

POLICY BRIEF

FOLLOWING THE GLOBAL HEALTH INSIGHT DOCUMENT: “TRUMP II ADMINISTRATION: THE NEW GLOBAL HEALTH STRATEGY DECIPHERED”¹

The ‘Santé Mondiale 2030’ think tank publishes a policy brief on the United States’ global health strategy.

Given the rapid and increasingly unilateral evolution of the U.S. global health strategy, France needs to take a proactive approach to defend its objectives and priorities, as set out in the French and European global health strategies, as well as in France’s international cooperation strategy. The objective is to strengthen multilateral coherence and to offer partner countries credible alternatives where needed, otherwise France’s positions risk being weakened and global governance further fragmented.

Santé mondiale 2030 calls on the French and European authorities to swiftly put in place tools and approaches consistent with this position.

- Strategic monitoring, by supporting a dedicated mechanism to track and analyse U.S. bilateral agreements with aid-recipient countries, in order to anticipate their impact on national health policies

beyond the specific areas covered by these agreements;

- Close scrutiny of how this strategy is implemented in the limited number of multilateral programmes in which the United States is expected to remain engaged, alongside France and other European countries, such as the Global Fund, both financially and programmatically;
- Closer cooperation with the European Union and international institutions to offer partner countries credible and respectful alternatives;
- Sustained diplomatic engagement in support of evidence-based approaches across all key areas of global health, while promoting inclusive approaches that respect the rights of all;
- Promotion of European standards to ensure that funding is aligned with health priorities identified by partner countries themselves.

¹ Santé mondiale 2030 (February 2, 2026). [Trump II Administration: The New Global Health Strategy Deciphered](#) [online].

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