

South Korea's Latest Global Health Diplomacy: 79th World Health Assembly A

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1. At the 79th World Health Assembly in May 2026, with which three countries did South Korea sign memorandums of understanding (MOUs) on healthcare cooperation?

A) Ukraine, Indonesia, and the Philippines

B) Vietnam, Thailand, and Malaysia

C) Japan, China, and India

D) Australia, Canada, and Mexico

2. What was a primary focus of South Korea's new healthcare MOUs signed with Ukraine, Indonesia, and the Philippines in May 2026?

A) Traditional medicine practices

B) Space medicine research

C) Medical artificial intelligence (AI) and digital health

D) Nutritional guidelines for children

3. In June 2023, South Korea pledged a significant contribution to which international alliance that supports vaccine supply for children in low-income countries?

A) Doctors Without Borders

B) Red Cross

C) Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance

D) UNICEF

4. What is the name of the office established in Seoul, agreed upon by South Korea and the US in 2022, that includes staff from organizations like the US CDC and ASEAN, to strengthen global health security?

A) Seoul Medical Research Center

B) East Asian Disease Institute

C) Global Health Security Coordination Office

D) International Pandemic Response Hub

5. What percentage of South Korea's record-high Official Development Assistance (ODA) budget for 2024 was allocated to the health sector?

A) 5%

B) 9%

C) 12%

D) 15%