



PAN AMERICAN HEALTH ORGANIZATION
WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION



8th DIRECTING COUNCIL
8th SESSION OF THE REGIONAL COMMITTEE

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RESOLUTION

CD8.R18

GENERAL PROGRAM OF WORK DURING THE PERIOD 1957-60

THE 8th DIRECTING COUNCIL,

Considering that paragraph 1 of Resolution III approved by the Council at its VII Meeting sets forth guiding principles and suitable methods for the development of a plan of long-range public health programs;

Taking into account Resolution I of the XIII Pan American Sanitary Conference, which requires that the Pan American Sanitary Bureau consider itself responsible only for those programs or recommendations that are supported by budgetary funds;

Having in mind the recommendation adopted by the Eighth World Health Assembly in Resolution 10, paragraph 2; and

Having examined Document CD8/12 presented by the Pan American Sanitary Bureau,

RESOLVES

1. To adopt the Program of Work indicated in Document CD8/12,1 which sets forth the general standards for the preparation of the detailed annual programs for the Region of the Americas during the period 1957-1960.
2. To reaffirm the principles and methods approved in Resolution III, paragraph 1, of the VII Meeting of the Directing Council, with respect to the plan for long-range public health programs.
3. To recommend to the Member Countries that have not yet done so that they prepare, during the year 1956 if possible, national plans for public health work for the period 1957-1960, informing the Director of the Pan American Sanitary Bureau of such plans so that he may prepare suitable proposed annual programs and budgets for the period 1957-1960.

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