

Deputy Ministers' Committee on Medical Countermeasures (DM – MCM)

May 14, 2020, 2:30pm

Introductions

Topic 1: Vision and Terms of Reference (10 mins)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Review and confirm the vision and terms of reference of the Committee, and its role within the broader COVID-19 governance structures	Health Canada	
<i>(DM Committee Terms of Reference; DM-MCM Committee Placemat)</i>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Roundtable discussion		All
Topic 2: COVID-19 Vaccine Task Force (15 mins)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Update on the proposed Mandate, Terms of Reference, Governance and Membership for the expert Vaccine Task Force		ISED
<i>(COVID-19 Vaccine Strategy Governance)</i>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Discussion of status, implications, opportunities, and next steps		All
Topic 3: Status Update and future needs (15 mins)		
All		
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Update on the status of R&D and potential promising candidatesUpdate on projects funded to date and identification of priority areas and gaps		
Topic 4: CIHR's Rapid Health Research Response to COVID-19 (15 mins)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Discussion of deck from CIHR outlining their support for health research to address COVID-19	CIHR	
<i>(CIHR's Rapid Health Research Response to COVID-19)</i>		
Closing / Next Steps (5 mins)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Discussion on:<ul style="list-style-type: none">Review of Action ItemsNext DM-MCM Committee Meeting		All

Documents:

1. Proposed DM-MCM Terms of Reference
2. DM-MCM Committee Placemat
3. Government of Canada's COVID-19 Vaccine Strategy: Governance
4. CIHR's Rapid Health Research Response to COVID-19