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	Oral Programme					
	Friday 13 th December 2013					
12:00 – 3:00pm	Registration – Foyer of the Auditorium, Level 3 – Block B					
1:30 – 3:00pm	Workshop - SR5-1, Level 5- Block B Creating systematic processes for maximising equity and access to healthcare in Asia: The role of health literacy Hosted by: WHO-SEARO and Deakin University					
3:00 – 3:30pm	Opening Remarks – Auditorium, Level 3 – Block B VIP – Prof. Tan Chorh Chuan, President, National University of Singapore, Singapore					
3:30 – 5:00pm	Plenary 1 – Governance of Pluralistic Health Systems - Auditorium, Level 3 – Block B Speaker: Timothy Evans, Human Development Network, The World Bank Chair: Vivian Lin, La Trobe University, Australia					
5:00 – 6:00pm	Welcome Reception - Lobby of the Oei Tiong Ham Building					

	Saturday 14 th December 2013						
8:00 – 9:00 am	Registration – Auditorium, Level 3 – Block B						
9:00 – 10:30am	Plenary 2 - Equity and social determinants of health - Auditorium, Level 3 – Block B Speakers: Ichiro Kawachi, Harvard University and Co-Editor in Chief, Social Science & Medicine Srinath Reddy, Public Health Foundation of India [P2.01] Evidence-based action on the social determinants of health: Where should society invest? I. Kawachi, Harvard University, USA [P2.02] Presentation Title TBA Srinath Reddy, Public Health Foundation of India Chair: Gerry Bloom, University of Sussex, UK						
10:30 – 11:00 am	Coffee Break – Foyer of Audit	orium, Level 3, Block B <u>and</u> Foye	r of the Oei Tiong Ham Building	3			
11:00 – 12:40 pm	Parallel Session 1- Access impacts due to financing, payment, and cost containment strategies Health Finance Chair: Presentation Room: SR5-1, Level 5- Block B	Parallel Session 2- Socioeconomic influences on health and access to services Chair: Presentation Room: SR5-2, Level 5- Block B	Parallel Session 3 - Governance and regulation Chair: Presentation Room: SR5-3, Level 5- Block B	Parallel Session 4 - Health services in pluralistic health systems Chair: Presentation Room: SR5-4, Level 5- Block B	Parallel Session 5 - Research and evaluation methods Chair: Presentation Room: SR5-5, Level 5- Block B	Symposium 1 - Common roles, diverse challenges: Informal and formal providers of first contact in Bangladesh, India, Afghanistan and China Chair: Meenakshi Gautham Presentation Room: Auditorium, Level 3- Block B	
11:00 – 11:20 am	[O1.01] Implementation of national essential medicines policy in China: A cross-sectional study of township health centres L.P. Yang ^{*1} , C.J. Liu ² , X.P. Zhang ¹ , ¹ Huazhong University of Science and Technology, China, ² La Trobe University, Australia	[O2.01] Sustaining health among the disadvantaged: Myanmar people and the use of traditional medicine T. Phatcharanuruk* ¹ , A. Myint ¹ ^{,2} , ¹ Chiang Mai University, Thailand, ² Freelance Researcher, Myanmar	[O3.01] A review of the regulatory frameworks for healthcare professionals in 11 countries H.K. Yam*, S. Griffiths, E.K. Yeoh, S. Liu, L.Y. Wong, C.H. Chung, Y.C. Yam, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong	[O4.01] Hospital-based One Stop Crisis Centres (OSCC) in Malaysia: Health sector vs. health systems approach to Gender-Based Violence (GBV) Y.L. Wong, University of Malaya, Malaysia	[O5.01] The impact of universal health coverage on healthcare consumption and risky behaviours: Evidence from Thailand S. Ghislandi* ¹ , W. Manachotphong ² , V. Perego ³ , ¹ Bocconi, Italy, ² Thammasat University, Thailand, ³ University Oxford, UK	[SYM1.01] Sexual and reproductive health needs of men: Health markets in Bangladesh S.F. Rashid ^{*1} , H. Standing ² , O. Akram ³ , ¹ BRAC University, Bangladesh, ² University of Sussex, UK, ³ Oxfam GB, Bangladesh	
