

# Technical Experts Meeting on Tracking Rehabilitative Care Expenditure in Health Accounts

16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> May,  
WHO Headquarters,  
Geneva Switzerland

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DAY 1 THURSDAY 16 <sup>TH</sup> MAY, 2024		
	SESSION	PRESENTER
09:00 – 09:15	<b>Opening, welcome and participant introduction</b>	Ms Alarcos Cieza NCD Department, WHO Headquarters
09:15 – 10:00	<p><b>Introduction to meeting:</b></p> <p>Context and purpose of meeting and future WHO resource (10mins)</p> <p>Strengthening rehabilitation in health systems and the importance of National Health Accounts (10mins)</p> <p>Rehabilitative care in the Global Health Expenditures Database and overview of challenges and opportunities (10mins)</p>	<p><i>Session Chair:</i> <i>Ms Alarcos Cieza</i></p> <p>Ms Natalja Eigo, Health Accounts, WHO Headquarters</p> <p>Ms Pauline Kleinitz, Rehabilitation, WHO Headquarters</p> <p>Ms Emma Brainerd, R4D</p>
10:00 – 11:15	<p><b>Topic 1: Exploring the policy imperatives for tracking rehabilitative care in health accounts</b></p> <p>Brief overview on Health Accounts for Policies and Programs: experiences and way forward (5 mins)</p> <p><b>Panel:</b> The value of HA data in health policy and program decision making (25 mins)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Use of health accounts data in policy making – Charu Garg</li> <li>• Use of health accounts data in policy making in Georgia - Ketevan Goginashvili</li> <li>• Use of health accounts data in Mental Health advocacy – Dan Chisholm (tbc)</li> </ul> <p><b>Small Group Work</b> (25 mins). Identifying policy imperatives that can be informed by health accounts data</p> <p><b>Large group feedback and discussion</b> (20 mins)</p>	<p><i>Session Chair:</i> <i>Ms Tamara Chikhradze, R4D</i></p> <p>Ms Tamara Chikhradze, R4D</p> <p>Ms Charu Garg, Consultant, R4D</p> <p>Ms Ketevan Goginashvili, MOH, Georgia</p> <p>Mr Dan Chisholm, (tbc) Mental Health, WHO Headquarters</p>
11:15 – 11:30	<b>Coffee Break</b>	

11:30 - 12:30	<p><b>Topic 2.1: Definitions and characteristics of rehabilitation services when tracking rehabilitative care in health accounts: What are the challenges and implications?</b></p> <p>Overview of the SHA 2011 definition of rehabilitation, and why it is important to have clear definition and boundaries for rehabilitative care within NHAs (10 mins)</p> <p>Presentation on the inherent nature of rehabilitation services, providing an overview to rehabilitation definitions and characteristics (20 mins)</p> <p>Implications of rehabilitation characteristics for health accounting and introduction to why consistent boundaries for rehabilitative care important (10 mins)</p> <p><b>Large group discussion (20 mins)</b></p>	<p><i>Session Chair:</i> Ms Patricia Hernandez Consultant, WHO</p> <p>Ms Patricia Hernandez, Consultant</p> <p>Ms Alex Rauch, Rehabilitation Programme, WHO Headquarters</p> <p>Ms Pauline Kleinitz</p>
12:30 – 13:30	<b>Lunch Break</b>	
13:30 – 15:00	<p><b>Topic 2.2: Definitions and characteristics of rehabilitation services when tracking rehabilitative care in health accounts: Boundaries for rehabilitative care in health accounts</b></p> <p>Overview to the boundary issues for health accounts (10mins)</p> <p><b>Panel:</b> Country approaches to describing how rehabilitation care expenditures are defined, challenges faced, and suggested ways for operationalizing boundaries (7 mins per presenter, 15mins questions – 45mins)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Netherlands (Mr Cor van Mosseveld)</li> <li>2. Georgia (Mr David Gzirishvili)</li> <li>3. Nepal (Mr Roshan Karn)</li> <li>4. OECD country and approaches, with focus on boundaries between rehabilitative care and curative and long-term care (Mr David Morgan)</li> </ol> <p><b>Small group work (30mins)</b> Deep dive into what services should be included and excluded within the boundaries of rehabilitative care expenditure</p>	<p><i>Session Chair:</i> Ms Natalja Eigo</p> <p>Ms Charu Garg</p> <p>Mr Cor van Mosseveld, Consultant, Netherlands</p> <p>Mr David Gzirishvili, Curatio Consulting Group, Georgia</p> <p>Mr Roshan Karn, health Accounts, WHO Country Office, Nepal</p> <p>Mr David Morgan, OECD</p>
15:00 – 15:15	<b>Coffee Break</b>	

