The 5th experts’ meeting took place in the field of healthcare



Healthcare experts from both banks of the Nistru river met today, November 9, during a videoconference. Zinaida Bezverhni, the Head of the working group, State Secretary of the Ministry of Health, coordinated the meeting on behalf of Chisinau authorities.

The meeting has been initiated by the Moldovan side and served as an occasion to take stock of actions taken for developing and streamlining the vaccination process against COVID-19 for inhabitants from all over the territory of the Republic of Moldova, including the Eastern rayons of the country. The need to enhance joint efforts for a better implementation of the National Anti-COVID19 Immunization Plan and to protect citizens’ health has been stressed.

In this context, the constant support offered by Chisinau was mentioned. According to an established practice, Chisinau authorities proportionally redistribute, usually for free, parts from donations lots received by the Republic of Moldova as humanitarian aid or shares from public procurements using budgetary sources (vaccines, equipment and medical items) also to beneficiaries on the left bank of the Nistru river and Bender. Assurances had been offered that this mechanism will function constantly in the provided manner.

At the same time, the topics related to import, authorization and marketing procedures for medicines introduced on the territory of the Republic of Moldova by licensed operators for this purpose in compliance with appropriate quality and safety standards got reintroduced on the discussion agenda. The need to adjust drugs’ and medical items’ nomenclatures so that single requirements are applied on both banks of the Nistru river was reiterated.

It was agreed that discussions on above mentioned issues will continue during the following meetings of healthcare sector experts, to be organized in accordance with

the ordinary working schedule.

The working group meetings on healthcare got conveyed 5 times during this year, the last one being held on July 30: https://gov.md/ro/content/expertii-domeniul-ocrotirii-sanatatii-de-la-chisinau-si-tiraspol-s-au-intrunit-intr-o-noua

