

PAHO/WHO Collaborating Centres: Celebrating the Achievement of Our Common Goals

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Eliminating morbidity caused by Neglected Tropical Diseases ... by 2030

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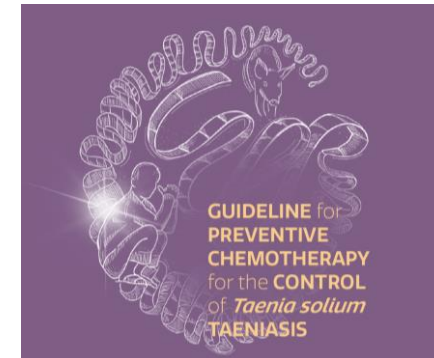
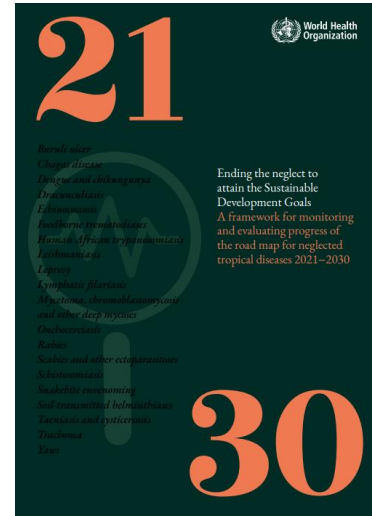
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Overview of Article

This PAHO/WHO CC aligns its activities with the Sustainable Development Goals and the WHO Road Map for Neglected Tropical Diseases 2021-2030.

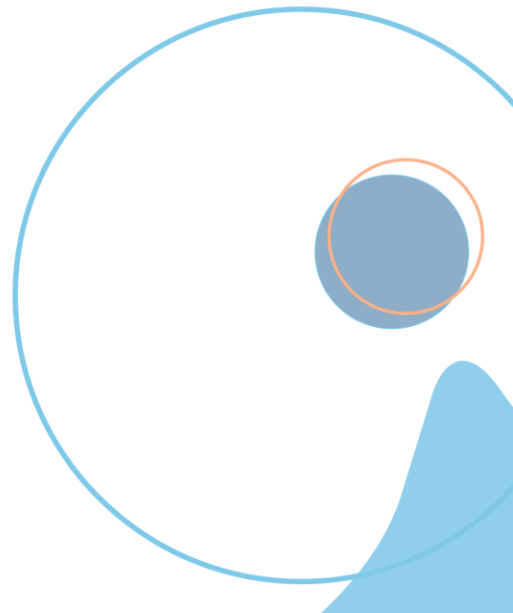
3 examples of activities:

1. Finalizing the Monitoring and Evaluation Framework for the NTD Road Map. *Published in May 2021*
2. Developing new guidelines for the preventive chemotherapy of *Taenia solium* taeniasis. *Published September 2021.*
3. Formulating a policy brief on deworming for adolescent girls and women of reproductive age. *Published January 2022.*



Conclusions/results?

- **This PAHO/WHO CC contributes to on-going evidence-informed policy and guidelines on Neglected Tropical Diseases.**
- GAT: Gap Assessment Tool: qualitative input into strengthening global and country-level activities aimed at the eradication, elimination and control of all 20 neglected tropical diseases by 2030
- **Other contributions:**
 - Canadian Network for Neglected Tropical Diseases
 - NTD Network for NGOs /Nutrition International
 - CENTD Centre of Excellence for NTDs



How does this activity support the Organization's goals and mandates?

- ❖ Collaborate in activities focusing on neglected tropical diseases
- ❖ Promote equity in all activities
- ❖ Combat neglected tropical diseases
- ❖ Improve quality of life for vulnerable people suffering from neglected tropical diseases

