

## Dialogue event

# Non-communicable, infectious, and environmental disease interfaces: challenges and opportunities for research and intervention in Vietnam

**Venue:** Pullman hotel, 40 CAT LINH STREET, DONG DA DISTRICT, HANOI – VIETNAM

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**Time:** 24-25 March 2015

The dialogue event aims at bringing different stakeholders together to discuss, identify and prioritize key issues of public health at the interface of non-communicable, infectious and environmental diseases in Vietnam.

Time	Description	Responsible persons
<b>DAY 1: 24 March</b>		
8:00 – 8:30	Registration	Ms. Lam Thi Binh
8:30 – 8:50	Welcome notes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prof. Nguyen Thi Xuyen, Vice Minister of Health</li> <li>• HE Mr. Andrej Motyl, Swiss Ambassador to Vietnam (TBC)</li> <li>• Prof. Tran Huu Bich, Vice Dean HSPH</li> <li>• Prof. Nino Künzli, Deputy Director of Swiss TPH</li> <li>• Dr. Ann Aerts, Head Novartis Foundation</li> </ul>	Dr. Nguyen Viet Hung, HSPH
8:50 – 9:00	Objectives of the event	Dr. Pham Duc Phuc, HSPH
<b>9:00 – 12:30</b>	<b><i>Setting the scene: Non-communicable, infectious and environmental disease interface in Vietnam</i></b> Moderators: Prof. Tran Huu Bich, HSPH and Prof. Peter Odermatt, Swiss TPH	
9:00 – 9:20	Burden of diseases in Vietnam: current situation and future trends	Dr. Nguyen Viet Hung, HSPH
9:20 – 9:40	Dual Burden of Communicable and Non-Communicable Diseases – Public Health Challenges	Prof. Nicole Probst-Hensch, Swiss TPH
9:40 – 10:00	Infectious disease challenges of today: dengue in Vietnam	Prof. Vu Sinh Nam, NIHE
10:00 – 10:20	The role of urban air pollution for non-communicable and infectious diseases.	Prof. Nino Künzli, Swiss TPH
10:20 – 10:40	Coffee break	
10:40 – 11:00	Role of the private sector in addressing the dual disease burden	Dr. Ann Aerts, Novartis Foundation
11:00 – 11:20	Informing health policy through research and Advocacy: an academic perspective	Prof. Pham Viet Cuong, HSPH
11:20 – 12:20	Q&A, discussion, panel	Moderators: Prof. Tran Huu Bich, HSPH and Prof. Jakob Zinsstag, Swiss TPH
12:20 – 13:30	<i>Lunch</i>	
13:30 – 17:00	<b><i>Current Opportunities and challenges of Non-communicable, infectious and environmental disease interface in Vietnam</i></b> Moderators: Prof. Vu Hoang Lan, HSPH and Prof. Jakob Zinsstag, Swiss TPH	
13:30 – 15:30	<b>Day 1 Breakout Session: Defining each area within the larger context of the disease interface in Vietnam *</b>  Group 1: NCDs and infectious diseases  Group 2: Dengue research and intervention	Prof. Pham Viet Cuong, HSPH & Prof. Nicole Probst-Hensch, Swiss TPH

	Group 3: Urbanization and air pollution <i>Details of breakout session organization and content in Annex</i> <i>Including 15mn coffee break</i>	Prof. Vu Sinh Nam, NIHE & Dr. Ann Aerts, NF Dr. Laura Perez, Swiss & Dr. Le Thi Thanh Huong, HSPH
15:30 – 16:30	Report to the plenary	Moderators: Prof. Vu Hoang Lan, HSPH and Prof. Peter Odermatt, Swiss TPH
16:30 – 17:00	Dialogue – discussion – panel	
19:00	Group dinner	Ms. Lam Thi Binh
<b>DAY 2: 25 March</b>		
<b>9:00 – 12:30</b>	<b><i>Landscape of NCD-infectious and environmental diseases and policy making: experiences and lessons learnt from Vietnam and other models</i></b> Moderators: Dr. Nguyen Viet Hung, HSPH and Dr. Julie Morrow, Novartis Foundation	
9:00 – 9:20	An Introduction to One Health and Ecohealth	Prof. Jakob Zinsstag, Swiss TPH
9:20 – 9:40	Using Health to address the dual burden of disease – a teleconsultation approach	Ms. Christina Wadhvani, NF
9:40 – 10:00	Know Your Numbers Campaign - hypertension screening and treatment program from PSI	Dr. Josselyn Neukom, PSI Vietnam CPO
10:00 – 10:20	Eliminate Dengue project – BMGF/FHI 360	Prof. Vu Sinh Nam, NIHE
10:20 – 10:40	Coffee break	
10:40 – 11:10	Policy success example from private sector and Civil Social Organisation: health insurance	Dr. Tran Tuan, RTCCD
11:10 – 11:30	Health in all policies in a changing environment: using health impact assessment to support policies	Dr. Laura Perez, Swiss TPH
11:30 – 12:30	Q&A Discussion	
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch	
13:30 – 17:00	<b><i>The way forward for research in Vietnam</i></b> Moderators: Prof. Tran Huu Bich, HSPH and Prof. Nino Künzli, Swiss TPH	
13:30 – 15:30	<b>Day 2 Breakout Session: (mixed groups):</b> Define a road map for operational research and interventions in Vietnam  Group 1: NCDs and infectious diseases  Group 2: Dengue research and intervention  Group 3: Air pollution  <i>Including 15mn coffee break</i>	Prof. Pham Viet Cuong, HSPH & Prof. Nicole Probst-Hensch, Swiss TPH Prof. Vu Sinh Nam, NIHE & Prof. Peter Odermatt, Swiss TPH Prof. Nino Künzli, Swiss TPH & Dr. Le Thi Thanh Huong, HSPH
15:30 – 16:30	Report back to plenary Next steps for potential areas for operational research and activities	Chairman Prof. Nino Künzli, Swiss TPH
16:30 – 17:00	Wrap-up and closing	Prof. Tran Huu Bich - HSPH

#### \* Organization and objectives of the breakout sessions

During the breakout sessions questions related to the workshop themes will be discussed in small groups. Each workshop will have a Chair to moderate the discussions and a Rapporteur in charge of taking notes, summarizing it in succinct minutes, and presenting the work in the plenary. At the end of the workshop period of Day 1, workshop participants will also discuss the objectives and preparatory work needed, if any, of the workshop on Day 2. At the end of Day 1, the Planning Team will decide about the final organization, themes, and format of the Day 2 workshops. The leaders of each workshop will provide a first set of questions and tasks at the beginning of the workshop. While participants may choose their workshop, the Planning Team may propose the assignment of some experts to specific workshops.

It is expected that participants will contribute to the detailed agenda and direction of the discussion. The application of the concept and the needs and gaps will be discussed in the Vietnamese context using the provided Input Report and the expertise of the workshop participants. Next steps and open questions will be outlined based on identified gaps and priorities. The upcoming ideas and proposals will be prioritized based on local needs, interests, and public health relevance.