

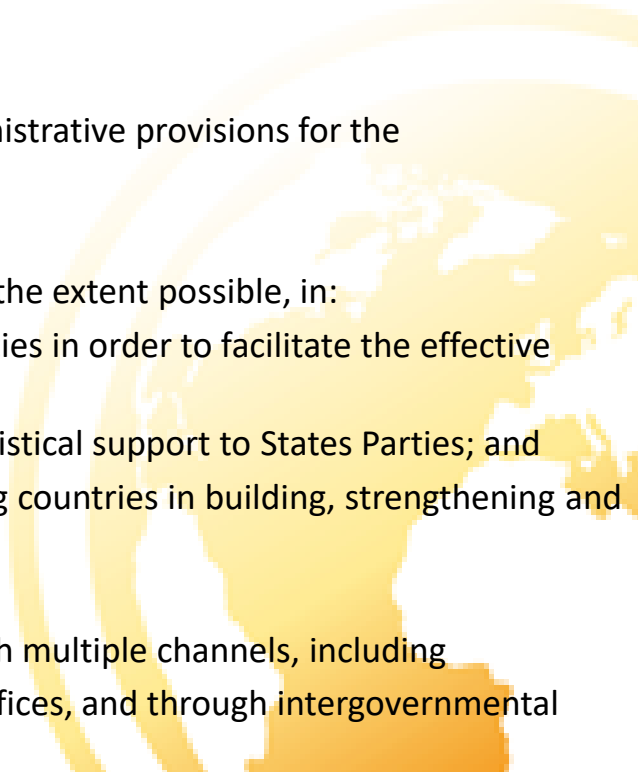
# **The Alliance for Country Assessments for Global Health Security and IHR Implementation**

14 December 2016  
Steering Group Meeting, Bali, Indonesia



# International Health Regulations (2005)

## *Article 44 Collaboration and assistance*

1. States Parties shall undertake to collaborate with each other, to the extent possible, in:
    - (a) the detection and assessment of, and response to, events as provided under these Regulations;
    - (b) the provision or facilitation of technical cooperation and logistical support, particularly in the development, strengthening and maintenance of the public health capacities required under these Regulations;
    - (c) the mobilization of financial resources to facilitate implementation of their obligations under these Regulations;and
    - (d) the formulation of proposed laws and other legal and administrative provisions for the implementation of these Regulations.
  
  2. WHO shall collaborate with States Parties, upon request, to the extent possible, in:
    - (a) the evaluation and assessment of their public health capacities in order to facilitate the effective implementation of these Regulations;
    - (b) the provision or facilitation of technical cooperation and logistical support to States Parties; and
    - (c) the mobilization of financial resources to support developing countries in building, strengthening and maintaining the capacities provided for in Annex 1.
  
  3. Collaboration under this Article may be implemented through multiple channels, including bilaterally, through regional networks and the WHO regional offices, and through intergovernmental organizations and international bodies.
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# JEEs (as of 14 December 2016)

