



Conference agenda

Theme:

Reshaping and reshifting Health
Technology Assessment in navigating
the future landscape

Date: 4-7 September 2023

Venue: Federal Territory of
Putrajaya, Malaysia

About 11TH HTAsiaLink Conference 2023

The COVID 19 pandemic has left us with multitude of experience, lesson and memories that were meaningful in paving the future landscape of HTA. Throughout the pandemic, the HTA communities have learned the importance of expedited evaluation in response to public health emergencies, effective communication and collaboration, leveraging the international networking and the role of HTA in accelerating access to innovative health technologies. Following this, numerous opportunities has emerged that warrant a further dialogue and deliberation on a global scale.

Thus, in this year's conference, the discussion on the evolution of HTA should be continued by taking a step further to reshape the role of HTA in response to public health emergencies and preparedness, as well as innovative health technologies, while also simultaneously reshifting the value assessment by strengthening the wider perspectives from patient and public.

As per usual, the 11th HTAsiaLink Annual Conference is a member-only event. However, attendance to pre-conference sessions is welcomed for everyone who is interested. All member organizations are invited to participate in this prestigious regional HTA conference by submitting their completed or ongoing research papers for oral and poster presentations.

Let's celebrate our friendship as we mark our 11th successful year of working together, stay united and join forces to create memories that will serve as constant reminders of the value of this network!

Malaysia awaits you!!

Pre conference session: (4th September 2023/ Monday)

Time	Programme			
9am-12pm	Pre-conference session 1	Pre-conference session 2	Pre-conference session 3	Pre-conference Session 7 Patient and Citizen Involvement (HTAi endorsed programme)
2pm-5pm	Pre-conference session 4	Pre-conference session 5	Pre-conference session 6	
7.30pm-10.00pm	Cultural dinner			

Day 1 Conference (5th September 2023/ Tuesday)

Time	Programme			
8.00am-8.30 am	Registration			
8.30am - 10.30am	<p>Plenary 1: Accelerating access of health technologies</p> <p>In light of the pandemic, it has become evident that rapid evaluation is crucial in supporting the decision makers in making resolution during crisis. This plenary will discuss on key issues to accelerate access while maintaining the scientific rigor such as measuring value from patient perspective and the role of early dialogues between HTA agency and regulators</p> <p>Presentation:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1) Moving towards a joint assessment by regulator-HTA – EU experience (iHTS)2) Early HTA in development phase -Dr Wang Yi (NUS, Singapore)3) Accelerating access of health technologies from patient perspectives - HTAi PCI Interest Group4) HTA for drug price negotiation for new expensive treatment – Country experience from China			
10.30am-11.00am	Catch up and connect			
11.00am-12.30pm	Welcome speech		President of HTAsiaLink (Dr Izzuna Mudla Mohamed Ghazali)	
	Welcome remarks		Director General of Health	
	Opening speech		Minister of Health Malaysia	
	Opening ceremony/ Showcase / HTAsiaLink Activity /Photo session			
	Keynote address		WHO/ Director General of Health	
12.30pm-2.00pm	Catch up and connect			
2.00pm-4.00pm	Oral presentation (Session 1)			
	Room 1 (10 mins presentation + 5 min Q&A)	Room 2 (10 mins presentation + 5 min Q&A)	Room 3 (10 mins presentation + 5 min Q&A)	Room 4 (10 mins presentation + 5 min Q&A)
	6 x Oral Presentations +Q&A	6 x Oral Presentations +Q&A	6 x Oral Presentations + Q&A	6 x Oral Presentations + Q&A
4.00pm-4.30pm	Catch up and connect		Foyer (30 mins) Poster presentation final judging/ discussion	



Day 2 Conference (6th September 2023/ Wednesday)

Time	Programme			
8.30am-10.30am	Oral presentation (Session 2)			
	Room 1 (10 mins presentation + 5 min Q&A) 6 x Oral Presentations + Q&A	Room 2 (10 mins presentation + 5 min Q&A) 6 x Oral Presentations + Q&A	Room 3 (10 mins presentation + 5 min Q&A) 6 x Oral Presentations + Q&A	Room 4 (10 mins presentation + 5 min Q&A) 6 x Oral Presentations + Q&A
10.30am-11.00am	Catch up and connect		Foyer (30 mins) Poster presentation final judging/ discussion	
11.00am-1.00pm	Plenary 2: Role of HTA in assessing Public Health Intervention			
	Conducting assessments of interventions during crises is challenging for many HTA agencies. This plenary session will discuss the role and the conduct of HTA in the assessment of public health interventions generally and during the crisis. Countries or HTA Organizations will share their experiences to give the audience a better understanding of the role, challenges and barriers of using HTA in public health emergencies and crisis preparedness.			
	Presentation			
	1) The use of epidemiological modelling in public health assessment – Prof Dr Mark Jit			
	2) Framework of public health intervention assessment –Malaysia			
	3) Public health intervention assessment – Country experience Australia			
	4) Experience in conducting Public Health Intervention Assessment-Taiwan			
1.00pm-2.00pm	Catch up and connect			
2.00pm-4.00pm	Oral presentation (Session 3)			
	Room 1 (10 mins presentation + 5 min Q&A) 6 x Oral Presentations + Q&A	Room 2 (10 mins presentation + 5 min Q&A) 6 x Oral Presentations + Q&A	Room 3 (10 mins presentation + 5 min Q&A) 6 x Oral Presentations + Q&A	Room 4 (10 mins presentation + 5 min Q&A) 6 x Oral Presentations + Q&A
4.00pm-4.30pm	Catch up and connect (All participant)		Foyer (30 mins) Poster presentation final judging/ discussion	
4.30pm-6.30pm	Abstract Result Discussion (Scientific Committee, Commentators, Moderators ONLY)			



Day 3 Conference (7th September 2023/ Thursday)

Time	Programme
8.30am-10.00am	<p>Plenary 3: Moving towards more innovative HTA</p> <p>The HTA method in assessing cutting-edge and digital health technologies has begun to evolve over the years and was amplified by the COVID-19 pandemic. Along with the challenges in assessing innovative health technologies, a number of innovative tools have been developed to meet up the demand for expedited evaluation. This plenary will provide opportunity for countries or HTA organizations to discuss how the assessment was done, challenges and the value of the innovative tools</p>
	<p>Presentation:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Country experience on review of COVID-19 related topics – Australia 2) nHTA – Framework of digital health technology assessment from Korea 3) Evaluating digital health or personalized medicine – India /Indonesia 4) Shifting resources towards higher value technology – Malaysia
	Catch up and connect
10.30am-12.00pm	<p>Closing remarks</p> <p>Award Ceremony</p> <p>Next host event announcement</p>
12.00pm-1.30pm	Catch up and connect
1.30pm-3.00pm	Council and Member meeting
3.00pm-3.15pm	Refreshment break
3.15pm-4.15pm	Board meeting / Adjourn