11:20 – 11:40 am	[O1.02] The financial sustainability of Township Based Health Protection scheme in Myanmar: Daik-U township case study S. Ahmed* ¹ , S. Aye ² , Y. Nishino ³ , M. Gotink ⁴ , K. Soe ⁵ , ¹ University of Melbourne, Australia, ² Ministry of Health, Myanmar, ³ UNICEF, Viet Nam, ⁴ UNICEF, Myanmar, ⁵ UNICEF, Eritrea	[O2.02] Health status and access to health services in Indian slums I. Gupta ¹ , P. Guin ^{*2} , ¹ Institute of Economic Growth, India, ² University of Maryland, USA	[O3.02] Catalysing the adoption and scale-up of innovative maternal and newborn health interventions within the health system of Uttar Pradesh, India: Findings from a qualitative study N.J. Spicer, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine, UK	[O4.02] Trying to build a comprehensive framework for health financing in Southeast Asia countries P. Turquet, Unversity Rennes, France	[O5.02] Isolation of primary health care level in Pakistan - A system in need of change A.U. Malik ^{*1} , P.S. Hill ² , S. Hamid ³ , A. Ulikpan ² , ¹ Integrated Health Services, Pakistan, ² The University of Queensland, Australia, ³ Health Services Academy, Pakistan	[SYM1.02] Political partnerships: Informal provider associations, the private medical sector and political leadership in Andhra Pradesh, India. M. Gautham ^{*1,2} , S. Wolcott ³ , A. Zachariah ² , K.M. Shyamprasad ² , G. Bloom ³ , ¹ London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, UK, ² Centre for Research on New International Economic Order, India, ³ University of Sussex, UK	

11:40 – 12:00 pm	[O1.03] Out-of-pocket health expenditures in Vietnam: New evidence on coping mechanisms and consequences using national longitudinal data S. Mitra ¹ , D. Mont ² , M. Palmer ^{*3} , ¹ Fordham University, USA, ² University College of London, UK, ³ University of Melbourne, Australia	[O2.03] District variations in childhood immunizations in India: The role of health infrastructure and socio- economic factors A. Rammohan* ¹ , N. Awofeso ¹ , ¹ University of Western Australia, Australia, ² Hamdan Bin Mohammed e-University, United Arab Emirates	[03.03] Policy analysis on rural retention policies of health workforce in Bangladesh T. Joarder ^{*1,2} , L. Rawal ^{1,3} , M.I. Bulbul ⁴ , ¹ James P Grant School of Public Health, Bangladesh, ² Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, USA, ³ Monash University, Australia, ⁴ Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Bangladesh	[O4.03] Linking informal healthcare providers with physicians to improve the quality of health care services in a rural area of Bangladesh : Findings from a stakeholder analysis F. Khatun ¹ , M. Iqbal ¹ , S. Rasheed* ¹ , K. Allen ² , A. Hyder ² , A. Bhuiya ¹ , ¹ /CDDR,b, Bangladesh, ² John Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, USA	[05.03] Effects of the new cooperative medical system on reducing medical impoverishment in rural China: A new perspective M. Sun ^{*1} , J. Shen ¹ , C.Y. Li ¹ , Y. Wang ¹ , C. Cochran ¹ , F. Chen ¹ , P.P. Li ¹ , J. Lu ¹ , F.S. Chang ¹ , M. Hao ¹ , ^T Fudan University, China, ² University of Nevada at Las Vegas, USA	[SYM1.03] Examining the capacity of community health worker (CHW) systems in Afghanistan A. Edward* ¹ , K. Osei-Bonsu ¹ , S.H. Arwal ² , T. Yarghal ³ , F. Popal ³ , M. Roach ⁴ , J. Alouche ⁵ , ¹ Johns Hopkins University, USA, ² Ministry of Public Health, Afghanistan, ³ Future Health Systems-2, Afghanistan, ⁴ CDC, USA, ⁵ University of Sussex, UK
12:00 – 12:20 pm	[O1.04] The role of contracting and financial incentives in improving staff motivation and the delivery of district health services: An examination of a health reform using internal contracting in Cambodia K. Khim*, P. Annear, J. Rohan, The University of Melbourne, Australia	[O2.04] Handlooms weaving a fabric of ill- health: A study of the environmental health conditions of the handloom weavers of Varanasi, India C. Sodhi, Jawaharlal Nehru University, India	[O3.04] Profiling regions for the risk- adjusted cross-regional hospitalization rate: A longitudinal analysis T.T. Chen* ¹ , T.H. Wen ² , ¹ Fu Jen Catholic University, Taiwan, ² National Taiwan University, Taiwan	[O4.04] Linkages between public and NGO sectors in Uttar Pradesh, India: A case study for potential engagement opportunities A. Srivastava* ¹ , S. Bhattacharyya ¹ , M. Gautham ² , B. Avan ² , ¹ Public Health Foundation of India, India, ² London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, UK	[O5.04] The evaluation of social health insurance " Jampersal" in reducing maternal and infant mortality rates in Indonesia: A case study in PKU Muhammadiyah Yogyakarta Hospital R. Rosyidah*, D. Margawati, University of Ahmad Dahlan, Indonesia	[SYM1.04] The current situation of village doctors in transitional China: Findings from a longitudinal survey X. Zhang*, D. Tian, H. Xu, Beijing Normal University, China
