

# 28<sup>th</sup> meeting of the WHO Malaria Policy Advisory Group (MPAG)

Virtual meeting, 14–16 October 2025 (13:00-17:00 GMT+1)  
World Health Organization

## PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME\* (Local time zone GMT+1)

Tuesday, 14 October 2025			
	<b>Session 1</b>	<b>Open</b>	
13:00 – 13:10	Welcome by the Chairperson, MPAG	Professor Dyann Wirth MPAG Chairperson	<b>for information</b>
13:10 – 13:15	Opening remarks	Dr Jeremy Farrar Assistant Director-General, Health Promotion, Disease Prevention & Control	
13:15 – 13:45	Report from the Director	Dr Daniel Ngamije M. Director a.i., Malaria & Neglected Tropical Diseases department	
	<b>Session 2</b>	<b>Open</b>	
13:45 – 14:15	updates on epidemics and emergency responses	MPAG Sub-Committee HBI  Dr Maru Aregawi Weldedawit	<b>for information</b>
	<b>Session 3</b>	<b>Open</b>	
14:15 – 15:00	Subnational tailoring of malaria interventions and strategies manual ( <i>critical follow up &amp; dissemination gaps/needs for country uptake</i> )	Dr Arnaud Le Menach	<b>for advice</b>
15:00 – 15:30	<i>Coffee break</i>		
	<b>Session 4</b>	<b>Open</b>	
15:30 – 16:00	Update on guidelines development	Dr Andrea Bosman	<b>for information &amp; advice</b>
16:00	<i>End of day</i>		

### Wednesday, 15 October 2025

		<b>Open</b>	
13:00 – 13:05	Welcome back by the Chairperson, MPAG	Professor Dyann Wirth MPAG Chairperson	
	<b>Session 5</b>	<b>Open</b>	
13:05 – 14:00	Antimalarial drug resistance	MPAG Sub-Committee malaria drug resistance  Dr Charlotte Rasmussen	<b>for advice &amp; information</b>
	<b>Session 6</b>	<b>Open</b>	
14:00 – 15:00	Vector control (updates on development of WHO guidance)	MPAG Sub-Committee Vector Control  Dr Emmanuel Chanda	<b>for advice</b>
15:00 – 15:45	<i>Coffee break</i>		
	<b>Session 7</b>	<b>Open</b>	
15:45 – 15:45	Malaria Big Push initiative to 2030 (updates and WHO inputs)	Dr Michael Charles, Chief Executive Officer, RBM Partnership	<b>for information</b>
15:45	<i>End of day open sessions</i>		

### Thursday, 16 October 2025

	<b>Session 8</b>	<b>Closed (MPAG members &amp; WHO secretariat)</b>	
13:30 – 16:30	Finalization of conclusions	Professor Dyann Wirth MPAG Chairperson	<b>for advice</b>
16:30	<i>End of day closed sessions</i>		

\* Provisional programme and may be subject to change