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PANEL REPORT

CALL	
Call:	HORIZON-JU-GH-EDCTP3-2025-01-two-stage
Topic(s):	HORIZON-JU-GH-EDCTP3-2025-01-MALARIA-02
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Panel:	HORIZON-JU-GH-EDCTP3-2025-01-MALARIA-02-two-stage
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Evaluators:	[REDACTED]

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1. BACKGROUND AND SCOPE

This report describes the results of the **panel review** done by the evaluation committee/panel for the evaluation of the following topic

Topic: HORIZON-JU-GH-EDCTP3-2025-01-MALARIA-02
Call: HORIZON-JU-GH-EDCTP3-2025-01-two-stage
Published: 30.01.2025
Deadline: 20.03.2025 (stage 1); 03.09.2025 (stage 2)
Budget:
Total call budget: EUR 122.700.000
Budget for the topic: EUR 30.900.000.

This call covers the following topics/types of action:

Topic code	Topic name	Types of action
HORIZON-JU-GH-EDCTP3-2025-01-TB-01	Global collaboration action for the development of vaccines for reducing the disease burden of Tuberculosis in sub-Saharan Africa	Research and Innovation Actions
HORIZON-JU-GH-EDCTP3-2025-01-MALARIA-02	Global collaboration action for research on existing Malaria therapeutics and clinical development of new antimalarial candidates	Research and Innovation Actions
HORIZON-JU-GH-EDCTP3-2025-01-NTD-03	Accelerating the development of prophylactic vaccines against Neglected Tropical Diseases (NTDs) in sub-Saharan Africa	Research and Innovation Actions

The evaluation was made in accordance with the applicable legal framework and guidance.

2. PANEL REVIEW

The evaluation committee/panel examined and compared the consensus reports (CRs) of the proposals and checked consistency of the comments and the scores against the award criteria set out in the call conditions (**evaluation**).

The committee also examined the answers to the **additional questions** asked (if any; exceptional funding).

The committee/panel made — for each proposal — an **evaluation summary report (ESR)** (see Annex 3).

On the basis of the scores in the evaluation summary reports, the committee/panel then made a **panel ranked list** (see Annex 1) — also recommending (if necessary) a **priority order** for proposals with the same score (in accordance with the procedure set out in the call conditions).

2.1 Analysis of consensus results — Evaluation summary reports (ESR)

After analysis of the consensus results, the evaluation committee/panel considers the evaluation consistent. The scores and the comments on the award criteria in the **consensus reports** are **confirmed**.

Consolidated information on these questions is shown in Annex 4.

2.2 Panel ranked list — Priority order

On the basis of the scores retained in the evaluation summary reports (ESRs), the evaluation committee/panel made a **panel ranked list** for above-threshold proposals.

This ranking is based on the overall score (defined as the *unweighted* sum of the scores of the individual award criteria).

2.3 Evaluation outcome

Table A: Number of evaluated proposals and evaluation outcome (broken down by topic)

Topic code	Number of evaluated proposals	Number of below-threshold proposals		Number of above-threshold proposals	
HORIZON-JU-GH-EDCTP3-2025-01-TB-01	6	1	17%	5	83%
HORIZON-JU-GH-EDCTP3-2025-01-MALARIA-02	9	4	44%	5	66%
HORIZON-JU-GH-EDCTP3-2025-01-NTD-03	12	9	75%	3	25%
Total	27	14	52%	13	48%

For the panel ranked list, along with a final score and the evaluation committee/panel recommendations for priority order, see Annex 1.

For the list of below-threshold proposals, see Annex 2.

For the evaluation summary reports (ESRs), see Annex 3.

