

The Regional Committee,

Having considered the Regional Director's progress report on the implementation of *New horizons in health*;¹

Noting the way in which the Member States are implementing the concepts and approaches through Healthy Cities and Healthy Islands activities and other country-specific initiatives;

Reaffirming the approaches of *New horizons in health* as the Region's response to global change and contribution to renewal of the health-for-all strategy;

1. URGES Member States:

(1) to continue their development of relevant integrated activities which will bring about the objectives of *New horizons in health*;

(2) to work closely with the Regional Office in the development of sets of indicators relevant to each country's own specific health situation, as part of the development of a regional minimum set of indicators;

2. REQUESTS the Regional Director:

(1) to continue to advocate the concepts and approaches of the document at every opportunity throughout the Region and the Organization;

(2) to continue to support the development of a relevant set of regional indicators, and to work with countries to develop country-specific indicators;

(3) to provide financial and technical support wherever possible to the country initiatives which reflect the priorities of *New horizons in health*;

(4) to provide a progress report to the Regional Committee at its forty-eighth session.

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