



Africa experts and policy makers explore boosting countries' progress in pharmaceutical innovation

Pretoria, 23 February, 2010 - A group of experts and policy makers from across Africa tabled practical approaches and action points aimed at boosting pharmaceutical innovation on the continent. Their emphasis was on putting countries in the drivers' seat for their medicines access, development and local production. This was the conclusion of the extended technical committee of the Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Plan for Africa, in Pretoria, concluded on February 20.