3. ADDITIONAL COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The evaluation committee/panel has the following comments and observations:

Moreover,

For future calls, the evaluation committee/panel would recommend the following

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Call Coordinator

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ANNEXES

LIST OF ANNEXES

Annex 1	Panel ranked list
Annex 2	List of below-threshold proposals
Annex 3	Evaluation summary reports (ESRs)
Annex 4	Consolidated information on the additional questions: Not applicable
	Annex 4a List of proposals involving exceptional funding
	Annex 4b List of proposals involving hESC: Not applicable
Annex 5	Panel hearing minutes: Not applicable
Annex 7	Report on SEP actions on behalf of experts: Not applicable
Annex 8	Report on conflict of interests

PANEL RANKED LIST

Rank	Proposal Number	Proposal Acronym	Total Score	Evaluation Status	Number of Participants	SME Participants	Proposal Budget	Proposal Duration	Requested Grant	SME Requested Grant	Expert Cumulative Budget
1	101248917-2	WANECA3	14	Above Threshold	11	0	10,296,177.50 €	60	10,296,177.50 €	0.00 €	10,296,177.50 €
2	101248869-2	RAMP	13.5	Above Threshold	17	0	15,806,856.25 €	60	10,298,968.75 €	0.00 €	20,595,146.25 €
3	101248948-2	CUREMAL	13.5	Above Threshold	10	0	22,888,140.75 €	54	8,417,294.00 €	0.00 €	29,012,440.25 €
4	101248797-2	FACT	12.5	Above Threshold	10	1	10,139,216.25 €	60	10,139,216.25 €	502,000.00 €	39,151,656.50 €
5	101248967-2	MIRACLE	12	Above Threshold	11	0	11,175,000.00 €	54	10,300,000.00 €	0.00 €	49,451,656.50 €
6	101249136-2	PREVENT	11.5	Below Threshold	6	0	10,930,281.25 €	60	10,930,281.25 €	0.00 €	60,381,937.75 €
7	101249134-2	TACTIC	10.5	Below Threshold	6	0	14,840,734.50 €	48	6,968,751.55 €	0.00 €	67,350,689.30 €
8	101249003-2	IMPACT	9.5	Below Threshold	8	0	10,344,571.25 €	60	10,344,571.25 €	0.00 €	77,695,260.55 €
9	101248981-2	E-STAR	9	Below Threshold	16	1	14,637,956.25 €	60	9,799,990.49 €	520,312.50 €	87,495,251.04 €

LIST OF BELOW-THRESHOLD PROPOSALS

Proposal Number	Proposal Acronym	Proposal Title	Reason	Requested Grant	ESR Score
101249003-2	IMPACT	IMPact of Multiple First-Line Therapy alone or in combination With Primaquine on containing resistance to Artemisinin-Based Combination therapy (ACT) In East Africa	Proposal failed to pass the threshold of multiple criteria	10,344,571 €	9.5
101249134-2	TACTIC	Targeting school-Age Children for malaria Transmission Interruption at Community level	Proposal failed to pass the threshold of multiple criteria	6,968,752 €	10.5
101248981-2	E-STAR	ENHANCED SURVEILLANCE AND TREATMENT ADAPTATION FOR ARTEMISININ RESISTANCE IN AFRICA	Proposal failed to pass the threshold of multiple criteria	9,799,990 €	9
101249136-2	PREVENT	PREVENTION AND REDUCTION OF MALARIA THROUGH VACCINATION AND CHEMOTHERAPY	Proposal failed to pass the threshold of criterion 1	10,930,281 €	11.5

LIST OF EVALUATION SUMMARY REPORTS (ESRs)¹

The evaluation summary reports for the following proposals are attached:

Project number	Project acronym
101248917-2	WANECAM 3
101248869-2	RAMP
101248948-2	CUREMAL
101248797-2	FACT
101248967-2	MIRACLE
101249136-2	PREVENT
101249134-2	TACTIC
101249003-2	IMPACT
101248981-2	E-STAR

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS

Exceptional funding

Proposal Number	Proposal Acronym	Participant(s) that should exceptionally be funded	Participant(s) that should NOT be funded
101248869-2	RAMP	the following self-declared IO: Epicentre Mbarara Research – 1,461,837.50 Euros (Personnel, Sub-contracts, Travel Expenses, Equipment, Other good & services and Indirect Costs)	