



ANCCA NCCP Taskforce eMtg.21.4 (3rd, June) – Minutes of Meeting

Meeting Time (60 minutes)	From	To
India	12:30	13:30
Nepal	12:45	13:45
China, Malaysia, Singapore,	15:00	16:00
Japan, Korea	16:00	17:00

Participants (12 participants from 7 countries & organizations)

1. China (CN): Dr. Min Dai, Dr Shaoming Wang / 2. India (IN): Dr. Manju Sengar / 3. Japan (JP): Dr. Manami Inoue, Laureline Gatellier, Kazuki Nakamura / 4. Korea (KR): Jong Soo Han, Dr. Kim / 5. Malaysia (MY): Dr. Suhana Yusak, Dr. Florence Wong yoke Fui / 6. Nepal (NP): Dr. Kishore Pradhananga / 7. Singapore (SG): Koh Liang Kai

- Welcome – Confirmation of NCCP taskforce specialist attendees (post-meeting note)
Dr Shaoming Wang (CN, Cancer Registration Center) and Dr Manami Inoue (JP, Cancer Prevention Division, NCCJ) kindly joined as specialists. MY mentioned that Dr Malar will join actively as specialist of NCCP from next time. KR mentioned that Dr Jun will participate whenever possible.
- National Cancer Control Plan / Program: the situation in your country
NCCP Core Team JP shared the results of the survey “National Cancer Control Plan / Program – The situation in your country” based on the answers from 7 countries / institutions (for details, see attached PPT, slides 3-19). Other ANCCA members who have not yet responded were very warmly invited to answer the survey as it contributes to achieve the targets and goals in each country regarding cancer control. Moreover, Core Team JP committed to further analyse the results of the survey and share them at next regular eMtg. To achieve this goal, everyone is expected to confirm and/or extract additional relevant information in preparation to next eMtg. CN pointed out that the scope of this taskforce (including definition of NCCP, date of establishment of NCCPs in each country and timeline) should be confirmed, as some inconsistencies were observed in the slides.

ACTIONS

- Core Team: to further analyse the results of the survey, prepare slides for next eMtg, and ask members by email to provide additional information when/where relevant (by next eMtg)
- All Members: make all efforts to respond timely when contacted by email
- Members (any ANCCA member, not specific to NCCP taskforce) who have not yet filled the survey: please fill it at your best early convenience (link: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/NCCP_ancca_2021)

3. Toward an “Asian Code against Cancer” Survey

Core Team JP presented the first results of “Asian Code against Cancer” survey based on the responses from 9 countries / institutions (for details, see attached PPT, slides 20-24). After sharing the outcome of the survey, Dr Inoue JP introduced flyer and leaflets regarding “evidence based on cancer prevention” (link in JP: https://ganjoho.jp/data/public/qa_links/brochure/knowledge/301.pdf) including 5 items (smoking, drinking alcohol, exercise, nutrition and weight) and infection. The two major target populations of the leaflets were adults and (junior) high school students.

As next steps of the taskforce, members discussed openly about the Asian code against cancer project, expected to include evidence-based assessment specific to Asian nations (Asian common standards as well as specificities in sub-regions). As regional specificities, NP and JP emphasized “Tobacco” to be included for South Asia and JP. IN emphasized the importance of “Obesity” for countries like India

ACTIONS

- Members (any ANCCA member, not specific to NCCP taskforce) who have not yet filled the survey: please fill it at your best early convenience (Link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/TowardAsianCode>)
- Dr Inoue JP: to obtain feedback Dr Espina (IARC) and share proposed next steps to NCCP members to allow members to select most appropriate NCCP specialist from their side (before next eMtg).



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4. Others (Open discussions, Action Items and Next NCCP e-Mtg'21.5)
Next NCCP eMtg is planned on July 1st (Thu), same time – Please book your time!
Any other ANCCA member is always welcome to attend the NCCP meetings at any time.

Thank you very much for your participation!

Picture of several participants:

