

STATE PARTY REPORT PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH 1 OF ARTICLE 54 OF  
INTERNATIONAL HEALTH REGULATIONS (2005) (IHR (2005) )  
REPORTING FORMAT PROPOSED BY THE WHO SECRETARIAT

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If there are any questions in relation to the following questionnaire please contact the IHR Secretariat by e-mail at [ihradmin@who.int](mailto:ihradmin@who.int)

1. National IHR Focal Point (NFP), (IHR (2005), Article 4)

(Please mark appropriate box)

a) Has the State Party designated an NFP? Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
b) Has the State Party provided to WHO full contact details for the NFP (including name of institution and office, mailing address, names of responsible individuals, telephone number, fax number, e-mail address)?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
c) Is the NFP available for IHR communications at all times i.e. 24 hours a day, 7 days a week (24/7)?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Please describe the means of ensuring 24/7 availability for communication:		
<p>La oficina del Centro Nacional de Enlace opera en días laborales de 8am a 6pm, secretaria recepcionista y mínimo 3 profesionales disponibles para recibir notificaciones de todo tipo, atender consultas y con capacidad de activar el GRR rápida si necesario;</p> <p>En los fines de semana (sábado y domingo) y días feriados, la oficina cuenta con un recepcionista que recibe notificaciones y otros envíos y se comunica con el personal pertinente y el CNE, opera de 8am a 5pm.</p> <p>En la tanda de la noche, los números celulares del CNE y la coordinación de vigilancia están disponibles para atender cualquier llamada relacionada y proceder con la activación de los equipos de "verificación" de solicitudes generadas desde el IHR admin.</p>		
<u>(additional pages may be attached if necessary)</u>		
d) Have communication channels been established with other relevant sectors for the purposes of NFP operations (e.g. authorities for: agriculture, food safety, ports / airports / ground crossings, health care providers, environment and defence)?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Please list the sectors / authorities / agencies with whom the NFP has established links:		
1. Secretaria de Estado de Turismo		
2. Centro de Operaciones de Emergencias		
3. Secretaria de Estado de Agricultura		
4. Dirección General de Drogas y Farmacias		
5. Secretaria de Estado de Relaciones Exteriores		
<p>(additional pages may be attached if necessary)</p>		

e) Have communication channels been established between the NFP and other officials or officers potentially responsible for making decisions at the national level of the State Party concerning the IHR (2005)?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
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NFP communications with the regional WHO IHR Contact Point		
f) Please state number of events notified or otherwise reported to WHO using the IHR communication mechanism	Number:	0
g) Please state number of events for which verification was provided to WHO under Article 10 of IHR (2005)	Number:	6
NFP access to the IHR Event Information Site		
h) Has the NFP obtained access to the IHR Event Information Site? Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>

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2. Responsible authorities (IHR (2005), Article 4)

(Please mark appropriate box)

a) Has the State Party identified the authorities responsible within its jurisdiction for the implementation of health measures under the IHR (2005)?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
b) Has the State Party undertaken any action to ensure that personnel involved in implementing IHR (2005) have an understanding of, and sustain, the new rights, obligations and procedures laid out in the Regulations?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>If the answer to question 2b) is yes, please describe briefly what actions have been undertaken:</b>		
(additional pages may be attached if necessary)		

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3. Points of entry (IHR (2005), Articles 19 - 22, 3 9, Annexes 1B and 3)

(Please mark appropriate box)

a) Has the State Party identified the competent authorities for application of health measures at points of entry?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b) Has the State Party designated the points of entry for the development of the core capacities set out in Annex 1B of the IHR (2005) for the following?		
Ports	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Number:		
Airports	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Number:		
Ground crossings	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Number:		
c) Has the State Party assessed the national capacities for designated airports, ports and ground crossings?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If the answer to question 3c) is yes, has this assessment been documented?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
d) Has the State Party developed an implementation plan to ensure that point of entry capacities will be present and functioning by 2012?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
e) Has the State Party provided WHO with a list of ports authorized to issue Ship Sanitation Control Certificates, Exemption Certificates and extensions?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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4. National core capacities in surveillance and response (IHR (2005), Articles 5, 13, 19 and Annex 1A)

(Please mark appropriate box)

a) Has the State Party assessed the national capacities for surveillance and response as set out in Annex 1A?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
SOLO A NIVEL PROVINCIAL	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
If the answer to question 4a) is yes, has this assessment been documented?		
b) Has the State Party developed an implementation plan to ensure that the required surveillance and response capacities are present and functioning throughout its territory by 2012?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
c) Has the State Party established a national public health emergency response plan as provided in Annex 1A, (g)?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>

5. Identifying financial resource gaps in implementing the core capacity requirements under IHR (2005)

Has the State Party identified the extent of any additional financial resources needed to ensure that core capacity requirements for surveillance and response and at points of entry are implemented? Yes  No

If the answer to the foregoing question is yes, please provide an estimate of the size of the resource gap in US dollars and indicate if any plans have been made to cover this gap either from national or external funding resources:

Estimated funding gap in US \$

Describe briefly funding plans, if any:

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6. National legislative, administrative and other legal implementation measures

(Please mark appropriate box)

a) Has the State Party assessed the need to modify its national laws (including legislation, administrative regulations and any other relevant provisions) in order to fully implement the IHR (2005)? Yes  No

b) Has the State Party adopted any legislation, administrative regulations or other legal measures to implement the IHR (2005)? Yes  No

If the answer to question 6b) is yes, please list each of these measures:

Disposición administrativa #00005, mayo 2006, del Secretario de Salud Publica que actualiza la lista de enfermedades y eventos de notificación obligatoria incluyendo las enfermedades listadas por el anexo 2 del RSI2005 para las cuales un caso es considerando inusitado o imprevisto y puede tener repercusiones importantes a la salud pública.

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c) Does the State Party intend to adopt any legislation, administrative regulations or other legal measures to implement the IHR (2005) in the future? Yes  No

If the answer to question 6c) is yes, please identify each of these measures and the expected date of adoption:

∇ Disposicion ministerial que designa la composicion y funciones de los Grupos de Alerta y Respuesta Rapida frente emergencias salud publica

∇ Actualización del reglamento de Sanidad para Puertos, Aeropuertos y Pasos fronterizos 1956.

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7. State Party participation in relevant regional arrangements (IHR (2005), Articles 44 and 57)

(Please mark appropriate box)

Does the State Party participate in any regional arrangements that explicitly address IHR implementation? Yes  No

If the answer to the foregoing question is yes, please identify each of these arrangements:

∇ Proyecto regional CDC-CAP-USAID/SESPAS para el fortalecimiento de las capacidades para la vigilancia, laboratorio y respuesta rápida para Centro America, Panamá y Rep. Dominicana, 2006-2007 y segunda parte 2008

∇ Proyecto de Cooperación Técnica Entre Países (CTEP) para la implementación del RSI (2005). Evaluación de Capacidades Básicas para el RSI 2005, en países Centroamericanos, RD y Cuba

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