



SANT(2026)0318_1

DRAFT AGENDA

Committee meeting

Wednesday 18 March 2026, 9.00 – 11.30 and 11.30 – 12.30 (coordinators' meeting)

**Thursday 19 March 2026, 9.00 – 11.00 and 11.00 – 12.30 joint committee procedure
(Rule 59)**

Brussels

Room: ANTALL (4Q1)

18 March 2026, 9.00 – 11.30

- 1. Adoption of agenda**
- 2. Chair's announcements**
- 3. An EU cardiovascular diseases strategy**
SANT/10/03250
2025/2132(INI)

Rapporteur:

Romana Jerković (S&D)

PR – PE782.349v01-00
AM – PE785.128v01-00
AM – PE785.129v01-00
AM – PE784.411v01-00

Responsible:

SANT

- Consideration of amendments
- Deadline for tabling amendments: **13 February 2026, 12.00**

4. Establishing the European Competitiveness Fund ('ECF'), including the specific programme for defence research and innovation activities

SANT/10/03665

***I 2025/0555(COD) COM(2025)0555 – C10-0165/2025

Rapporteur for the opinion:

Radan Kanev (PPE)

PA – PE784.244v01-00

AM – PE785.240v01-00

Responsible:

ITRE

Christian Ehler (PPE)

Dan Nica (S&D)

- Consideration of amendments
- Deadline for tabling amendments: **2 March 2026, 12.00**

5. Laying a framework for strengthening the availability and security of supply of critical medicinal products as well as the availability of, and accessibility of, medicinal products of common interest, and amending Regulation (EU) 2024/795

SANT/10/02427

***I 2025/0102(COD) COM(2025)0102 – C10-0048/2025

Rapporteur:

Tomislav Sokol (PPE)

AM – PE778.031v02-00

AM – PE778.032v04-00

AM – PE778.025v01-00

Responsible:

SANT

Opinions:

BUDG (AU), ENVI, ITRE, IMCO

- Reporting back to committee on the negotiations (Rule 75(3))

***** Voting time *****

6. Proposals for pilot projects and preparatory actions (PPAs) for the 2027 Union budget

SANT/10/05363

Rapporteur:

Michalis Hadjipantela (PPE)

- Adoption

7. Laying down Union procedures for the authorisation and supervision of medicinal products for human use and establishing rules governing the European Medicines Agency, amending Regulation (EC) No 1394/2007 and Regulation (EU) No 536/2014 and repealing Regulation (EC) No 726/2004, Regulation (EC) No 141/2000 and Regulation (EC) No 1901/2006

SANT/10/02414

***I 2023/0131(COD) COM(2023)0193 – C9-0144/2023

Rapporteur:

Tiemo Wölken (S&D)

Responsible:

SANT

- Vote on the provisional agreement resulting from interinstitutional negotiations

8. Union code relating to medicinal products for human use, and repealing Directive 2001/83/EC and Directive 2009/35/EC

SANT/10/02415

***I 2023/0132(COD) COM(2023)0192 – C9-0143/2023

Rapporteur:

Dolors Montserrat (PPE)

Responsible:

SANT

- Vote on the provisional agreement resulting from interinstitutional negotiations

*** *End of vote* ***

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9. Workshop on Rare diseases

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*** *In camera* ***

10. Coordinators' meeting

*** *End of in camera* ***

19 March 2026, 9.00 – 11.00

11. EU rare disease action plan

SANT/10/03248

2025/2130(INL)

Rapporteur:

Nicolás González Casares (S&D)

PR – PE785.192v01-00

Responsible:

SANT

- Consideration of draft report

12. Exchange of views in the series ‘Excellence in health science’ with Prof. Roel Vermeulen: STOA Study on the Exposome - One Year After: Progress and Perspectives

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13. Establishing a framework of measures for strengthening Union’s biotechnology and biomanufacturing sectors particularly in the area of health and amending Regulations (EC) No 178/2002, (EC) No 1394/2007, (EU) No 536/2014, (EU) 2019/6, (EU) 2024/795 and (EU) 2024/1938 (European Biotech Act)

CJ53/10/04842

***I 2025/0406(COD) COM(2025)1022 – C10-0363/2025

Rapporteurs:

Vytenis Povilas Andriukaitis (S&D)

Wouter Beke (PPE)

Responsible:

SANT, ITRE

- Presentation by Olivér Várhelyi, Commissioner for Health and Animal Welfare

14. Any other business

15. Date of next meetings

- 14 April 2026 (Brussels)