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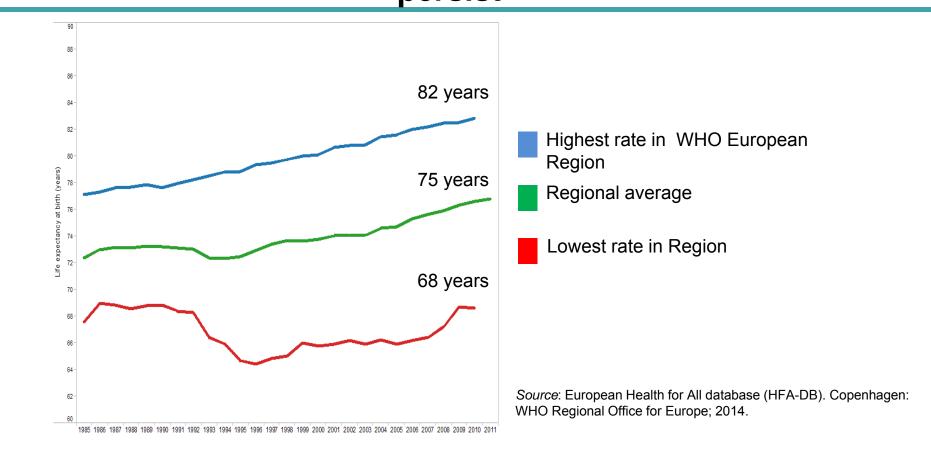
WHO Regional Office for Europe's programmes and actions: strategic reflections for Tajikistan

> Zsuzsanna Jakab WHO Regional Director for Europe

Forum at the Avicenna Tajik State Medical University 24 October 2014, Dushanbe, Tajikistan

Building on the 2010 vision

Life expectancy increased by five years but inequities persist





Facing the future



Health higher on the political agenda

Croatia: World Health Day



Responding to the challenges: renewed policy environment





WHO working with Member States for Health 2020



July 2014: small countries' meeting in San Marino for Health 2020 implementation



May 2014: Health 2020 implementation in the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia



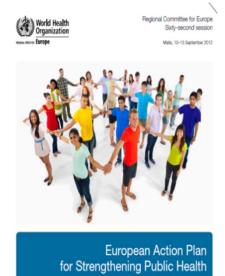
December 2013: meeting on Health 2020 implementation in Turkey



Public health at the heart of Health 2020 implementation







Capacities and Services





Health 2020: counting on strong leadership



Montenegro: Zsuzsanna Jakab with Milo Đukanović, Prime Minister of Montenegro



San Marino: Zsuzsanna Jakab with the Captains Regent of San Marino



Kyrgyzstan: Health 2020 launch with the Prime Minister of Kyrgyzstan and ministers



Better health for Europe: more equitable and sustainable

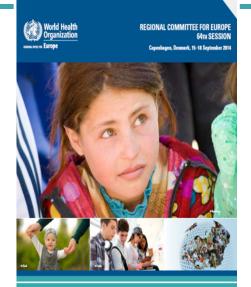


Priority areas for action



Investing in health through a life-course approach and empowering people

Child and adolescent health

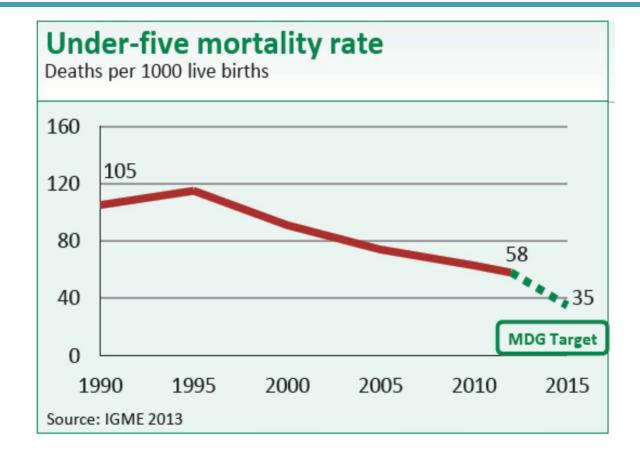


Investing in children: the European child and adolescent health strategy 2015–2020 Estimates of under-5 mortality for the Caucasus and central Asia

49 per 1000 live births (2005) 36 per 1000 live births (2012)