15:15 – 16:55	<b>Topic 2.2: Cont'd</b> Cont'd small group work. (30mins) <b>Large group feedback and discussion</b> (60 mins)	<i>Session Chair:</i> Mr Tomas Roubal, WHO Country Office, Georgia
16:55 - 17:00	<b>Closing</b>	Mr Antony Duttine, Rehabilitation, WHO Headquarters
<b>DAY 2</b> <b>FRIDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2024</b>		
09:00 – 09:15	Recap and Day 2 agenda setting	R4D
9:15 – 11:00	<b>Topic 3: Classification and mapping rehabilitative expenditure in health accounts.</b> Overview to classifying and mapping rehabilitative expenditure (7mins)  Brief overview of the data sources and classification for rehabilitation expenditure (7 mins)  Identification of rehabilitative care funding sources and sourcing related data; practices and application in Armenia (10 mins)  Identification of rehabilitative care funding sources and sourcing related data; practices and application in Latin America (10 mins)  <b>Large group discussion</b> (15 mins)  <b>Small group discussion:</b> Tracking the flow of rehabilitation expenditures and identifying data sources (45 mins)  <b>Large group feedback and discussion</b> (20 mins)	<i>Session Chair:</i> Mr David Gzirishvili  Mr Cor van Mosseveld  Ms Emma Brainerd,  Mr Agapi Harutyunyan, Consultant, and Ms Anastas Aghazaryan, National Institute of Health, Armenia  Ms Patricia Hernandez
11:00 – 11:15	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
11:15 - 12:30	<b>Topic 4.1: Allocating and estimating rehabilitative care expenditure data; Overview and practices</b>  Overview of estimation methods and use of allocation keys (10 mins)  Allocating and estimating rehabilitative care in Nepal for government sources and for providers and diseases through facility-level surveys (10 mins)	<i>Session Chair:</i> Mr Roshan Karn  Ms Patricia Hernandez  Ms Charu Garg & Mr Roshan Karn  Mr David Morgan

	<p>Allocating and estimating rehabilitative care in high income countries for curative care and long-term care (10 mins)</p> <p>Presentation on allocating and estimating rehabilitative care for insurance data (10 mins)</p> <p><b>Large group discussion</b> (30mins)</p>	<p>Mr Ezrah Trevor, Health Accounts, Consultant, Uganda/Botswana</p>
<b>12:30 – 13:30</b>	<b>Lunch Break</b>	
13:30 – 14:45	<p><b>Topic 4.2: Allocating and estimating rehabilitative care expenditure data: Estimating OOPE for rehabilitation</b></p> <p><b>Panel discussion:</b> Options for capturing out-of-pocket expenditure on rehabilitation (60mins)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ketevan Goginashvili</li> <li>• David Gzirishvili</li> <li>• Vlad Dimkovski</li> <li>• Patricia Hernandez</li> <li>• David Morgan</li> <li>• Charu Garg</li> </ul> <p><b>Large group discussion</b> (20mins)</p>	<p><i>Session Chair:</i> <i>Mr Cor van Mosseveld</i></p> <p>Ms Ketevan Goginashvili Mr David Gzirishvili, Mr Vladimir Dimkovski, Curatio Consulting Group Ms Patricia Hernandez Mr David Morgan Ms Charu Garg</p>
14:45 – 15:15	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
15:15 – 16:30	<p><b>Topic 5: Contents of the proposed ‘WHO Technical Note on Tracking Rehabilitative Care’ and achieving consensus</b></p> <p>Presentation on the outline and basic content of the Technical Note, and facilitated discussion to review, validate, and expand upon key points and recommendations compiled from previous sessions. (60mins)</p> <p>Rationale for a clear, conceptually accurate and internationally comparable measure of rehabilitative care expenditure (10 mins)</p> <p>Next steps for finalising the product (5 mins)</p>	<p><i>Session Chair:</i> <i>Ms Natalja Eigo</i></p> <p>Ms Charu Garg</p> <p>Ms Pauline Kleinitz</p>
16:30 – 16:45	<b>Closing</b>	Ms Alarcos Cieza