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Dear Dr Belkania,

## Reproductive, Maternal, Newborn, Child, and Adolescent Health Policy Survey 2018 in the WHO European Region

The Global Reproductive, Maternal, Newborn, Child, and Adolescent Health Policy Survey is undertaken by the Departments of Maternal, Newborn, Child and Adolescent Health (MCA) and Reproductive Health and Research (RHR) of WHO in collaboration with the WHO Regional Office for Europe. The objective is to track country progress in adopting WHO recommendations in national health policies, strategies and guidelines related to RMNCAH.

Previously, a WHO MNCAH Policy Survey was conducted in four rounds: 2009-10, 2011-12, 2013-14, and 2016. The results of these survey rounds can be found here: <a href="http://www.who.int/maternal">http://www.who.int/maternal</a> child adolescent/epidemiology/policy-indicators/en/

This letter is to request your country to participate in the current round of the survey and I should be grateful if you would facilitate this process.

This survey is now conducted online in a modular format (cross cutting, maternal and newborn health, child health, adolescent health, reproductive health, and gender-based violence). This modular format allows for multiple respondents to contribute, with one lead respondent whose responsibility is to ensure all modules have been completed.

We are requesting you to nominate the lead person for coordination and completing the survey by 7 September 2018. We will then further communicate with this person and provide detailed guidance and a link to the survey platform.

For any questions and clarifications please contact Dr Nino Berdzuli (<u>berdzulin@who.int</u>) or Dr Martin Weber (<u>weberm@who.int</u>).

I should like to warmly thank you for your support of the process.

Yours sincerely,

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