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WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION



11th DIRECTING COUNCIL

11th SESSION OF THE REGIONAL COMMITTEE

Washington D.C., 21 - 30 September 1959

RESOLUTION

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INTERNATIONAL HEALTH AND MEDICAL RESEARCH YEAR

THE 11th DIRECTING COUNCIL,

Having noted and studied the proposals made by various countries concerning an International Health and Medical Research Year, as well as the action taken thus far by the World Health Assembly, the WHO Executive Board, and the Director-General; 1 and
Having noted the interest of other organizations in cooperating in such an activity,

RESOLVES

1. To express its agreement with the concept of an International Health and Medical Research Year.
2. To urge the Member Governments to submit their comments and specific suggestions to the Director-General of the World Health Organization, in accordance with his request.
3. To urge the Member Governments to start preparation of plans so as to assure full and effective national and local participation if the proposal is approved by the World Health Assembly.

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