

# INSTITUTIONALIZING EVIDENCE-INFORMED POLICY-MAKING FOR DELIVERY FOR IMPACT

## NEDtP Webinar Series 2025

Network of Institutions for Evidence and Data to Policy (NEDtP), Eastern Mediterranean Region

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### Date, Time (EET)

### Title

### Speakers

12 February 12:00-13:30	<b>Innovations in Evidence Synthesis: Leveraging Technology and Collaboration to Advance Sustainable Development Goals</b>
19 March 12:00-13:30	<b>Evidence Synthesis and Quality Assessment in Guideline Development</b>
22 April 12:00-13:30	<b>Adapting the Clinical Practice and Public Health Guidelines with MAGICapp</b>
20 May 14:30-16:00	<b>Harnessing the Power of Collaboration: The Role of the Evidence Synthesis Infrastructure Collaborative in Strengthening Evidence Use for Impact</b>
23 June 12:00-13:30	<b>WHO's Vision for Building a Resilient Science Ecosystem</b>
15 July 12:00-13:30	<b>Capacity Building for Guideline Development in Low-Resource Settings</b>
4 August 12:00-13:30	<b>Enhancing Evidence-Based Healthcare with JBI Tools and Resources</b>
18 August 12:00-13:30	<b>From Data to Impact: WHO's Support in Action</b>

- DR KARLA SOARES-WEISER**  
*Editor-in-Chief, Cochrane Library* 
- DR LUBNA AL-ANSARY**  
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- DR JEREMY FARRAR**  
*Chief Scientist, WHO* 
- DR HOLGER SCHUNEMANN**  
*Chair of the Executive Committee, Guidelines International Network* 
- DR ZOE JORDAN**  
*Executive Director, Joanna Briggs Institute* 
- DR SAMIRA ASMA**  
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### Closing session



**DR HANAN BALKHY**  
*WHO Regional Director for the Eastern Mediterranean*

**Transforming Evidence and Data into Policy for Impact: WHO Strategy**  
15 September, 12:00-13:30



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