POSITION PAPER GUIDELINES

For your region for AMWHO 2019, each delegate (WHO, Media, NGO, UN Agency, Pharmacy) will submit one position paper. Position papers serve as a reminder for individual delegates of their views regarding the topics of discussion throughout the course of the conference, as well as a source of information for each delegation.

Position papers should provide a concise overview of the viewpoints of each delegation regarding the theme, and should establish recommendations for sub-themes and points of discussion before the committee begins. International and regional conventions, treaties, declarations, resolutions, past and present programs of action which are relevant to the policy of your State should be addressed in the position paper. Moreover, delegates should consider the powers, viewpoints, and policies of other nations in its region– as well as the relationship between those nations – in choosing sub-themes to discuss. While not mandatory, position papers are highly encouraged for the understanding and knowledge of participants. On the final day of the conference, awards of "Best Position Paper" will be determined by the Conference Dais.

The following specifications are required of all position papers:

- All papers must be typed with a one-inch margin.
- The paper must not exceed two pages in length, single-spaced with font size between 10 and 12 pt.
- -- The name of the delegation, university name, and region name should be on the top of the first page.

Submitting your position paper:

- The paper must be submitted as a .pdf file, and named using the following format:

 Region_CountryName_UniversityName (e.g. EURO_Switzerland_Emory).
- Please email complete position papers to dais@amwho.org by 11:59 pm on Wednesday, March 27th, 2019.
- Please title the email using the following format:
 - PositionPaper: Country_UniversityName.
- Delegates will receive confirmation that their paper has been received within 5 business days

