Achievement/s and current key focus areas of PHA:

Not a public health association, but association of schools of public health: major focus on curriculum content, quality and sharing resources.

Main upcoming events

8th Annual AGM and second academic meeting of ASPHA in Kisumu Kenya in April 2017.

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PHA Name: Ghana Public Health Association
WFPHA membership: Full Member
Representative: Dr Amofah George, Vice President

Achievement/s and current key focus areas of PHA:
• Scientific lectures on topical national public health issues
• Organisation of 6 annual General Meetings
• Development of flyer for membership

PHA Work plan
• Bimonthly executive Committee meetings
• Thrice yearly scientific lectures
• Advocacy meetings with ministries, departments and agencies
• Establishment of three sub-committee
• Annual General Meeting for 2017

Main upcoming events
• Scientific lecture on IHR and Global Health Security – May 2017
• Advocacy on Global Health Charter – 2nd Quarter 2017

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PHA Name: Österreichische Gesellschaft für Public Health
Austrian Public Health Association

WFPHA membership: Full Member

Representative: Thomas Dorner (President), Guenter Diem (Vice President, Treasurer), Inanna Reinsperger (Secretary), Philipp Petersen (Board Member)

Achievement/s and current key focus areas of PHA:
Hosting EPH annual meeting in 2016

PHA Work plan
Working groups in various topics
National Health Targets

Main upcoming events
Winter Meeting Jan 2018 in coop. with Swiss and German PHA

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PHA Name: Canadian Public Health Association
WFPHA membership: Full Member
Representative: James Chauvin

Achievement/s and current key focus areas of PHA:
• 2016-2020 strategic plan
• Public health: A conceptual framework
• Medical assistance in dying
• Early childhood education and care
• Accelerated phase-out of coal-fired power plants
• National ban on asbestos

PHA work plan
• Ecological determinants of health
• Public health approach to cannabis use
• Responding to the opioid crisis in Canada
• Affordable housing / poverty reduction

Main upcoming events
• Public Health 2017 – 6-8 June 2017, Halifax, Nova Scotia

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Achievement/s and current key focus of PHA

• Annual two-day conferences on Social Medicine or Health Care Services Research

• Journal for Social Medicine in Finland, four issues per year

• Ad hoc scientific meetings on topical issues, e.g. health care reform in May in April 2016

• Collaboration between the Nordic societies, EUPHA and WFPHA

• Travel grants to EUPHA and new in 2017: Best Master Thesis Award

Main upcoming event

• Conference on Health Care Services Research in October 2017
The Italian Society of Hygiene, Preventive Medicine and Public Health (SItI), established in 1878, counts over 3,100 members including all the Italian university teachers of Hygiene, Epidemiology and Public Health and many public health officers working in the National Health Service and in other public and private health organisations.

- Member of EUPHA, ASPHER, WFPHA
- Carlo Signorelli is current Treasurer of EUPHA
- Walter Ricciardi, past-President of EUPHA is now member of GB of WFPHA
PHA Name: Italian Society oh Hygiene, Preventive Medicine and Public Health (SItI)
WFPHA membership: Full
Representative: Prof. Carlo Signorelli

Achievement/s and current key focus areas of PHA:
• 3120 Individual members (year 2016), 15 Regional Sections
• Weekly newsletter: www.igienistionline.it
• Active co-operation to the National Vaccination Plan 2017-19

PHA Work plan
• Research: health policy and management, VPDs, NCDs, AMR
• Training: PH residency programmes, health managers training
• Advocacy with National, Regional and Local Health Authorities

Main upcoming events
• 50° National Congress, 22-25 November 2017 - Turin, Italy
• 16° World Congress on Public Health, October 2020 – Rome, Italy

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The Italian Consul General in Melbourne Mr. Marco Maria Cerbo &
The Italian Society of Hygiene, Preventive Medicine and Public Health
are pleased to invite You to a Reception on

Thursday, April 6th, 2017 at 6.30pm

To present the
16th World Congress on Public Health
to be held in Rome, October 2020

