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Meeting Outcomes

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• The meeting was attended by a total of one hundred and sixty (160) participants from

forty nine (49) States and twelve (12) International Organizations/Industries.

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Agenda

- Impact of COVID-19 on Aviation and State Recovery Plans;
- State Priorities and challenges to reach full recovery;
- What is next (Lessons learnt) to improve/enhance:
 - National Preparedness and Response Plans;
 - the Contribution of Aviation Partners and Integration of Public Health Measure in the States Aviation Systems;
- iPack on Public Health Corridor (PHC); and
- International Organizations and CAPSCA Global partners' updates on Public Health Management.

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Outcomes

- Implementation of CART III / TOGD outcomes
- Response and Recovery Implementation Centre (CRRIC)
- CAPSCA Programme
- Risk Assessment Approach
- COVID-19 Testing
- Aviation and Disaster Risk Reduction

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Future Work Progroramme

- CAPSCA Assistance visit in 2022 (to be envisaged)
- The meeting agreed on the organization of:
 - joint CAPSCA meetings with adjacent Regions as far as possible, and
 - a Workshop on Aviation Medicine (previously planned) back-to-back with the upcoming CAPSCA-MID/10 meeting.
- The meeting urged the 71 EUR/MID States to support CAPSCA strengthening in the coming A-41 through coordinated Working papers. The meeting encouraged the EUR states who are not yet CAPSCA members to be approached individually and requested to become members.



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