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41st DIRECTING COUNCIL

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RESOLUTION

CD41.R12

MONITORING AND EVALUATION OF THE HEALTH SECTOR REFORM PROCESSES

THE 41ST DIRECTING COUNCIL,

Having seen the document on monitoring and evaluation of the health sector reform processes (Document CD41/14); and

Taking into account that, at the Summit of the Americas in 1994 and the Special Meeting on Health Sector Reform in 1995, with the participation of an interagency committee of the United Nations and multilateral and bilateral cooperation agencies, the governments of the Region identified the need to develop a process for monitoring health sector reform in the Americas,

RESOLVES

1. To recognize the efforts of the Member States and PAHO to design and implement the Methodology for Monitoring and Evaluation of Health Sector Reform in Latin America and the Caribbean.
2. To urge Member States to institutionalize the monitoring and evaluation of their health sector reform processes and apply policies that take into account the results of those processes.
3. To request that the Director:

(a) continue the process for improving and adapting the Methodology for Monitoring and Evaluation of Health Sector Reform in Latin America and the Caribbean, with the active participation of the ministries of health of the Region;

(b) continue cooperation activities that support application of the Methodology and implementation of the health sector reform processes;

(c) prepare periodic reports on the progress made and the problems encountered in the sectoral reform processes of the Region;

(d) promote the establishment of networks for communication and the sharing of experiences on sectoral reform among governments, the private sector, institutions, and other interested actors.

(Eighth meeting, 30 September 1999)