

WHO Initiative on measuring the effectiveness and impact of public health and social measures during health emergencies

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❖ **Multiyear initiative launched in June 2021 to accelerate PHSM research and strengthen precision in PHSM policies and implementation**

Preparedness for response

❖ **Key strategic areas**

1. Global monitoring and reviews of PHSM data and research
2. PHSM research methodology and capacity
3. Precision in PHSM decision-making
4. Systematic integration of PHSM into the existing leadership and governance

Equity focus

Multi-hazards approach

2023 Key deliverables of the WHO PHSM Initiative

Global PHSM Monitoring Guidance & Toolkit

- Harmonized policy tracking
- Multi-hazards approach



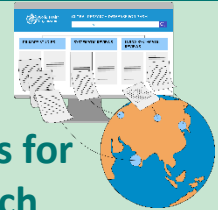
Global PHSM Research Agenda 2021-2030

- Public, multi-step consultation process
- Research priorities for COVID-19 and other respiratory pathogens
- Covers 7 themes relevant for PHSM research



Digital Solutions for PHSM Research

- Publicly accessible one-stop shop for PHSM research
- Primary studies and living systematic reviews
- Mapping of progress against research agenda



PHSM Decision Navigator

- Multi-hazards approach
- Equity-focused
- Menu of PHSM
- Contextual considerations for decision-making
- Options to mitigate unintended negative consequences



Study protocols to measure effectiveness of PHSM

- Timely, comparable, high-quality data for decision-making
- Accelerated ethical approval process during emergencies
- Use preparedness phase for research incl capacity building



Thank you

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