

Friday 22nd August 2025

The Global Health EDCTP3 Joint Undertaking (JU) Secretariat

Letter of endorsement

Dear Sir/Madam,

On behalf of Amsterdam Institute for Global Health and Development (AIGHD), 25 Paasheuvelweg, 1105 BP Amsterdam and in accordance with Council Regulation (EU) No 2085/2021 of 19th November 2021 establishing the joint undertakings under Horizon Europe and specifically Article 9 therein, I hereby submit an application to become a contributing partner to the Global Health EDCTP3 Joint Undertaking (Global Health EDCTP3 JU).

The Amsterdam Institute for Global Health and Development (AIGHD), established in 2009, is a not-for-profit foundation. As a joint institute of the University of Amsterdam (UvA) and Vrije University (VU) - affiliated to the Amsterdam University Medical Centre - AIGHD addresses inequities in health worldwide by conducting cross-disciplinary, socially impactful, and innovative research in equitable partnerships. With a focus on a dynamic research agenda that addresses ever-evolving global health challenges, AIGHD's work spans across four strategic themes: technological innovations in health, pandemic preparedness, understanding social determinants of health and people-centred health systems and policies. With a strong track record in global partnerships and consortium management, AIGHD supports funders, implementing partners and governments to translate scientific evidence into practice and policy. AIGHD's impact lies in its unique approach to studying and implementing research related to health and wellbeing involving disciplines ranging from law to virology.

AIGHD will be contributing to Global Health EDCTP3 JU through an IKOP contribution towards the EACCR4 project for the duration of 48 months. This contribution will provide added value in achieving the project objectives. AIGHD will provide FTE (in kind) of a Senior Scientist (Prof. Constance Schultsz) to support WP7 in the design of the Epidemic preparedness training workshops. She will also facilitate Epidemic preparedness online webinar sessions, focusing on the topic of antimicrobial resistance (AMR). We estimate the total value of this contribution to be 16,364 EUR.

We confirm the following:

1. We will comply with the Horizon Europe Regulation (EU) No 2021/695; Council Regulation (EU) No 2085/2021 establishing the joint undertakings under Horizon Europe; the Model Grant Agreement for Horizon Europe and applicable Global Health EDCTP3 JU rules, including the relevant work programmes, and particularly the call conditions therein.
2. We will keep all information received in the context of our involvement as contributing partner to the Global Health EDCTP3 JU confidential. This confidentiality obligation applies in particular but is not limited to the areas of Global Health EDCTP3 JU call topic preparation and publication, proposal submission and evaluation, and consortium formation. We further understand that this obligation strictly prohibits the release of



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confidential information to any legal entities save where specifically authorised by Global Health EDCTP3 JU. Internal dissemination of information within our organization will be done based on the “need-to-know” principle.

3. We are confident of our ability to fulfil the above commitments and further confirm our understanding that Global Health EDCTP3 JU will allocate resources to the above topic based on these commitments.
4. The value of our contribution will be based on costs calculated in accordance with Article 6 of the Horizon Europe Model Grant Agreement.
5. We accept that additional modalities regarding the provision of our contribution may be defined in subsequent agreements or documents, such as a funding agreement and topic text.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Constance Schultsz', is written over a blue horizontal line.

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