



# Middle East North Africa (MENA) Regional Meeting

**LOCATION:** Tunis, Tunisia

**FORMAT:** In-person

**VENUE:** Mövenpick Hotel du Lac

**DATE:** September 24 & 25, 2025

**Advancing HTA in the MENA Region: Promoting Equity, Efficiency, and  
Innovation in Healthcare**

## Meeting Agenda (Draft)

Day One	
	<b>Registration and Networking</b>
<b>08:50 – 09:30</b>	<b>Welcome Messages</b>
08:50 – 09:00	HTAi
09:00 – 09:10	Minister of Health
09:10 – 09:20	National Authority of Assessment & Accreditation in Healthcare (INEAS)
09:20 – 9:30	World Health Organization (WHO)
<b>09:30 – 09:50</b>	<b>Keynote Presentation: HTA as a Cornerstone of Universal Health Coverage: Ensuring Equitable Access and Efficient Resource Allocation</b>
<b>09:50 – 11:10</b>	<b>Session 1 (part I) – HTA Across the MENA Region: Where Are We Standing?</b>
09:50 – 10:00	<b>Tunisia</b>
10:00 – 10:10	<b>Jordan</b>
10:10 – 10:20	<b>Morocco</b>
10:20 – 10:30	<b>Lebanon</b>
10:30 – 10:40	<b>Algeria</b>
10:40 – 10:50	<b>Egypt</b>
10:50 – 11:10	<b>Q&amp;A</b>
11:10 – 11:40	<b>Networking Coffee Break</b>

<b>11:40 – 12:50</b>	<b>Session 1 (part II) – HTA Across the MENA Region: Where Are We Standing?</b>
11:40 – 11:50	<b>Oman</b>
11:50 – 12:00	<b>United Arab Emirates – Abu Dhabi</b>
12:00 – 12:10	<b>United Arab Emirates – Dubai</b>
12:10 – 12:20	<b>Kingdom of Saudi Arabia</b>
12:20 – 12:30	<b>Qatar</b>
12:30 – 12:50	<b>Q&amp;A</b>
12:50 – 14:00	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>14:00 – 15:30</b>	<b>Session 2: Functional HTA for Sustainable and Resilient Health Systems</b>
14:00 – 14:20	<b>What is Required for a Functional HTA Body?</b>
14:20 – 14:40	<b>HTA and Decision Making: Synergy Between Regulation, HTA, and Management</b>
14:40 – 15:10	<b>International Collaboration as a Key to Success: Opportunities for MENA Countries</b>
15:10 – 15:30	<b>Q&amp;A</b>
<b>15:30 – 16:20</b>	<b>SESSION 3 (part I): HTA and Access to Medicines in the MENA Region</b>
15:30 – 15:50	<b>Public Health: The Forgotten Dimension of HTA</b>
15:50 – 16:10	<b>Improving Access to Innovation in the MENA Region: Thinking Out of the Box</b>
16:10 – 16:20	<b>Q&amp;A</b>
<b>16:20 – 16:30</b>	<b>Recap of Day One &amp; Presentation of Day Two</b>
<b>17:30 – 19:30</b>	<b>Networking Reception</b>

## Day Two

	<b>SESSION 3 (part II): HTA and Access to Medicines in the MENA Region</b>
09:00 – 10:00	<b>Fireside Chat – Access in Different Contexts</b> UAE SA Oman Tunisia Algeria Egypt
10:00 – 10:20	<b>Q&amp;A</b>
10:20 – 10:50	<b>Networking Coffee Break</b>
10:50 – 13:00	<b>PARALLEL SESSIONS</b>
	<b>Session 4 (by invitation only) – Roundtable: HTAi Policy Dialogue: Advancing HTA in the MENA Region</b>
	<b>Workshop 1: Fundamentals of HTA</b>
	<b>Workshop 2: Managed Entry Agreements: From Theory to Practice</b>
	<b>Workshop 3: HTA and Beyond: Tools to Make Rational Decisions in Budget-Constraint Settings</b>
13:00 – 13:20	<b>Final Remarks &amp; Acknowledgement</b>