

PROGRAMME

WEBINAR 1 : 7th DECEMBER 2021 • 14h30-17h00 (Bangkok UTC +7)

SOCIAL HEALTH PROTECTION: WHERE ARE WE IN THE ASIA PACIFIC REGION?

Time	Sessions
14.30-14.35	Introduction <ul style="list-style-type: none">Welcome from the moderator, Ms Patchari Raksawong
14.35-14.50	Opening remarks <p>Ms Chihoko Asada-Miyakawa, Assistant Director-General and Regional Director for Asia and the Pacific, International Labour Organization (ILO) and Ms Armida Salsiah Alisjahbana, Executive Secretary, United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UNESCAP)</p>
14.50-15.00	Keynote speech <ul style="list-style-type: none">COVID-19 and the growing recognition of the importance of social health protection by Dr Soonman Kwon, President, Korean Health Industry Development Institute (KHIDI)
15.00-15.45	Launch of the ILO report on “Extending social health protection: Accelerating progress towards Universal Health Coverage in Asia and the Pacific” <ul style="list-style-type: none">Main findings of the report by Ms Shahra Razavi, Director, Social Protection Department, International Labour Organization (ILO)Observations and reflections from the experts:<ul style="list-style-type: none">Ms Charlotte Helminger, Counsellor, Embassy of Luxembourg in ThailandProf. Dr Ali Ghufroon Mukti, President-Director, BPJS Kesehatan, Indonesia & President, Technical Commission on Medical Care and Sickness Commission, International Social Security Association (ISSA)Ms Gita Sen, Director, The Ramalingaswami Centre on Equity & Social Determinants of Health, Public Health Foundation of India (PHFI)Closing remarks by Ms Shahra Razavi, Director, Social Protection Department, International Labour Organization (ILO)
15.45-15.55	Open forum and live music
15.55-16.45	Importance of Social Health Protection: healthier societies for healthier economies <ul style="list-style-type: none">Panel discussion and Q&A<ul style="list-style-type: none">Dr Melanie Coronel Santillan, Medical Officer VII, the Philippine Health Insurance Corporation (PhilHealth)Dr Rozita Halina binti Tun Hussein, Director, Planning Division, Ministry of Health, MalaysiaMrs. Iftida Yasar, Member of the Supervisory Board of BJS Kesehatan, Member of APINDO Training CentreMr Francis Kim Upgi, Director of Economic and Social Policy for ITUC Asia-PacificMr Andrea Rossi, Regional Advisor on Social Policy and Economic Analysis, United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund (UNICEF)Ms Lou Tessier, Health Protection Specialist, Social Protection Department, International Labour Organization (ILO)
16.45-17.00	Wrap up and introduction of the next session <ul style="list-style-type: none">Mr Srinivas Tata, Director, Social Development Division, United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UNESCAP)

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14.35 - 15.25	<p>Leaving no one behind: covering the informal economy and fostering inclusiveness towards the poor and most vulnerable groups</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Panel discussion and Q&A: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ms Reema Nanavaty, Executive Director, Self-Employed Women's Association of India (SEWA) Mr Viengxay Viravong, Deputy Director, National Health Insurance Bureau, Ministry of Health, Lao PDR Ms Smitha Sadasivan, Disability Rights Advocate, Civil Society Engagement Mechanism (CSEM) of UHC2030 Ms Marielle Phe Goursat, Regional Programme Manager "Support to the extension of social health protection in South-East Asia", International Labour Organization (ILO)
15.25 - 15.30	<p>Open forum and live music</p>
15.30 - 16.25	<p>Balancing financial protection, cost containment and equity: the next challenge for middle-income countries</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One presentation followed by questions to the panel and Q&A : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dr Ying Yazhen, Vice-President, China Health Insurance Research Association (CHIRA) Dr Nalinee Nakittipha Chuakhamfoo, Lecturer, ASEAN Institute for Health Development (AIHD), Mahidol University, Thailand Dr Hongsoo Kim, Professor, Graduate School of Public Health, Seoul National University (SNU), South Korea Dr Le Van Kham, Standing member, Social Affairs committee, National Assembly of Viet Nam
16.25 - 16.30	<p>Live music</p>
16.30 - 16.50	<p>In conversation with Dr Ravindra Rannan-Eliya</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sri Lanka's experience and wider regional perspectives by Dr Ravindra Rannan-Eliya, Executive Director, Institute for Health Policy, Sri Lanka
16.50 - 17.00	<p>Wrap up and introduction of next session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mr Davide De Beni, Technical Adviser, Health Economics, United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA), Asia and Pacific Regional Office - TBC

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13.40 - 13.50	<p>Video presentation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Life-cycle approach
13.50 - 14.50	<p>Session 1: Population Ageing: Evidence from National Transfer Accounts for a Lifecycle Policy Advancement</p> <p>Moderator: Ms Patchari Raksawong</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Keynote Speaker: Professor Andrew Mason, East-West Center <p>Short presentations from each panellists followed by discussion :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Population Ageing and Emerging Opportunities - Mr Eduardo Klien, Regional Representative of HelpAge International in Asia and Pacific Ageing and Financial Sustainability - Professor Sang-Hyop Lee, Professor and Chair, Department of Economics, University of Hawaii and Senior Fellow of the East-West Center Gender and Ageing Economy - Dr Gretchen Donehower, Academic Specialist, University of California at Berkeley, Principal Investor on Counting Women's Work
14.50 - 14.55	<p>Music intermission / break</p>
14.55 - 15.55	<p>Session 2: Intergenerational Economy and Its Relevance to Demographic Dividends and Sustainability of Long-term Care</p> <p>Moderator: Ms Patchari Raksawong</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Keynote speaker : Senior Professor Lakshman Dissanayake, University of Colombo <p>Short presentations from each panellists followed by discussion :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dr Suphannada Laohachai, the National Economic and Social Development Council of Thailand Professor Soonman Kwon, Graduate School of Public Health, Seoul National University Dr Sabine Henning, Chief of Sustainable Demographic Transition Section of Social Development Division of ESCAP
15.55 - 16.00	<p>Wrap-up and closing remarks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> International Labour Organization