12:20 – 12:40 pm	[O1.05] The development of universal health coverage in Thailand: Challenges of population aging and informal economy M. Hsu ^{*1} , X. Huang ¹ , S. Yupho ² , ¹ National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies, Japan, ² Fiscal Policy Office, Ministry of Finance, Thailand	[O2.05] Preparing pregnant women and community for safe delivery in urban slums of Bangladesh: BRAC's achievement and challenges N. Jahan, T. Roy, K. Afsana, M. Rahman*, <i>BRAC, Bangladesh</i>	[O3.05] Public perception on access to health services in Nepal B.R. Upreti*, S. Kc, Nepal Center for Contemporary Research (NCCR), Nepal	[O4.05] "If they are called doctors, why can't they prescribe simple medicines?": Role expectations of Traditional, Complementary & Alternative Medical (TCAM) providers in government health facilities in India J.K. Lakshmi* ¹ , K. Sheikh ² , D. Nambiar ² , T.N. Satyanarayana ¹ , V. Narayan ² , J.D.H. Porter ³ , ¹ Indian Institute of Public Health Hyderabad, India, ² Public Health Foundation of India, India, ³ London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, UK	[O5.05] Deconstructing clinical knowledge of obstetric care at the primary level: Insights from rural Karnataka, India M. Shankar*, S. Vyasanakere, A. Iyer, A. Sreevathsa, G. Sen, Indian Institute of Management Bangalore, India	
12:40 – 1:10pm		Level 3, Block B <u>and</u> Lobby of the				
1:10 – 1:50pm	Poster Session 1 - Foyer of Au	ditorium, Level 3, Block B <u>and</u> Lol	bby of the Oei Tiong Ham Build	ding		

1:50 – 3:30 pm	Parallel Session 6 - Access impacts due to financing, payment, and cost containment strategies Health Finance in India Chair: Presentation Room: Auditorium, Level 3- Block B	Parallel Session 7 - Access to health services Chair: Presentation Room: SR5-3, Level 5- Block B	Parallel Session 8 - Governance and regulation: government, power, partnerships, regional/national/local Chair: Presentation Room: SR5-2, Level 5- Block B	Parallel Session 9 - Public and private health providers Chair: Presentation Room: SR5-1, Level 5- Block B	Parallel Session 10 – Research and evaluation methods cont. Chair: Presentation Room: SR5-4, Level 5- Block B	Symposium 2 –Health, technology and society Chair: Linda Waldman Presentation Room: SR5-5, Level 5- Block B
1:50 – 2:10 pm	[06.01] Can community based health insurance increase access to care and financial protection? Evidence from a randomized control trial in rural India D. Dror ² , W.A. Raza ^{*1} , E. van de Poel ¹ , P. Panda ² , A.S. Bedi ¹ , ¹ Erasmus University Rotterdam, The Netherlands, ² Micro Insurance Academy, India	[07.01] Maternal and child health research priority setting in Western China K. Zhao*, Y. Xiao, X. Li, W. Guo, X. Qi, China National Health Development Research Centre, China	[O8.01] Social solidarity in East Asian health care systems: Exploring universal health insurance schemes in Japan, Korea, and Taiwan from 1990 to 2010 C-L. Tseng ^{*1} , J.R. Lu ² , H. Maarse ³ , ¹ National Taiwan University Hospital, Taiwan, ² Chang Gung University, Taiwan, ³ Maastricht University, The Netherlands	[09.01] Contracting private hospitals: Experiences from Southeast and East Asia C. Herberholz*, S. Supakankunti, <i>Chulalongkorn</i> University, Thailand	[O5.06] Comparing the rational use of medicines in China and Vietnam: A systematic review H. Vu ¹ , W. Mao ^{*2} , Q. Long ¹ , S. Tang ¹ , W. Chen ² , ¹ Duke University, USA, ² Fudan University, China	[SYM2.01] New technology and illness self-management: Is the approach relevant for resource-poor populations? H.W. Lucas, <i>IDS</i> , <i>UK</i>
