

ISGlobal designation as WHO Collaborating Centre in malaria, renewed until 2025

The work plan includes support to WHO in the translation of evidence into policy and technical guidance, the recovery of lessons from history and in training activities

The World Health Organisation renewed the Barcelona Institute for Global Health (ISGlobal) designation as a **WHO Collaborating Centre for Malaria Control, Elimination and Eradication**, which will be valid **until 2025**.

The designation falls within [WHO's Collaborating Centres programme](#), designed to harness the expertise and capacities of leading research institutions to support its own activities.

As a Collaborating Centre, ISGlobal will support WHO in its key task of providing **technical guidance** and **developing policy** by facilitating translation of existing evidence. ISGlobal will perform **analysis of the research landscapes** in priority areas for WHO, conduct **systematic evidence reviews** in priority areas, support WHO in the **identification of research and development areas** that will potentially have impact **in reducing the malaria burden**, and ensure that lessons from the history of malaria control, elimination and eradication are useful to current efforts.

The renewed work plan also includes collaboration with WHO in the development of **training activities** to strengthen data-driven approaches to the implementation of malaria programmes in endemic countries.

ISGlobal was first designated WHO Collaborating Centre in 2017, following a longer story of collaboration between both institutions. This is the second time that this designation has been renewed.

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