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Briefing to ACCRPG/7

Public Health Subgroup (PH SG)

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- **PH Subgroup's next meeting:** 8th meeting – 1st October

- **PH Subgroup's Current Focus on Top 3 Challenges**

Establish structured communications between Aviation and PH Authorities (Regional)
Testing / Quarantine / Recovered Persons (International harmonised regime)
Challenges in implementing CART guidance (States' feedback)

- **Structured Communications between Aviation and PH Authorities**

PH Subgroup and Secretariat support for the two planned activities

- WHO / ICAO Webinar on **5th October** (Invitation sent by SL on 17 Sep)
- ICAO / WHO Aviation-Public Health Experts Roundtable (date tbc)

Objective: Building mindshare and consensus to facilitate aviation restart and recovery through science-based, risk calibrated approach and solutions

Work: Deliberate on possible interventions from aviation side to be the webinar



➤ **Testing / Quarantine / Recovered Persons**

- Brief overview presented at the ACCPRG/6
- **CAPSCA Subgroup on Testing and Cross-border Risk Mitigation Measures**, reporting to CART WG1 (to avoid duplication of work, PH Subgroup will monitor progress at CART level)

➤ **Challenges in implementing CART guidance**

- Challenges/issues collated through the State responses to the Checklist on International and Domestic Aviation
- Comments and recommendations formulated through the meeting / work of the Subgroup (in progress)
- Main common challenges reported by States were forwarded to the ICAO HQ through the APAC RO, already presented at CART/7 Meeting
- Position Statements on challenges which merit further consideration by ACCRPG and/or CART are being compiled
- Assessment and recommendation for remaining challenges will be considered by the next Subgroup meeting.



Questions

Thank you