Indicator 17.2.1

Relationships with regional NGOs and government for SDG policy

Reporting period: academic year 2024–2025 (September 2024 – August 2025)

Misr International University (MIU) contributes directly to national policy development in health and education. Working with professional NGOs, regulators and government bodies, MIU's faculties help identify challenges, shape national strategies and prepare graduates for national priorities under Egypt Vision 2030 and SDGs 3 and 4.

KEY EVIDENCE

Shaping national pharmacy-education policy at the 9th Arab International Pharmacy Conference (AIPC 2025)

Date	10–11 May 2025
Venue	Concorde El Salam Hotel, Cairo
Partner	Arab Association for Pharmacy Progress (AAPP), a professional non-governmental association; MIU took part as strategic partner
MIU unit	Faculty of Pharmacy
SDGs	SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17

MIU's Faculty of Pharmacy took part in AIPC 2025 as a strategic partner of the Arab Association for Pharmacy Progress. On 10 May 2025 the Faculty organised the panel discussion "Towards Competency-Based Pharmacy Education and Assessment: The Sixth-Year Internship and the National Licensure Exam Framework".

The panel brought together academic leaders and regulatory bodies to discuss two national initiatives that are reshaping pharmacy education in Egypt: the introduction of a sixth-year practical internship and a national licensure examination for pharmacy graduates. Discussion focused on how to implement both initiatives and how to raise the competence and readiness of graduates for practice.

Outcome: MIU provided structured, evidence-based input into the design and implementation of two national pharmacy-education policies, contributing to SDG 3 (a qualified health workforce) and SDG 4 (quality education).

Evidence: https://www.miuegypt.edu.eg/miu-pharmacy-leads-national-dialogue-on-competency-based-education-at-the-9th-aipc-2025/

Further evidence in 2024–2025

Activity	Date	Description	Evidence
Agreement with Education First Foundation to advance technical education	12/11/2024	MIU's Faculty of Pharmacy signed an agreement with the Education First Foundation (an NGO) to improve the scientific curricula of a national applied-technology school, contributing to the Foundation's strategy for technical and vocational education in Egypt.	https://www.miuegypt.edu.eg/miu-phr-partners-with-education-first-foundation-to-advance-technical-education/

Activity	Date	Description	Evidence
Visit to the New Administrative Capital Hospital	29/4/2025	MIU explored cooperation with a public hospital so that MIU professors and consultants can perform oral and maxillofacial surgery there, strengthening links between the university and the public healthcare sector.	https://www.miuegypt.edu.eg/visit-to-the-new-administrative-capital-hospital/