# Preliminary Agenda

📅 Date: Friday, May 9, 2025

📍 Location: Radisson Blu Hotel, Bordeaux, France

💡 Summit Focus: Advancing global vaccine interoperability through the International Vaccine Codes Initiative (IVC) and the Unified Nomenclature of Vaccines (NUVA)

## Morning Sessions: Foundations & Global Perspectives

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| 8:30 AM | Registration & Welcome |
| 9:00 AM | Opening & Introduction* Welcome & Goals of the Meeting
* The Importance of Standardized Vaccine Coding
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| 9:30 AM | Understanding NUVA & Its Global Role* NUVA: What It Is and Why It Matters
* NUVA as a SNOMED-CT Extension: Implications & Opportunities
* How NUVA Uses Valences to Standardize Vaccine Codes
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| 10:15 AM | The Role of Vaccine Manufacturers in Coding* Integrating Manufacturer Data into Vaccine Coding (GTIN, NTIN, ePIL)
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☕ 10:45 AM – 11:00 AM Break

## Mid-Morning Sessions: Real-World Use Cases – Global & Europe

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| 11:00 AM | International Perspectives on Vaccine Coding & Interoperability* WHO’s Role in Advancing Global Vaccine Interoperability
* EU’s Strategy for Cross-Border Vaccination Records & Data Integration
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| 11:45 AM | Experiences with Vaccine Coding in Europe* Luxembourg’s Experience: National Vaccination Card Service (CVE)
* The EUVABECO EVC Project: Lessons from Latvia, Belgium, Greece, Portugal, and Germany
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🍽️ 12:30 PM – 1:30 PM | Networking Lunch

## Afternoon Sessions: Real-World Use Cases - Americas

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| 1:30 PM | Latin American Experiences in Vaccine Coding* Vaccine Codes in Latin America (PAHO & Uppsala Monitoring Centre)
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| 2:15 PM | North America Experiences in Vaccine Coding* CDC’s Approach to Vaccine Coding & Its Influence on Global Standards
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☕ 3:00 PM – 3:15 PM Break

## Closing Sessions: Next Steps & Capacity Building

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| 3:15 PM | Implementing NUVA & Interoperability Across Systems* Mapping Across Vaccine Code Systems: Challenges & Solutions
* Ensuring Code Quality: Metrics & Best Practices
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| 4:00 PM | Charting the Future of IVC & NUVA* Defining Next Actions for the Community
* Alignment with Global Standards & Long-Term Goals
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| 4:30 PM | Closing Remarks & Call to Action* Final Takeaways & Commitment to Collaboration
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🏁 5:00 PM Meeting Adjourned

## Optional Vaccine Code Set Training

Pre-Meeting Training on SNOMED, NUVA, and Other Code Systems

* May be included provided there is enough interest
* Two hours of training content
* Certificate of participation