

HTAsiaLink was founded in September 2010, the network operates on a voluntary basis, no requirement for membership fee, and no compulsory engagement in particular network activities.

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Jan 2011: Joint research project on the WTP/QALY in Asia Jun 2011: Launch HTAsiaLink newsletter



Secretariat: Coordinate all network activities

Jan 2013: HTAsiaLink website has been created

May 2013: 2nd HTAsiaLink conference (Malaysia)

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Joint research projects

• The Asian Study on Comparative Values for Quality-Adjusted Life Years (QALYs)

Information exchange

- www.htasialink.org
- HTAsiaLink newsletter
- Group mail
- Exchange HTA information via online communication

Conferences & meetings

- HTAsiaLink annual conference
- Sessions in international meetings

Capacity building activities

- Trainings
- Study visits

Activities:



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Network of the networks

- INAHTA
- HTAi
- ISPOR
- RedETSA

Organizational Members:

• National Evidence-based Healthcare Collaborating Agency (NECA) [Republic of Korea]

- Ministry of Health [Singapore]
- Malaysia Health Technology Assessment Section (MaHTAS), Ministry of Health Malaysia [Malaysia]

• School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Universiti Sains Malaysia (USM) [Malaysia]

• Pharmaceutical Services Division (PSD), Ministry of Health Malaysia [Malaysia]

- Division of HTA, Center for Drug Evaluation (CDE) [Taiwan]
- National Institute of Public Health (NIPH) [Japan]
- Health Intervention and Technology Assessment Program (HITAP) [Thailand]
 - International Health Policy Program (IHPP) [Thailand]
- National Center for Pharmaceutical Access and Management Department of Health (NCPAM) [the Philippines]
- Division of Health Policy Evaluation and Technology Assessment, China National Health Development Research Center (CNHDRC) [China]
- Tianjin International Joint Academy of Biotechnology and Medicine (TJAB) [China]
- Essential Medicines and Technology Division(EMTD), Department of Medical Services, Ministry of Health [Buthan]
- Health Strategy and Policy Institute(HSPI) [Vietnam]

Associated Members

- National Institute for Health and Care Excellence (NICE international), UK
- The Health Policy Advisory Committee on Technology (HealthPACT), Australia
- Australian Safety and Efficacy Register of New Interventional Procedures-Surgical (ASERNIP-S), Australia



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PHOTO GALLERY: Asian Study Willingness to Pay

The Asian Study on Comparative Values for Quality-Adjusted Life Years (QALYs) is the first joint research project of the HTAsiaLink. Began in January 2011, this study was conducted by researchers Sains Malaysia and HITAP.

The main objectives are to examine the values of QALYs associated with improvement in the quality of life in mind, moderate and serve conditions, and also for the extension of life for terminal illnsses.

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The HTAsiaLink annual conference is an invitation-only academic forum that provides opportunity to young researchers in member institutes to present their studies and obtain comments from international experts and peers.



HTAsiaLink has operated to fulfill the need for transferring and sharing HTA-related lessons across countries and organizations in Asia and beyond. Collaborative activities in the network can help to avoid duplication, facilitate learning and achievements, reduce resource use, and therefore, enhance efficiency at organization level. Importantly, it is the values of member institutes towards learning from each other as one of its success factors that shapes the collaboration and its activities.

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