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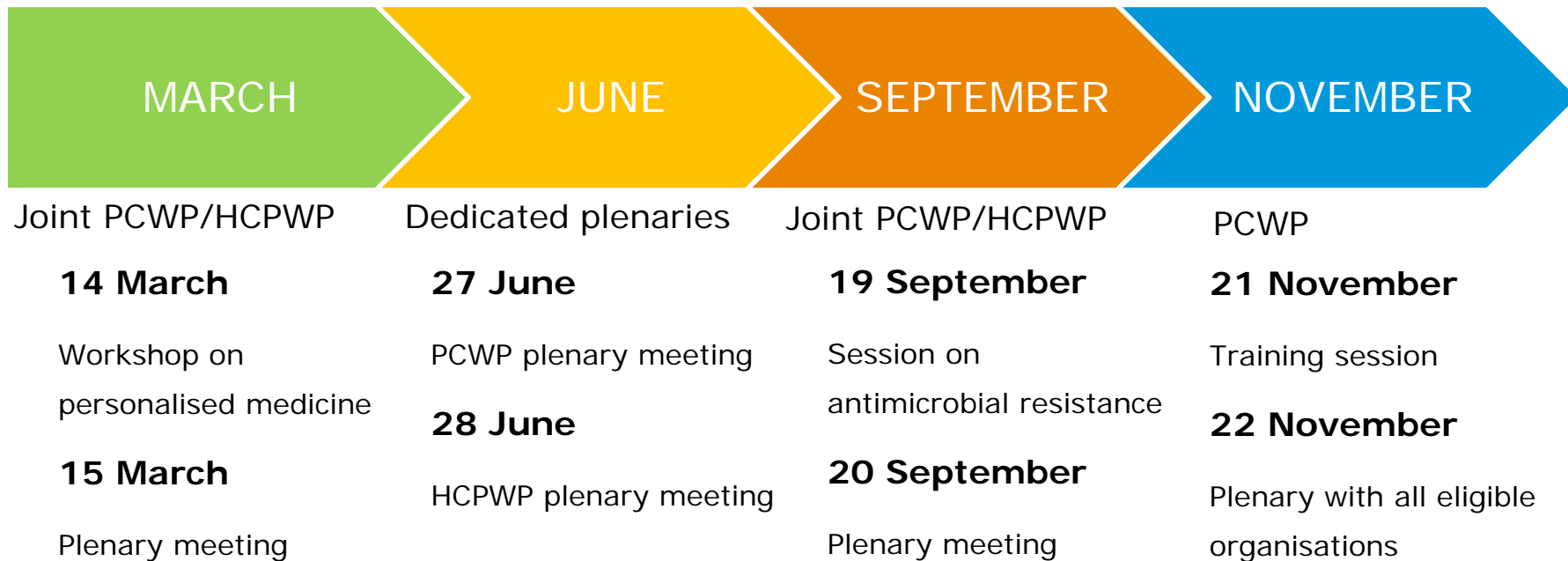
HCPWP and PCWP Work Plans for 2017

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2017 dates for your calendars



Structured around the main themes and objectives of the EMA multiannual programme to 2020, with focus on:

Theme 1: Contributing to human health - objectives 1 to 4:

- focus on key public-health priorities, including availability of medicines and antimicrobial resistance;
- ensure timely access to new medicines for patients;
- support patient-focused innovation and contribute to a vibrant life-sciences sector in Europe;
- strengthen regulatory capability and transparency.

Theme 3: Optimising the operation of the network - objectives 3 and 4:

- ensure effective communication with and within the network;
- strengthen links with other authorities and with other stakeholders.

Keep scanning progress and developments in the context of
theme 4- Contributing to the global regulatory environment, as appropriate.

Core activities remain unchanged

- Engage in consultations where patients, consumers and healthcare professionals' input can bring added value to **benefit-risk assessment and decision-making**;
- Contribute to EMA activities related with **information on medicines and communication** with healthcare professionals, patients and consumers;
- Support the continuous improvement of the operation of the **pharmacovigilance** system;
- Participate at key stages of **EMA policy development and implementation** as well as in other EMA initiatives aimed at **supporting the implementation of EU legislation**.



Areas for attention

- Joint meetings focusing on:
 - Personalised medicines
 - Antimicrobial resistance
- Taking stock of previous work and discuss direction of travel for following years
 - Build upon previous workshops, information sessions and topic group recommendations
- Increase interaction with academia
- Identification of topics to be addressed by members



Thank you for your attention

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