## **27 completed JEEs in 2016:**

Afghanistan

Albania

Armenia

Bahrain

Bangladesh

Cambodia

Cote d'Ivoire

Eritrea

Ethiopia

Jordan

Kyrgyzstan

Lebanon

Liberia

Morocco

Mozambique

Namibia

Pakistan

Qatar

Senegal

Somalia

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Tunisia

Turkmenistan

USA

Viet Nam

## **+ 6 GHSA external assessments in 2015:**

Georgia

Peru

Portugal

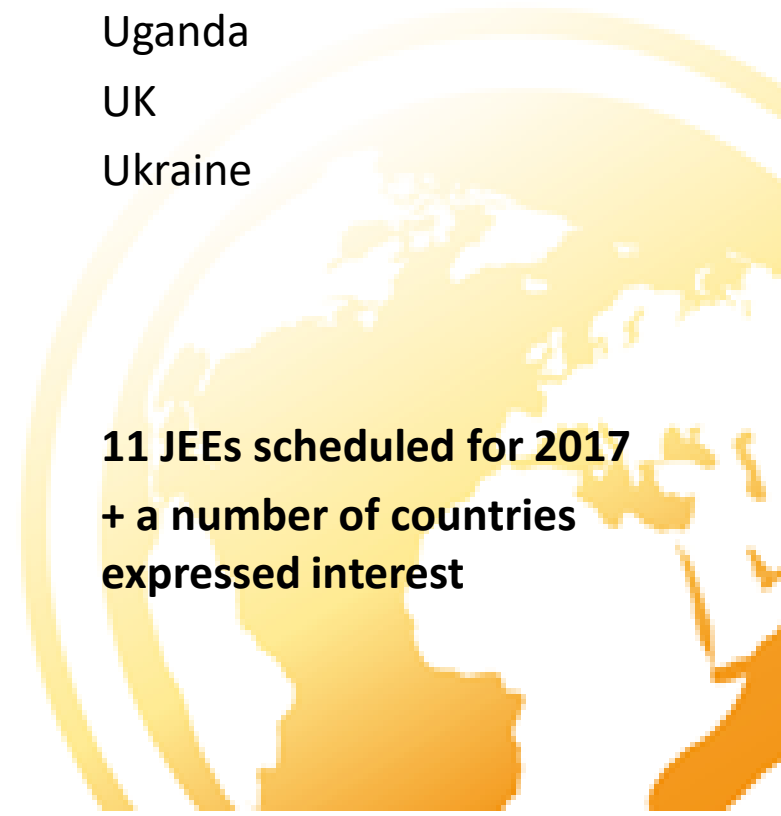
Uganda

UK

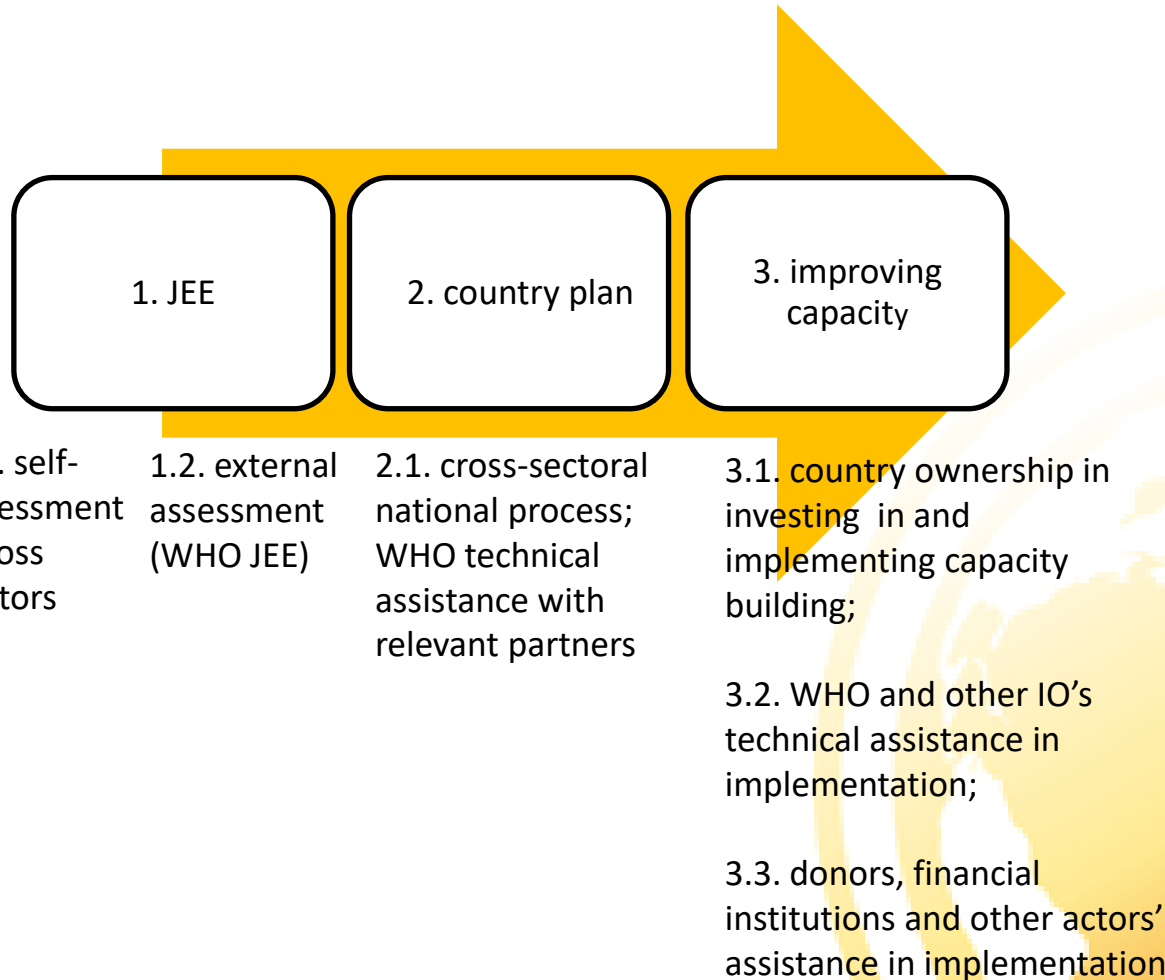
Ukraine

**11 JEEs scheduled for 2017**


**+ a number of countries  
expressed interest**



# Health security as a goal process at a national level



# The Alliance | main characteristics

- Informal platform for discussion that facilitates information exchange and access to funding, and promotes transparency in exchanging information on the results of the assessments - linking external assessments with country plans and country plans with external funding
  - Aims at promoting and supporting the processes of assessments, country plans and capacity building, as well as galvanizing external funding
  - To promote multisectorality, the Alliance brings together relevant sectors at country level and the relevant organizations at the international level, including FAO, OIE, WHO, and financial institutions
  - Open to all countries and organizations interested in promoting external assessments and strengthening national capacities for health security.
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# The Alliance | members (as of 14 December 2016)

Australia	Kenya	Sudan
Bangladesh	Kingdom of Saudi Arabia	Tanzania
Burkina Faso	Malawi	United States of America
