







NCD - Myanmar

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Objective

General objective

To contribute to the process of health reform in Myanmar so that the goals of equitable and universal healthcare can be achieved

Specific objectives

- To enhance conducting research, especially in NCD area
- To enhance policy making and policy analysis for NCD
- To develop capacity in PEN (Package of Essential NCDs treatment and prevention), UPH faculty and other public health personnel concerned
- To disseminate the research evidence for awareness and policy initiatives

Major Strategic Components of the Project

Research

- Assessment of research gaps and developing priority research agenda
- Enhanced research to inform policy and programmatic response to address health transition

Policy

- Increased policy dialogue and consultation
- Enhanced evidence based policy analysis
- Developing National Strategic Action Plan on NCDs

Strengthening Public Health Capacity to Respond to Myanmar's Disease Transition

Capacity Building

- Greater knowledge and skills among policy makers and public health implementers
- Capacity building for PEN expansion
- Stronger UPH to deliver high quality teaching and research

Communication

- Wider dissemination of research evidence through workshops, publications and different communication media for awareness and policy initiatives

Expected results

Result 1: Enhanced research and evidence-based policy analysis to inform the government's response to the health transition in Myanmar.

Result 2: Greater knowledge among policymakers and public health implementers across Myanmar on how to address the rising burden of NCDs.

Result 3: Increased in-country policy dialogue and consultation with a wide range of Myanmar stakeholders on the rising challenge of NCDs.

Expected results (cont.)

Result 4: Stronger University of Public Health academic capacity to deliver high quality teaching and research, guided by clear institutional strategy.

Result 5: Effective University of Public Health operational capacity including project and financial management.

Result 6: Active professional linkages with health institutes in other countries and South-South collaboration.

Learnings from Regional Institutions

- Health Policy workshop
- Workshop on Health Care System and Policy Development in NCDs, Experiences and Lessons learned from Thailand
- Workshop on Policy Analysis and Policy Development Process with focus on NCDs
- Primary Care Services and Counseling on NCDs
- PEN- health clinic and planning on health policy

Learnings from Regional Institutions

- Primary Care Services & Service delivery of Thailand
- Health care system and policy development in NCDs
- Monitoring & Evaluation of NCDs Programmes
- NCD Surveillance and Services
- NCDs prevention programs under Universal Health Care Coverage
- Quality Accreditation system of Thammasat University

National Strategic Plan for prevention & control of NCDs (2017-2021)



Workshop on PEN capacity building

- Basic Health Staff
- Township Medical Officer
- Health Assistant
- Township Health Nurse
- Lady Health Visitor
- Midwife
- Public Health Supervisor

Research on NCD

 NCD morbidity survey on Chronic Respiratory Diseases

 Perspectives of health care providers, care givers and community towards health care for people with mental disorders in selected township of Myanmar

Learning by doing

Revised curriculum

Development of policy brief

CAPI for all research of UPH

Research proposal development

Revised curriculum

- Supported for public health curriculum review for UPH and 5 medical universities
- Organized two day national seminar on public health curriculum review: 3-4 May 2017

Policy Brief

- First policy brief on overview of NCDs in Mar 2017
- Second policy brief on PEN intervention in Oct 2017

CAPI for all research of UPH

- Computer assisted personal interviews (CAPI)
- UPH decided to switchover to CAPI from this year in all research.
- Over the coming few years all the faculty will be trained in use of CAPI.
- Two major surveys- STEP survey and NCD morbidity survey are currently using CAPI.

Research proposal development

- As an academic instruction we always follow the principle of learning by doing.
- First and foremost, is on research proposal development by the faculty of UPH.
- It is anticipated that a minimum of 10 proposals will be developed in workshop of six days spread over in 6 weeks.
- The faculty teams have been identified the research problem by now.

Future Activities

- NCD knowledge hub
- NCD surveillance site
- University Accreditation
- Centre for implementation science
- WHO collaborating centre for NCD