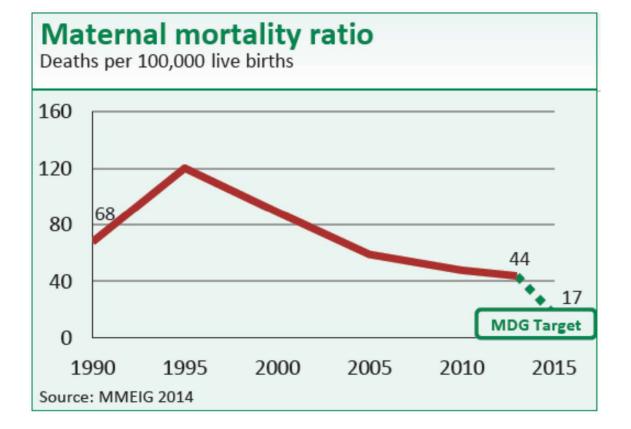
Child and adolescent health in Tajikistan







Transforming maternal health

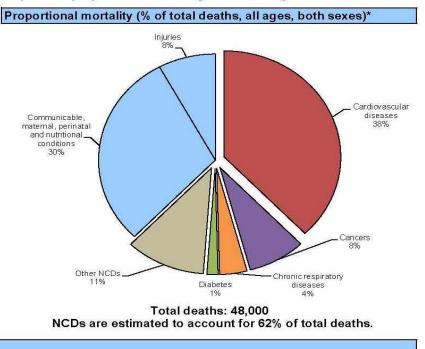




Tackling the Region's major health challenges: noncommunicable diseases (NCDs)

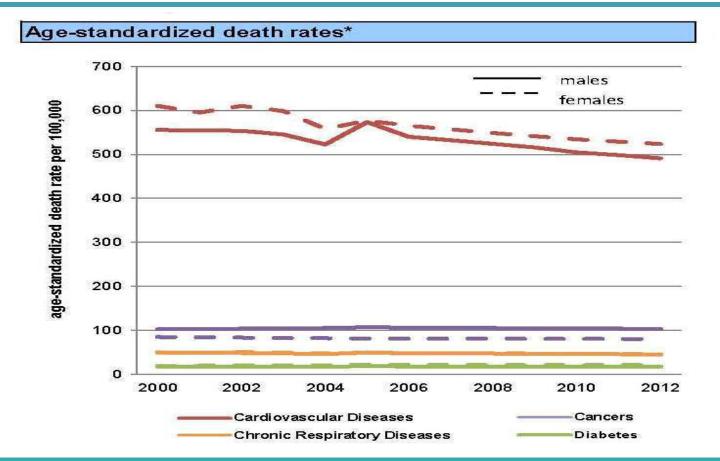
Overall mortality from NCDs in Tajikistan

Percentage of population living in urban areas: 26.5% Population proportion between ages 30 and 70 years: 31.4%





Overall mortality from NCDs in Tajikistan





NCD prevention and management

- NCD strategy and action plan
- Building health systems capacity for NCDs with focus on primary health care



Investing in health promotion and disease prevention

Investments bring returns in short and medium terms



Turkey: health promotion event in Ankara with Dr Mehmet Müezzinoglu, Minister of Health



Management of NCDs





Addressing risk factors





Food and Nutrition Action Plan: follow-up to Vienna Declaration

Vienna Declaration on Nutrition and Noncommunicable Diseases in the Context of Health 2020

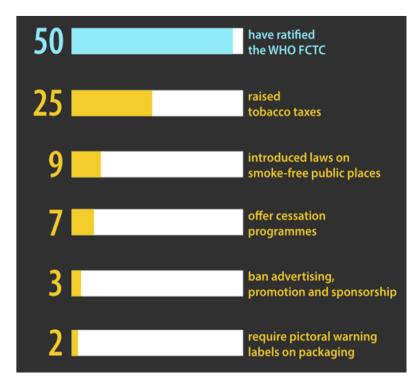




Austria: Federal Minister for Health of Austria and Zsuzsanna Jakab after signing the Vienna Declaration on Nutrition and Noncommunicable Diseases in the Context of Health 2020

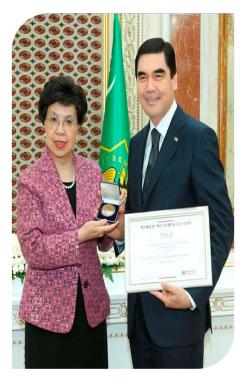


Reducing tobacco use as a regional priority 28% of all adults in the Region smoke





WHO Director-General Margaret Chan presents awards to Viktor Orbán, Prime Minister of Hungary, and Gurbanguly Berdimuhamedow, President of Turkmenistan





Reducing tobacco use – legal instruments



Hungary: opening of the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control (WHO FCTC) meeting in Budapest



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Protocol to Eliminate Illicit Trade in Tobacco Products opened for signature

News release

10 JANUARY 2013 | GENEVA - The Protocol to Eliminate Illicit Trade in Tobacco Products, adopted by the Parties to the WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control (WHO FCTC) in November, was opened for signature by the Parties in a ceremony at WHO Headquarters.

