

2026 G4 Alliance Position Statement Brief

ECO Care and SOTA Strengthening | WHA79 Geneva

Purpose

- Synthesize member state survey findings from January to March 2026.
- Highlight critical needs in Emergency, Critical and Operative care.
- Reinforce the G4 Alliance advocacy agenda across WHA79 discussions.

How it is used

- Featured on the WHA microsite, in briefings, backgrounders and speaker materials.
- Embedded into G4-led side events on TBI, nursing and midwifery, and surgery policy action.
- Shared with ministries, WHO program leads, regional offices and member organizations.

Core policy message

- Safe, timely and affordable SOTA care should be treated as an essential part of resilient health systems and Universal Health Coverage.
- Integrated ECO care requires policy visibility, country implementation pathways, workforce leadership, innovation and sustainable financing.

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