2:10 – 2:30 pm	[O6.02] Private health insurance market in India: Current trends and policy implications N. Haber ¹ , D. Parmar ^{*1} , E. Pitchforth ¹ , S. Thomson ¹ , S. Ghosh ¹ , P. Mladovsky ¹ , ¹ London School of Economics and Political Science, UK, ² RAND Europe, UK, ³ Tata Institute of Social Sciences, India	[07.02] Health services accessibility among the rural population in a mountain area: Evidence from a town in Hubei province, China Z. Lu*, M. Rui, B. Xue, H. Lingxiao, F. Pengqian, <i>Huazhong University</i> of Science and Technology, China	[08.02] Towards gender responsive primary health care in India A. Muralidharan*, P.B.K. Balasubramaniam Kakkar, Public Health Foundation of India, India	[09.02] Buying care: A realist review approach to purchasing primary health care services from the private sector to provide care in under-served areas in low and middle income countries in the Asia Pacific Region M. Nachtnebel* ^{1,2} , N. Pillai ¹ , K. Hort ^{1,2} , A. O'Mahoney ¹ , ¹ Nossal Institute for Global Health, The University of Melbourne, Australia, ² The Asia Pacific Observatory, The Philippines	[O5.07] Healthcare performance assessment: Implications of using different hospital categories V.C. Nwagbara, University of Malaya, Malaysia	[SYM2.02] Health information seeking and new technologies in a low-income setting L. Waldman, <i>IDS, UK</i>
2:30 – 2:50 pm	[O6.03] Rajiv Aarogyasri Health Insurance Scheme: A beneficiary assessment T. Subbalakshmi, D. Sahoo*, <i>Indian</i> Institute of Technology, India	[07.03] Preventing maternal deaths in rural Bangladesh through establishing Referral Hubs: An innovative approach to strengthen referral system for maternal, newborn and child health interventions M. Rahman*, M. Chowdhury, T. Roy, K. Afsana, <i>BRAC, Bangladesh</i>	[O8.03] Weak at the top and the bottom: Applying the responsive regulation pyramid to assess quality of care regulations in India P. Saligram*, K. Sheikh, Public Health Foundation of India, India	[09.03] Gujarat's public private performance based financing program to promote institutional delivery among vulnerable women: What has been its contribution to institutional delivery in the state? D. Mavalankar ¹ , K. Ryan ² , P. Raman ¹ , K. Vora ¹ , A. De Costa ^{*2} , ¹ Indian Inst Public Health, India, ² Karolinska Institutet, Sweden	[O5.08] Tracking health system strengthening in Bangladesh I. Anwar ^{*1} , K. Islam ² , T. Evans ² , ¹ International Centre for Diarrhoeal Disease Research, Bangladesh, ² BRAC James P Grant School of Public Health, Bangladesh	[SYM2.03] M-health as a future mode of health service delivery: Community experiences in Chakaria, Bangladesh T. Sharmin*, A.M.Z. Akhtar, N.Z. Khan, S. Rasheed, T. Ahmed, S. Haque, International Centre for Diarrhoeal Disease Research, Bangladesh

2:50 – 3:10 pm	[O6.04] Of old exclusions and new barriers: Changing social exclusion among vulnerable groups in India T. Seshadri ^{*1} , M.H. Anil ¹ , M.K. Pati ¹ , S. Ghosh ² , A. Nawkar ² , D. Parmar ³ , W. Soors ⁴ , ¹ Institute of Public Health, India, ² Tata Institute of Social Sciences, India, ³ London School of Economics-Health, UK, ⁴ Institute of Tropical Medicine, Belgium	[O7.04] Community-based assessment of cardiovascular risk factors within the community based primary- care delivery model of SughaVazhvu healthcare in rural South India Z. Johar, <i>IKP Centre for</i> <i>Technologies in Public Health, India</i>	[O8.04] Quality improvement in privat healthcare facility in India: Issu and challenges P. Khadtale, P. D. Hinduja Natio Hospital & MRC, India	e Jes onal	[09.04] Public or private? Healthcare choices of poor households (for treatment for an infectious disease) in Bihar, India J.R. Desai, <i>Victoria University of</i> <i>Wellington, New Zealand</i>	[O5.09] Equity in health and health care in the Philippines H. Son, Asian Development Bank, The Philippines	[SYM2.04] Access and trust through information communication technologies in Bangladesh? S. Rasheed, ICDDR, Bangladesh
3.10 – 3:40 pm	Coffee Break & Poster Session	1 Viewing Time – Foyer of Aud	ditorium, Level 3, Block B <u>a</u>	nd Lot	bby of the Oei Tiong Ham Bu	ilding	
