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Main Events

High Level Conference on strengthening the EU role in Global Health:
• 25th March (VTC)

Council Working Party on Public Health Senior Level:
• 20th April (VTC)

High Level Conference on Access to Medicines and Medical Devices:
• 29th-30th April, Lisbon (In-Person Meeting – tbc)

European Cancer Research Summit 2021 (Joint event with Ministry of Science and Technology):
• 3rd May, Porto (In-Person Meeting – tbc)

4th eHealth Summit:
• 1st-2nd June, Lisbon (In-Person Meeting – tbc)
Expert Meetings

Joint meeting of the Chief Medical, Dental and Nursing Officers:
• 31st March (VTQ)

Meeting of the EU Member States Experts Group on Global Health
• 8th April (VTQ)

Meeting of the EU-Directors for Pharmaceutical Policy
• 9th April (VTQ)

Meeting of La Valletta Technical Committee
• 11th-12th May, Lisbon, (In-Person Meeting - tbc)

19th eHealth Network Meeting
• 3rd-4th June, Lisbon, (In-Person Meeting - tbc)

Joint Meeting of the Heads of Medicines Agencies (HMA) and the Competent Authorities for Medical Devices (CAMD)
• 7th-9th June, Lisbon, (In-Person Meeting - tbc)
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