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Dear Ms Söber,

**Request for nomination of representative(s) to the WHO/Europe Regional Workshop Unlocking the Power of Data and Human Resources for Health Information Systems to Support Health and Care Workforce Development in the WHO European Region, March 25, 2025**

To advance health and care workforce priorities as laid out in the resolution EUR/RC73/8 framework for action on the health and care workforce in the WHO European Region 2023–2030, the WHO Regional Office for Europe is convening a regional one-day virtual workshop on March 25, 2025, 09:00 to 16:30 (Central European Time). The aim of the workshop will be to discuss and exchange regional experiences on data collection, analysis and use of health and care workforce data and information for policy-making. For more information, the scope and purpose is enclosed.

The workshop will bring together data focal points with the nominated health workforce focal points, namely, the focal point to the WHO/Europe Network of Human Resources for Health, and the Government Chief Nurse and/or Midwife or equivalent positions to the WHO/Europe Government Chief Nursing and Midwifery Officers Hub.

To ensure effective representation at the regional workshop, we are seeking nominations of a representative holding the responsibility of health and care workforce data and information systems.

In addition to the nominated representative, please note that direct invitations to the meetings have been sent to all the Government Chief Nurse and/or Midwife and the focal point to the WHO/Europe Network of Human Resources for Health.

We would very much appreciate if you could share the contact details (name, functional title, and email address) of the representative(s) by **25 February 2025**. Please send the nominations by email to Dr Tomas Zapata ([zapatat@who.int](mailto:zapatat@who.int)) and Dr Alba Llop-Girones ([llopa@who.int](mailto:llopa@who.int)).

We look forward to receiving your country nomination(s).

Yours sincerely,

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Scope and Purpose

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