3:40 – 4:40 pm	Author Workshop – How to p	repare your manuscript for acc	eptance by a peer-review	ed jou	rnal – Auditorium, Level 3 –	Block B	
4:40 – 6:10pm	Sub-Plenary 1: Public hospital governance in Asia Pacific region: Evidence from 7 country case studies Organizer and Chair: Dale Huntington Presentation Room: SR5-1, Level 5- Block B			Sub-Plenary 2: Marshalling mixed human resources for health Organizer and Chair: Kabir Sheikh Presentation Room: Auditorium, Level 3- Block B [SP2.01]			
	S.K. Gupta, A.R. Singh*, P. Kumar, K. G [SP1.02]	A study of All India Institute of Medical Sulati, All India Institute of Medical Scie		The adaptive capacities of rural medical practitioners in India B. Kanjilal, Indian Institute of Health Management Research, India [SP2.02]			
	Public hospital governance in the Asia N.L.P.E.P. Andayani*, T. Marthias, L.P. [SP1.03]	a Pacific region: Indonesia case study Putri, Armiatin, Gadjah Mada Univers.	ity, Indonesia	The role of community health workers in Pakistan's mixed health system S. Zaidi, Aga Khan University Karachi, Pakistan [SP2.03]			
	Hospital governance and performance: A country case study of the Philippines O. Picazo, Philippines Institute of Development Studies, The Philippines [SP1.04]			An exploration of Cambodia's pluralistic health system M. Bigdeli, The Alliance for Health Policy and Systems Research, Switzerland [SP2.04]			
	 Hospital sector responses to major health system reforms in Thailand V. Tangcharoensathien*¹, A. Supachutikul², ¹Ministry of Public Health, Thailand, ²Healthcare Accreditation Institute, Thailand [SP1.05] Public hospital governance in the Asia-Pacific region: New Zealand district health board case study 			ors or farmers? The governance cha Ing*, D. Tian, H. Xu, W. Zhang, <i>Beijin</i>			
	R. Gauld, University of Otago, New Ze	-	•				
6:10pm	End of day						

	Sunday 15 th December 2013	
9:00 – 10:30am	 Plenary Session 3: Equity and health system responses to social change – Auditorium, Level 3 – Block B Speakers: Faruque Ahmed, BRAC International, Bangladesh Amit Prasad, WHO Centre for Health Development, Kobe, Japan Soonman Kwon, Seoul National University, South Korea [P3.01] Presentation Title TBA Faruque Ahmed, BRAC International, Bangladesh [P3.02] Prioritizing action on health inequities in cities using the social determinants of health approach: An evalu A. Prasad*, M. Kano, WHO Centre for Health Development, Japan [P3.03] Health and long-term care system in an era of population ageing S. Kwon, Seoul National University, Republic of Korea Chair: Dale Huntington 	uation of WHO's Urban HEART in 14 cities across Asia
10:30 – 11:00 am	World Health Organisation, The Philippines Coffee Break – Foyer of Auditorium, Level 3, Block B and Lobby of the Oei Tiong Ham	Building
11:00 – 12:30 pm	Sub-Plenary 3: Access to medicines in Asia: Developing equitable and sustainable systems for better healthcare Organizer and Chair: Shenglan Tang Presentation Room: Auditorium, Level 3- Block B	Sub-Plenary 4: Empowerment, health literacy and ICTS Organizer and Chair: Gerald Bloom Presentation Room: SR5-1, Level 5- Block B
	 [SP3.01] Appropriately managing chronic non-communicable diseases in rural Cambodia: Adjusting the health system and social health protection schemes B. Jacobs, Social Health Protection Programme(SHPP), Cambodia [SP3.02] Beyond financial risks: A proposal to broaden the conception of universal health coverage C.W. Ho, National University of Singapore, Singapore [SP3.03] Improving access to medicines through health system strengthening in China W. Chen, Fudan University, China [SP3.04] Access to medicines from a health system perspective M. Bigdeli, World Health Organization, Switzerland 	[SP4.01] Disintermediation: Empowerment or abandonment: Pathways towards a new health knowledge economy G. Bloom, Institute of Development Studies, UK [SP4.02] Health literacy an imperative for Asian healthcare R. Osborne, Deakin University, Australia [SP4.03] The potential role of mHealth technologies in low and middle income countries in Asia P. Ray, University of New South Wales, Australia [SP4.04] Integrating peer educator networks for chronic NCD into Cambodia's health system: Challenges and opportunities M. Van Pelt, MoPoTsyo Patient Information Centre, Cambodia