The new international treaty is aimed at combating illegal trade in tobacco products through control of the supply chain and international cooperation. As a key measure, Parties commit to establishing a global tracking and tracing system to reduce and eventually eradicate illicit trade.

Global problem of Illicit trade in tobacco products

Illicit trade in tobacco products is a global problem. It increases the accessibility and affordability of tobacco products thus undermining tobacco control policies and severely burdening health systems. In addition, illicit trade leads to significant revenue losses for governments. The elimination of all forms of illicit trade including smuggling and illegal manufacturing is therefore an essential component of tobacco control.



Tackling the Region's major health challenges: communicable diseases

Combating tuberculosis (TB)

Increasing treatment-enrolment rate 63% in 2012 96% in 2013

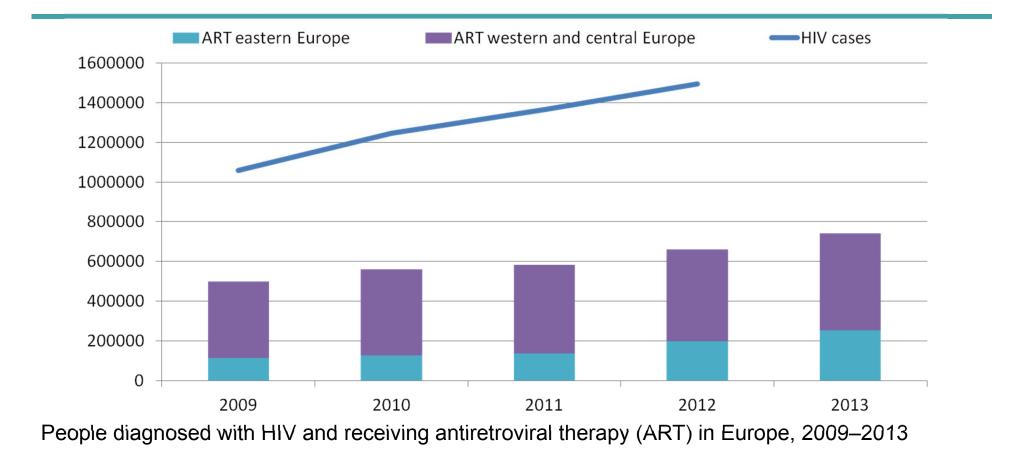
Tajikistan – on the way to universal access:

- 100% treatment coverage of susceptible tuberculosis;
- 75% treatment coverage of multidrugresistant (MDR) TB in 2014 and 100% coverage by end 2014;
- TB burden decreased by 10.4% since 2011; number of new cases decreased by 7.9%
- Rollout of new rapid diagnostic techniques





More people receiving HIV/AIDS treatment





Tajikistan: achievements and challenges

- "Friendly services" an important development
- Over the past 5 years the number of people tested for HIV has nearly tripled, but only about a third of the estimated number of people living with HIV are aware of their status
- ART coverage is being gradually scaled up, but remains low (35% of need, 2013)



Scale up evidence-based interventions



- Deliver high-quality, integrated services
- Use treatment as a strategic means, and for prevention
- Implement evidence-based policies

Tajikistan: example of good practice in eastern Europe

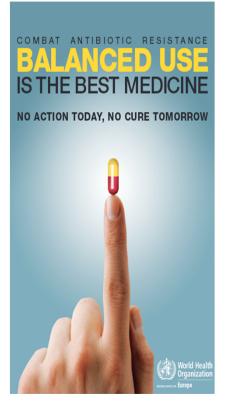
- Introduction and scale up of harm-reduction programme and opioid substitution therapy (OST)
- Harm reduction program and OST programme in penitentiary system



Antimicrobial resistance (AMR): global health threat



Belarus: staff of WHO, the European Society of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases (ESCMID) and the National Institute for Public Health and the Environment (RIVM), Netherlands discuss laboratory procedures with hospital laboratory staff as part of a country assessment on AMR





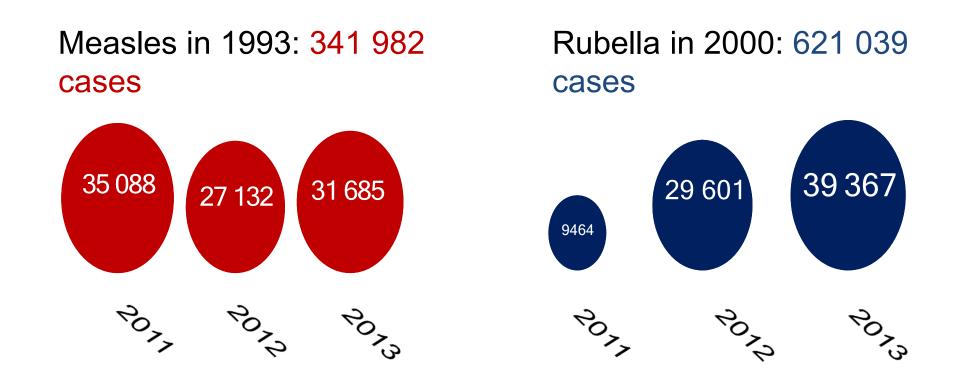
European Vaccine Action Plan – now is the time to act