Cambodia	Nepal	Uganda
Canada	Netherlands	FAO
Democratic Republic of the Congo	Nigeria	ICAO
Ethiopia	Norway	OIE
Finland	Oman	UNISDR
Gambia	Pakistan	WHO
Georgia	Peru	World Bank
Indonesia	Portugal	African Development Bank (ADB)
Italy	Republic of Korea	
	Senegal	



# The Alliance | members (as of 14 December 2016)

African Field Epidemiology Network (AFENET)

Asia Pacific Leaders Malaria Alliance (APLMA)

Association of Public Health Laboratories (APHL)

Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

Centers for Disease Control Foundation

Center for Global Health Science and Security of Georgetown University

Doctors of the World

Eastern Mediterranean Public Health Network (EMPHNET)

Elizabeth R Griffin Research Foundation

GHSA Private Sector Roundtable

Mekong Basin Disease Surveillance (MBDS)

Next Generation Global Health Security Network

No More Epidemics Campaign

Open Philanthropy Project

PATH

Training Programs in Epidemiology and Public Health Interventions Network  
(TEPHINET)

UN Foundation



# The Alliance | next steps

- Continue to focus on facilitating the process of health security capacity building and IHR implementation at the country level
- Establish four subgroups that will focus on advocacy and funding of external evaluations; enhancing multi-sectoral collaboration; financing of national plans; and harnessing regional capacity
- Establish a website and a web portal for information sharing
- Meet on a regular basis, with the next meeting on 22 January 2017 in Geneva, Switzerland - all interested encouraged to take part





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