12:30 – 1:30pm	Lunch & Poster Session 2 Viewing Time – Foyer of Auditorium, Level 3 Block B and Lo	by of the Oei Tiong Ham Building

1:30 – 3:10pm	Parallel Session 11 – Health literacy and new communications technologies Chair: Presentation Room: SR5-3, Level 5- Block B	Symposium 3 – Impact of health financing reforms on health care access and financial protection Chair: Caryn Bredenkamp Presentation Room: Auditorium, Level 3- Block B	Parallel Session 12 – Policy process Chair: Presentation Room: SR5-1, Level 5- Block B	Parallel Session 13 – Health care seeking behaviour Chair: Presentation Room: SR5-2, Level 5- Block B	Parallel Session 14 – Gender, women and children Chair: Presentation Room: SR5-4, Level 5- Block B	Symposium 4 – Is the Indian health system ready for integration of the national vertical programs? Debates on dismantling programmatic hierarchy for operationalizing UHC Chair: Nata Menabde Presentation Room: SR5-5, Level 5- Block B
1:30 – 1:50 pm	[O11.01] Health Literacy: How do communities get informed about TB in India? B.M. Prasad*, S. Srinath, S. Chadha, International Union Against Tuberculosis and Lung Disease, India	[SYM3.01] The effects of performance based financing on the use of maternal and child care in Cambodia G. Flores ¹ , P. Ir ^{4,5} , O. O'Donnell ^{2,3} , E. Van de Poel ^{*2} , ¹ University of Lausanne, Switzerland, ² Erasmus University Rotterdam, The Netherlands, ³ University of Macedonia, Greece, ⁴ National Institute of Public Health, Cambodia, ⁵ Institute of Tropical Medicine, Belgium	[O12.01] The Malaysian health system in transition: The ambiguity of public and private C.K. Chan, W.H.W. Justen*, T.S. Tin, University of Malaya, Malaysia	[O13.01] Use of skilled providers for maternal health: Changes in remote rural areas of Bangladesh N.L. Huq*, A. Ahmed, N.A. Haque, M. Hossain, M.A. Quaiyum, <i>ICDDR</i> , <i>Bangladesh</i>	[O14.01] Cross-sectional study on factors influencing PhilHealth coverage and in-patient benefit utilization of Filipino children under five M.E.A. Puyat, Philippine Institute for Development Studies, The Philippines	[SYM4.01] What do we mean by integration? Conceptualizing program integration in complex health systems P. Balasubramaniam, PHFI, India
1:50 – 2:10 pm	[O11.02] Using ICF to understand attitude of community dwelling elderly towards communication and education technology in New Delhi, India R. Kumar ¹ , A. Banerjee ¹ , K. Bakshi ² , H. Qurashi ³ , J. Li ⁴ , V. Kapadia ⁴ , P. Ray ^{*4} , ¹ Dharma Foundation of India, India, ² KINSPARC, India, ³ ZMQ, India, ⁴ University of New South Wales, Australia	[SYM3.02] A multidimensional measure of Financial Protection G. Flores ^{*1,2} , O. O'Donnell ^{2,3} , ¹ University of Lausanne, Switzerland, ² Erasmus University Rotterdam, The Netherlands, ³ University of Macedonia, Greece	[O12.02] What can Asian health systems learn from other contexts? Comparative analysis of the role of evidence in health policy development in India and Nigeria T. Mirzoev* ¹ , M. Das ¹ , B. Rawat ² , N. Uguru ³ , G. Russo ⁴ , R. Bymolt ⁵ , A. Khan ² , O. Onwujekwe ³ , S. Srivanichakorn ⁶ , R. Huss ¹ , ¹ University of Leeds, UK, ² Association for Stimulating Know How, India, ³ University of Nigeria Enugu Campus, Nigeria, ⁴ Instituto De Higiene E Medicina Tropical, Portugal, ⁵ Het Koninklijk Instituut Voor De Tropen, The Netherlands, ⁶ Mahidol University, Thailand	[O13.02] Making rational decision in utilizing maternal service: A qualitative study in Lao PDR K.N. Do ^{*1} , M.K. Kim ² , C. Lee ¹ , S. Vanphanom ³ , ¹ Seoul National University, Republic of Korea, ² Ewha Womans University, Republic of Korea, ³ University of Health Sciences, People's Democratic Republic of Lao	[O14.02] Women's autonomy within household and child malnutrition in India D. Das, National University of Singapore, Singapore	[SYM4.02] Is the Indian health system ready for integration of national vertical programs? How do we integrate? "Consensus versus coercion" P.L. Joshi, <i>MOH, India</i>

