

# Healthcare Technology Transfer Roadmap in Arab Countries

- The Arab World has the necessary elements for creating a paradigm shift and become a global partner in the development of Health Technologies rather than being a passive consumer. Accordingly, the following Roadmap is recommended for ESCWA:
- To assist the right authorities within the Arab Countries to formulate a comprehensive public policy with the relevant metrics to assess innovation in healthcare and their impact.
- To set up a common organigram in healthcare technologies for all Arab countries including a permanent commission on healthcare.
- To promote the role of Technology Facilitators in bilaterally outreaching international initiatives in health technologies on the one hand and local stakeholders on the other hand.
- To assist in the development of an effective Intellectual Property protection process across the Arab world.
- To promote the establishment of a collaborative platform to realize a Pan Arab High-Tech Medical Technology Model.
- To promote the establishment of a regulatory Pan Arab agency for the certification of quality and safety compliance of the developed Health Technologies.
- To determine a project plan for the implementation of the different phases of the established roadmap on realizing healthcare technologies in the Arab countries.