: [ ]

[] How should the results of the discussions during the meeting be presented to WHO governing bodies?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)
Please choose only one of the following:

- Presentation of the results by non-State actors in official relations by constituencies as part of Member States debates
- Presentation of report of discussions per agenda item as part of Member States debates, with individual non-State actor statements at the end of the debates
- Presentation of a report of the meeting as an agenda item at the World Health Assembly
- Any other suggestions: 

[] Please provide any other suggestions related to the organizing of such meeting, such as hosting, organizing, chairing, and format:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please write your answer here:
Further questions "Non-State actors in official relations and other interested non-State actors"

[]When should the meeting take place?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- January, in between the meeting of the Programme, Budget and Administration Committee and the Executive Board
- Back-to-back meeting before the World Health Assembly
- A stand-alone independent meeting outside WHO governing body meetings but before the World Health Assembly, after all WHA documents have been released
- A stand-alone independent meeting outside WHO governing body meetings, such as October–November
- Any other proposed timing:

[]Which types of participants in addition to non-State actors in official relations should be invited (please check all those that should be invited)?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please choose all that apply:

- NGOs not in official relations
- Philanthropic Institutions not in official relations
- International Business Associations not in official relations
- Private sector entities
- WHO Collaborating Centres
- Academic Institutions in general
- Individual experts and prominent specialists
- Other:

[]What should the meeting’s agenda be based on?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- Main topics of the World Health Assembly and/or the Executive Board meeting
- All agenda items of the World Health Assembly
- World Health Assembly general discussion theme
- Selected 2-3 topics related to prominent or emerging issues in global health
- A comprehensive agenda related to WHO General Programme of Work
Any other suggestions:

[]How often should the meeting be organized?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- Once a year
- Once in two years
- At longer interval
- Other

[]How should the results of the discussions during the meeting be presented to WHO governing bodies?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- Presentation of the results of discussions at each agenda item by WHO Secretariat
- Presentation of the results of discussions at each agenda item by selected non-State actors in official relations
- Presentation of a report by a Chair of the meeting as an agenda item at the World Health Assembly
- Any other suggestions:

[]Please provide any other suggestions related to the organizing of such meeting, such as hosting, organizing, chairing, and format:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please write your answer here:
Further questions "Member States and non-State actors in official relations"

[] When should the meeting take place?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- January, in between the meeting of the Programme, Budget and Administration Committee and the Executive Board
- Back-to-back meeting before the World Health Assembly
- A stand-alone independent meeting outside WHO governing body meetings but before the World Health Assembly, after all WHA documents have been released
- A stand-alone independent meeting outside WHO governing body meetings, during a calmer period of the year
- Any other proposed timing:

[] What should the meeting’s agenda be based on?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- Main topics of the World Health Assembly and/or the Executive Board meeting
- All agenda items of the World Health Assembly
- World Health Assembly general discussion theme
- Selected 2-3 topics related to prominent or emerging issues in global health
- A comprehensive agenda related to WHO General Programme of Work
- Any other suggestions:

[] How often should the meeting be organized?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- Once a year
- Once in two years
- At longer interval
- Other:

[] How should the results of the discussions during the meeting be presented to WHO governing bodies?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)


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Please choose only one of the following:

- Presentation of the results by non-State actors in official relations by constituencies as part of Member States debates
- Presentation of report of discussions per agenda item as part of Member States debates, with individual non-State actor statements at the end of the debates
- Presentation of a report of discussions by the chair of the meeting before Member States debates at WHO governing bodies
- Executive Board chairperson to orally present an informal summary of the discussions, together with the report from the Executive Board, to the World Health Assembly
- Presentation of the results as a separate agenda item to the World Health Assembly
- Any other suggestions: 

[] Please provide any other suggestions related to the organizing of such meeting, such as hosting, organizing, chairing, and format:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please write your answer here:
Further questions "Member States, non-State actors in official relations and other non-State actors"

[] When should the meeting take place?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- January, in between the meeting of the Programme, Budget and Administration Committee and the Executive Board
- Back-to-back meeting before the World Health Assembly
- A stand-alone independent meeting outside WHO governing body meetings but before the World Health Assembly, after all WHA documents have been released
- A stand-alone independent meeting outside WHO governing body meetings, such as October–November
- Any other proposed timing: [ ]

[] Which types of participants in addition to Member States and non-State actors in official relations should be invited (please check all those that should be invited)?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please choose all that apply:

- Intergovernmental organizations
- UN organizations
- NGOs not in official relations
- Philanthropic Institutions not in official relations
- International Business Associations not in official relations
- Private sector entities
- WHO Collaborating Centres
- Academic Institutions in general
- Individual experts and prominent specialists
- Other: [ ]

[] What should the meeting’s agenda be based on?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- Main topics of the World Health Assembly and/or the Executive Board meeting
- All agenda items of the World Health Assembly
- World Health Assembly general discussion theme
Selected 2-3 topics related to prominent or emerging issues in global health

A comprehensive agenda related to WHO General Programme of Work

Any other suggestions: 

[]How often should the meeting be organized?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

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- Once a year
- Once in two years
- At longer interval
- Other

[]How should the results of the discussions during the meeting be presented to WHO governing bodies?

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please choose only one of the following:

- Presentation of the reports by non-State actors in official relations by constituencies as part of Member State debates
- Presentation of the report of the results of discussions per agenda item as part of Member States debates, with individual non-State actor statements at the end of the debates
- Presentation of a report by a Chair of the meeting before Member States debates at WHO governing bodies
- Executive Board Chair to orally present an informal summary of the discussions, together with a report from the Executive Board, to the World Health Assembly
- Presentation of the results as a separate agenda item to the World Health Assembly
- Any other suggestions:

[]Please provide any other suggestions related to the organizing of such meeting, such as hosting, organizing, chairing, and format:

Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was at question '52 [q023]' (If WHO organized an informal meeting to stimulate non-State actors involvement in WHO governance, who should be invited as participants?)

Please write your answer here:
Other proposals for improved non-State actor involvement in WHO governance

[] Kindly provide any other ideas for improved interaction between Member States and Non-State actors in the context of WHO governance:

Please write your answer here:

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As a non-State actor in official relations, do you wish that your specific proposals and comments are published individually on the WHO website together with the overall results of the survey?

* Only answer this question if the following conditions are met:
Answer was 'Yes' at question '10 [Q002]' (Is the entity you represent in official relations with WHO? )

Please choose only one of the following:

- Yes
- No
Thank you for completing the survey and contributing to furthering ideas on how to stimulate non-State actors’ engagement in WHO governance.

The survey will be assessed in 2 separate groups:

1. non-State actors in official relations with WHO in aggregated manner but whose proposals, with their agreement, will be individually published on WHO website;
2. non-State actors not in official relations with WHO whose response will be published in an aggregated manner.

The results of the consultation will be published on WHO website and in a report to be presented to the WHO Executive Board at its 146th meeting in January 2020.

Submit your survey.
Thank you for completing this survey.