2:10 – 2:30 pm	[O11.03] Doctor-patient trust in changing rural society–a case study of two villages in central China L. Fang, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, China	[SYM3.03] Local health care financing reforms in Indonesia A. Bedi ¹ , S. Budiyati ² , R. Sparrow ^{*3} , A. Suryahadi ² , N. Warda ² , A. Yumna ² , ¹ Erasmus University Rotterdam, The Netherlands, ² The SMERU Research Institute, Indonesia, ³ Australian National University, Australia	[O12.03] Challenges to civil society participation in health policy in Malaysia S. Barraclough* ¹ , S. Chong ¹ , K.L. Phua ² , ¹ La Trobe University, Australia, ² Monash University Sunway Malaysia, Malaysia	[O13.03] Comparing patient care seeking pathways in three models of hospital and TB programme collaboration in China X. Wei ¹ , G. Zou ^{*2} , J. Yin ² , J. Walley ² , Q. Sun ³ , ¹ The Chinese University of Hong Kong, China, ² University of Leeds, UK, ³ Shandong University, China	[O14.03] Health realted MDGs in Viet Nam: Inequities and practical strategies towards Universal Health Coverage for women and children C. Burgess ^{*1} , N. Hong ² , O. Lincetto ³ , P. Mai ⁴ , A. Malviya ⁵ , L. Thuyen ⁶ , N. Hung ⁷ , D. Thanh ⁸ , ¹ UNICEF, Viet Nam, ² Hanoi School of Public Health, Viet Nam, ³ WHO, Viet Nam, ⁴ UNFPA, Viet Nam, ⁵ UNAIDS, Viet Nam, ⁶ National Institute of Nutrition, Viet Nam, ⁷ Viet Nam Health Environment Management Agency, Viet Nam, ⁸ National Institute of Hygiene and Epidemiology, Viet Nam	[SYM4.03] When to initiate integration of national vertical programs?: Yesterday, today or tomorrow S.K. Hira, <i>PHFI, India</i>
2:30 – 2:50 pm	[O11.04] Health literacy and association for immigrates in a municipalities R. Ran* ¹ , Y. Zhangu ¹ , X. Jia ¹ , Z. Ling ¹ , N. Yan ¹ , L. Xiaofeng ¹ , ¹ Dalian Medical University, China, ² The Patriotic Health Committee of Dalian, China	[SYM3.04] Setting the incentives right – impact evaluation of district hospital capitation payment in Vietnam N. Thi Hong Ha ¹ , S. Bales* ^{2,3} , A. Wagstaff ¹ , D. Thanh Huyen ³ , ¹ World Bank, USA, ² Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy, Singapore, ³ Center for Community Health Strategy, Viet Nam	[O12.04] Priorities of policy makers, policy and practices: An analysis of Kerala health system A.S. Nair, Kerala State Youth Welfare Board, India	[O13.04] Should primary care in pluralistic health systems in developing countries be regulated? The case of primary care in Sri Lanka N.D.W. Widanapathirana* ¹ , A.T. Ranasinghe ² , N.T. Wellappuli ¹ , H.S.R. Perera ³ , R. Jayasuriya ⁴ , ¹ Postgraduate Institute of Medicine, Sri Lanka, ² WHO Office, Sri Lanka, ³ Ministry of Health, Sri Lanka, ⁴ University of New South Wales, Australia	[O14.04] Gender differences in health care utilisation: Evidence from Malaysia Z. Kefeli, Universiti Sains Islam Malaysia, Malaysia	[SYM4.04] Why do we need to integrate national vertical programs: Duplication versus efficiency? G. Vaidyanathan ¹ , P. Balasubramaniam ¹ , M. Geetha ^{*2} , ¹ PHFI, India, ² National Rural Health Mission, India
2:50 – 3:10 pm		[SYM3.05] Will premium subsidies and information improve willingness-to-pay for health insurance? Evidence from the Philippines S. Quimbo*, A.D. Kraft, J.J. Capuno, C.A.R. Tan, University of the Philippines, The Philippines				
3:10 – 3:30 pm			Lobby of the Oei Tiong Ham Bu			
3:30 – 4:10pm	Poster Session 2- Foyer of Auditorium, Level 3, Block B and Lobby of the Oei Tiong Ham Building					
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4:30 – 4:50pm	[O15.02] Civil society and health reform in Thailand: State capture or the voices of the people? D. Hughes, <i>Swansea University</i> , <i>UK</i>	[SYM5.02] Lessons learned from the public-private partnership programs in Hong Kong E. Wong*, P.Y.K. Chau, C.H.K. Yam, E.K. Yeoh, <i>The Chinese</i> University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong	[O16.02] Retention of nurses in rural Nepal: How can health sector decentralisation help? J. Morrison* ¹ , R. Thapa ² , R. Shakya ² , ¹ University College London, UK, ² Nick Simons Institute, Nepal	[SYM6.02] How can we accelerate progress in health? Exploring successful strategies to tackle maternal health and neglected tropical diseases in Bangladesh, Cambodia and Nepal" Part 2 R. Rodriguez Pose*, F. Samuels, J. Engel, Overseas Development Institute, UK	[O17.02] Horizontal inequities in healthcare utilization by elderly in india: Does family matter? W. Joe ^{*1} , S. Rudra ¹ , ¹ Institute of Economic Growth, India, ² Jawaharlal Nehru University, India	[SYM7.02] Singapore's healthcare reforms: Transitions from Orthodoxy M. Ramesh, W. Xun, D. Low*, National University of Singapore, Singapore