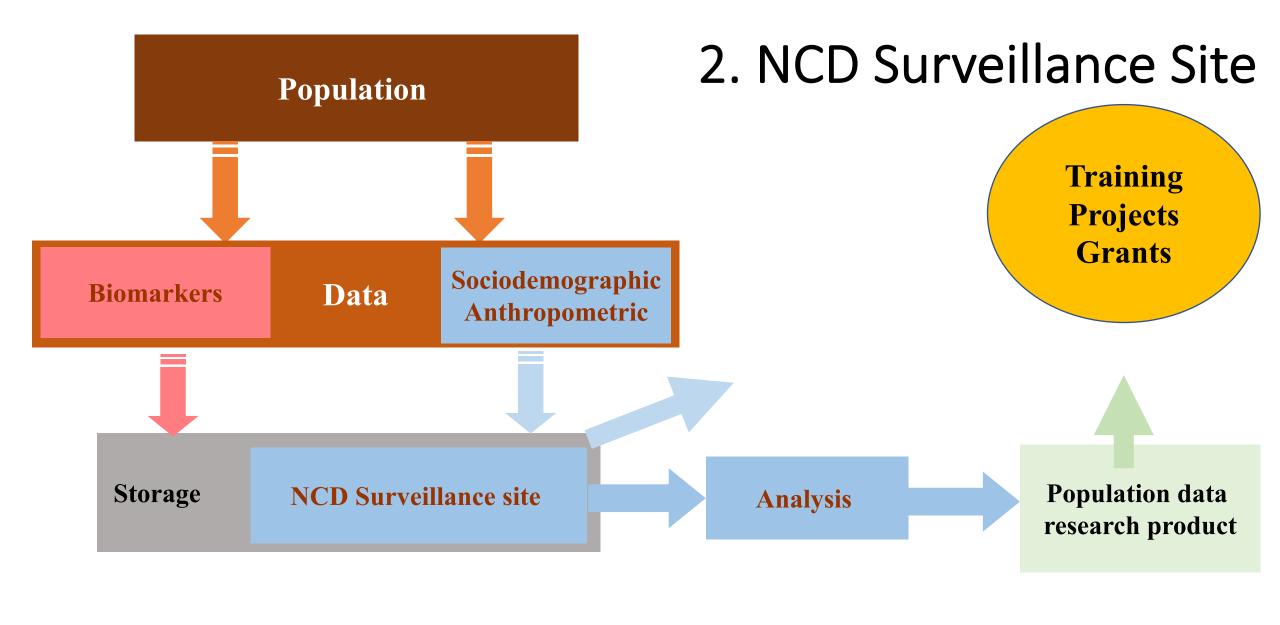
1. NCD Knowledge Hub

NCD Knowledge Hub Web Conferencing

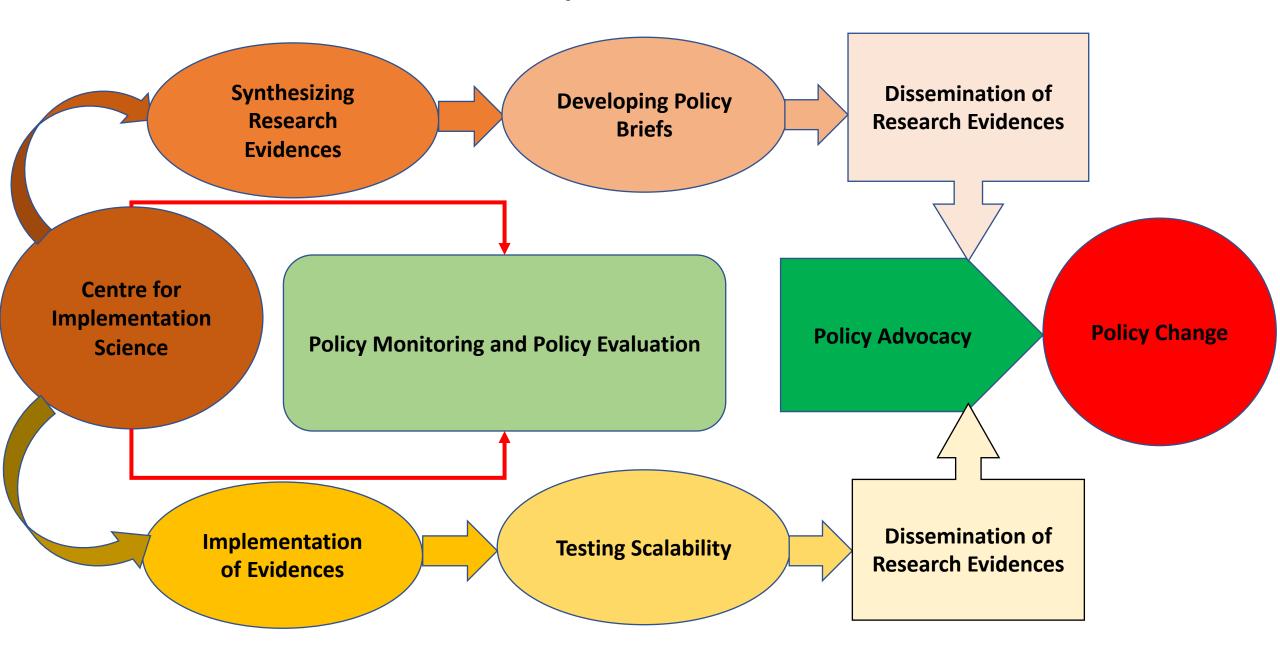
Knowledge Integration

Knowledge Sharing

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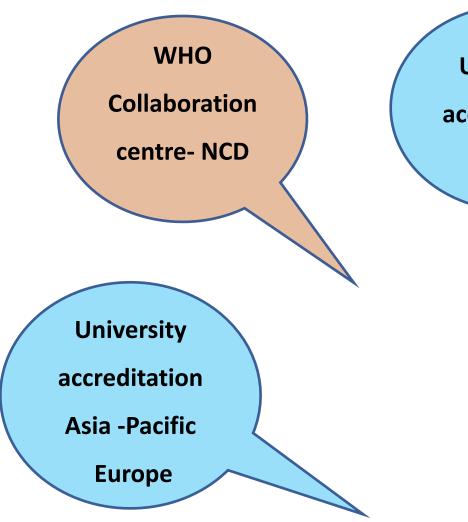


3. Centre for Implementation Science



Future Plan

Goal: "Produce next generation of competent and skilled public health professional



University accreditation AUN-QA

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