International classification of functioning, disability and health

The Executive Board,

Having considered the report on measuring and reporting on the health of populations,¹ and bearing in mind resolution EB107.R8,

1. WELCOMES the continuation of research and development on data collection processes together with Member States and other competent international bodies with the aim of establishing comparability of data sources and health measures;

2. REQUESTS the Director-General to submit to the Fifty-fourth World Health Assembly the second edition of the International Classification of Impairments, Disabilities and Handicaps (ICIDH-2) with the title International Classification of Functioning, Disability and Health;

3. RECOMMENDS to the Fifty-fourth World Health Assembly the adoption of the following resolution:

The Fifty-fourth World Health Assembly,

1. ENDORSES the second edition of the International Classification of Functioning, Disability and Health (ICIDH-2);

2. URGES Member States to use the ICIDH-2 in their research, surveillance and reporting as appropriate, taking into account specific situations in Member States and, in particular, in view of possible future revisions;

3. REQUESTS the Director General to provide support to Member States, at their request, in making use of ICIDH-2.

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¹ Document EB107/8.