

WHO MERS-CoV Investigation Protocols – an Introduction



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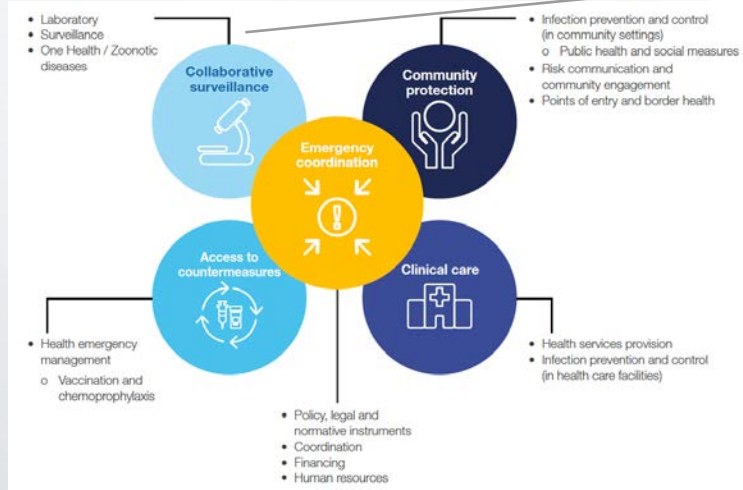
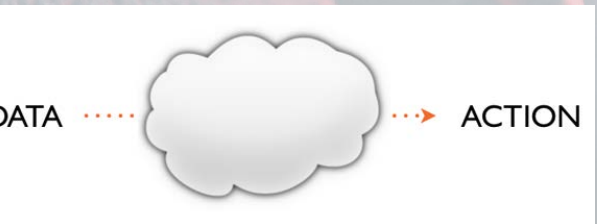
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Routine systems that effectively support the next pandemic



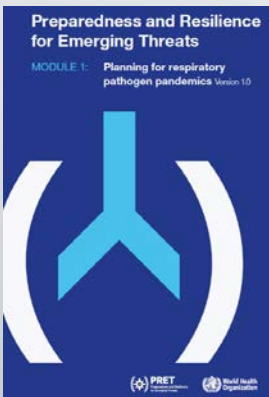
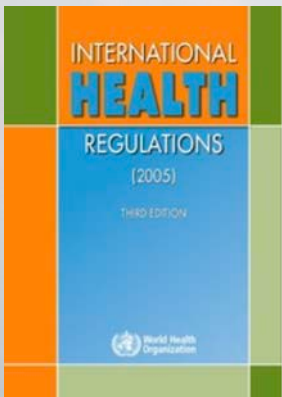
300+ recommendations from COVID-19 and recent major emergencies

“Public health surveillance is the art of turning data into actions”



“Crafting the mosaic”:
A framework for resilient surveillance for respiratory viruses of epidemic and pandemic potential

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Web: [PRET Respiratory](#)



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→ **Mosaic analogy: Different surveillance systems and studies must fit together like “tiles in a mosaic” to obtain the full “picture”**

Pan respiratory approach and diseases specificities

Respiratory
pathogens
template
protocols



Influenza
template
protocols



COVID-19
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protocols



MERS-CoV
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Link : <https://www.who.int/initiatives/respiratory-pathogens-investigations-and-studies-unity-studies>



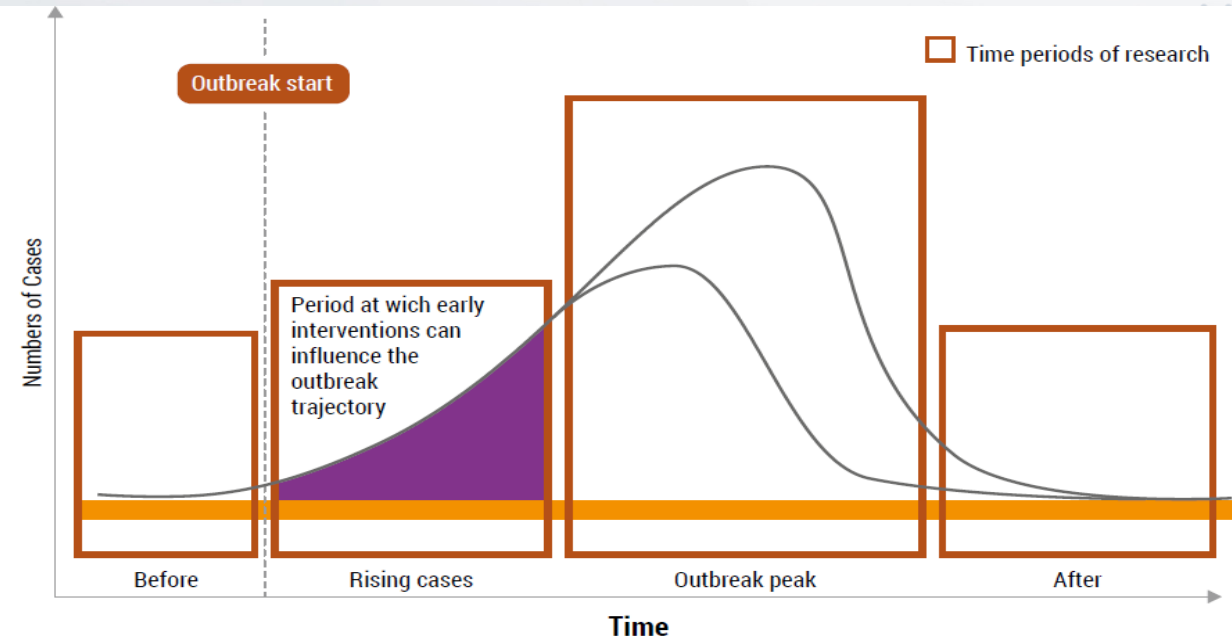
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Unity studies “2.0” : Future directions and operationalisation

Headlines: 3 **Key**
“**Key** question
Key generic protocols,
Key sites,
after, before, during next p
→ for pandemic preparedness
and effective response



At the ready
“champion”
approach:
a fast-track network



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Thank you!

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