Her Royal Highness Crown Princess Mary of Denmark, Patron of the WHO Regional Office for Europe



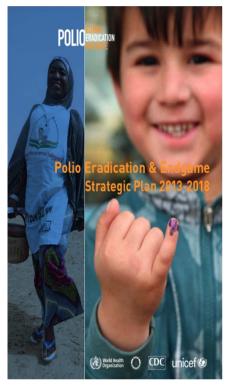
Commitment to eliminating measles and rubella







Last push for global poliomyelitis eradication





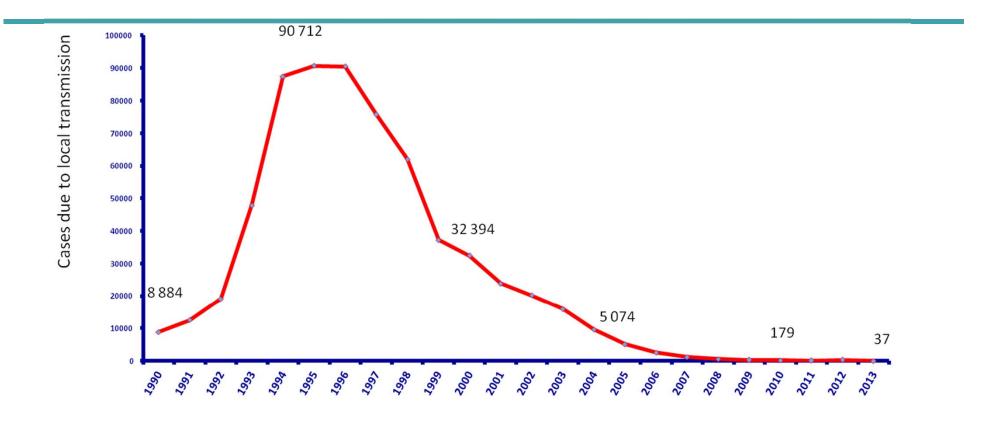
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Global Polio Eradication Initiative Implementing the Polio Eradication and Endgame Strategic Plan 2013–2018

This document is presented to the Regional Committee for Europe to update Member States on progress in polio eradication, including the implementation of temporary recommendations under the *International Health Regulations* (2005) to prevent international spread of poliovirus, preparations for the introduction of inactivated polio vaccine into routine schedules globally, and the development of a framework to guide polio "legacy" planning.



Malaria elimination: within reach



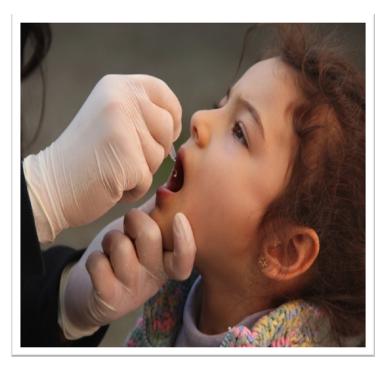
Source: WHO centralized information system for infectious diseases (CISID). Copenhagen: WHO Regional Office for Europe; 2014.



Strengthening emergency preparedness, surveillance and response

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Public health emergencies of international concern



International spread of wild poliovirus



Ebola outbreak in West Africa



Strengthening people-centred health systems and public health capacity

Tallinn Charter five years on



Estonia: meeting on health systems for health and wealth in the context of Health 2020, October 2013



Coordinated, integrated health-service delivery towards people-centred care



Denmark: memorandum of understanding between WHO and the European Forum of National Nursing and Midwifery Associations (EFNNMA), signed by Zsuzsanna Jakab and Valentina Sarkisova, Chairperson of the EFNNMA Steering Committee, in February 2014



Universal health coverage: key strategic focus



 Tajikistan:
 senior policy seminar on health financing, April 2014



Tajikistan: flagship course on strengthening health systems



Environment and health process: "Health 2020 in action"

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Environment and health a global challenge





United Nations General Assembly



Better health for Europe: equitable and sustainable

- Improve healthy life expectancy, extending the period of life lived in good health
- Strive for equity in health
- Link health more closely to sustainable development



Thank you!