4:50- 5:10pm	[O15.03] Strengthening village health committees: The importance of policy context A.S. George* ¹ , K. Sheikh ² , K. Scott ^{1,2} , S. Garimella ² , S. Mondal ² , R. Gaitonde ³ , V.R. Raman ² , R.R. Ved ⁴ , ¹ Johns Hopkins University Bloomberg School of Public Health, USA, ² Public Health Foundation of India, India, ³ Society for Community Health Awareness Research and Action, India, ⁴ National Health Systems Resource Centre, India	[SYM5.03] Public-private participation and healthcare corporatization in Singapore K.H. Phua, National University of Singapore, Singapore	[O16.03] Organizational change of local health System regulation function in Indonesia after centralization era D.K. Sunjaya, Universitas Padjadjaran, Indonesia	[SYM6.03] Good health at low cost 25 years on: Revisited case studies from China, Costa Rica, Kerala and Sri Lanka B. Palafox*, D. Balabanova, M. McKee, A. Mills, G. Walt, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, UK	[O17.03] Long-term care and transitions of elderly living arrangements in Taiwan T.F. Lo ^{*1} , C.R. Hsieh ² , ¹ National Dong Hwa University, Taiwan, ² Academia Sinica, Taiwan	[SYM7.03] Financing health care in Singapore: Potential and limitations M. Ramesh, W. Xun*, D. Low, National University of Singapore, Singapore
5:10 – 5:30 pm	[O15.04] Insured yet unaware- the plight of the poor consumers of health insurance in Tamilnadu, India P. Rajalakshmi*, A. Indira, Loyola Institute of Business Administration, India	[SYM5.04] Public-private integration of health services in Malaysia K.L. Phua ¹ , K.H. Phua ^{*1} , ¹ Monash University, Malaysia, ² National University of Singapore, Singapore		[SYM6.04] Applying the good health at low cost approach: Exploring regional variations in reform effectiveness and its association with health in Armenia, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova and Tajikistan B. Akkazieva ¹ , D. Balabanova ^{*2} , M. McKee ² , ¹ WHO, Tajikistan, ² London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, UK		
7:30pm	Gala Dinner – Orchard Hote	I (All delegates invited to at	tend)		<u> </u>	

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08:30 – 10:00 am	Sub-Plenary 5: Comparative health systems in Asia: Towards optimal integration of health and social policies in ageing populations of Asia Organizer and Chair: Phua Kai Hong Presentation Room: Auditorium, Level 3- Block B	Sub-Plenary 6: The changing health labour market context in Asia Pacific Organizer and Chair: Gulin Gedik Presentation Room: SR5-1, Level 5- Block B	Sub-Plenary 7: The challenge of universal health coverage: Lessons from Asia Organizer and Chair: Kelvin Bryan Tan Presentation Room: SR5-2, Level 5- Block B			
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10:00 – 10:30 am	Coffee Break - Foyer of Auditorium, Level 3, Block B					
10:30am-12:00pm	Plenary Session 4: Implementing the U, H and C of universal health coverage in Asia - Auditorium, Level 3 – Block B Speakers: Jack Langenbrunner, Ausaid Toomas Palu, The World Bank, Thailand Leizel P. Lagrada, Philippine Health Insurance Corporation, The Philippines Michel Anglade, Save the Children, Singapore Dina Balabanova, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, UK Sarah Bales, LKY School of Public Policy, Singapore Chair: Timothy Evans, Human Development Network, The World Bank					
12:00 – 12:30 pm	Closing Remarks - Auditorium, Level 3 – Block B					
12:30 pm	End of Conference					

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