

The Arab Republic of Egypt

World Health Organisation (WHO) Committee

Eradication of Polio

The Arab Republic of Egypt thinks that poliomyelitis needs to be taken as an emergency immediately. Egypt has suffered from polio for decades and sees polios eradication as a priority. Egypt shares the same opinions as the countries that believe the eradication of polio should be considered as a priority worldwide and that if we don't take poliomyelitis as an emergency, then we should expect to have a lot more problems about polio and the damage it will create in the future.

Egypt has suffered from polios damage a lot in the past, even before the poliomyelitis vaccine. Egypt had the disease for decades and has been dealing actively with poliomyelitis since the first vaccine for polio was found in 1953. Also, Egypt has a long history of polio control activities and a strong childhood immunization program which people had high hopes for them to completely exterminate polio in the country.

To eradicate polio, Egypt thinks that one of the most important things to do is to have treated water. Dirty water that people drink contains lots of viruses and are probably the creators of many diseases. Alongside with vaccination programmes, Egypt also believes that if we have clean water and food supplies, then we can eradicate polio much faster. Vaccination programmes are very important and are the main solution of polios eradication. If everyone takes the vaccination programmes to increase immunizations seriously, then the world will be polio-free.

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