Italian Institute of Culture
233 Domain Road, South Yarra VIC 3141
Melbourne
Achievement/s and current key focus areas of PHA:

- Finalised Strategic Plan for 2016-2020
- New Public Health Training Framework – Adopted & Submitted to Specialist Accreditation Committee
- Setting up of Advocacy Sub-Committee
- Regular Continuous Professional Development Events
  - 8 CPD Events organised in 2016
  - CPD Activity organised on 21st March 2017 focused on one of the Health Priorities of the EU Presidency – Childhood Obesity – MOCHA EU Project

PHA Work plan
- Implementation of Strategic Plan
- Organisation of Public Health Symposium – October 2017

Main upcoming events
- First National Public Health Symposium
- October 2017
PHA Name: Public Health Association of New Zealand
WFPHA membership: Full Member
Representative: Adrian Te Patu

Achievement/s and current key focus areas of PHA:
• survival against the odds
• focus on children’s health
• inequality, e.g housing
• impacts of climate change

PHA Work plan:
• policy submissions and policy training for non-policy people
• keeping members and friends up to date with public health issues
• preparing policy positions for national elections

Main upcoming events:
• Maori public health symposium, June
• Annual conference, September

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PHA Name: Norwegian Public Health Organization (NOPHA)
WFPHA membership: Full Member
Representative: Chair of the Board Jorid Grimeland

Achievement/s and current key focus areas of PHA:

Giving input of the two last whitepaper of public health

Being in the Storting to comment on the last white paper of public health

Commenting on to the minister of health and care ahead of the health assembly in 2015 and 2016

Sending out the WFPHA the charter of publics health to politician researcher, educators …...

Launching the biggest conference about public health with 350 – 500 participants each year

Develop core competencies for bachelor in public health work and master in public health sciences

PHA Work plan every year and a Strategic plan for five years

Main upcoming events 20 years of celebrating the organization April 15th 2018

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PHA Name: Sociedad Panameña de Salud Pública (SPSP)
WFPHA membership: Full Member of the WFPHA
Representative: Claude D. Betts, MD, MPH, MBA.

Achievement/s and current key focus areas of PHA:
Following the successful Health and Social Security Forum in 2015, and the 1st Int’l Public Health Conference of Panama in 2016, on “Social Determinants of Health and Intersectoral Coordination”, the Panamanian Public Health Society (SPSP) is currently focussed on building alliances and engaging various social actors, including labor unions, in a movement to transform our current, disease centered health system, to a human rights and equity centered health system.

PHA Work plan
(1) Strengthening public health capacity: Joint Task Force SPSP/SPH-UP, Public Health Medical Residency design with WFPHA support.
(2) Strengthening public health decision making based on evidence, information systems and research, through Cooperative Agreements, such as recently signed SPSP/City of Knowledge.

Main upcoming events – 2018 Panamanian Public Health Congress

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**WFPHA membership:** Associate member  
**Representative:** Prof. Shiao-Chi Wu, President of TPHA

**Achievement/s and current key focus areas of PHA:**
- An universal and **affordable National Health Insurance** since 1995
- The **first universal hepatitis B vaccination** program **for the new born.**
- **Integrating health promotion, education, early detection and medical care** within one system for cancer care.
- Promoting aged friendly cities, healthy communities, etc.
- **Chinese Version** of the Global Charter for the Public’s Health

**PHA Work plan**
- To advocate the **“Public Health Professional Act”**
- To offer the credential of **core competencies in public health**
- To develop **innovative community health care system** for aged society

**Main upcoming events**
- **Global Health Forum in Taiwan (21-22 October 2017)**
- Annual Public Health Conference (28-29 October 2017)

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Achievement/s and current key focus areas of PHA:

- Advocating for policies, programs and practices that improve public health of Thai people
- Facilitating the exchange of knowledge, information and experiences on public health (6th Asia Pacific Regional Conference on Public Health)
- Promoting communication and cooperation with national and international public health networks.

PHA Work plan

- Organize annual meeting
- Promote communication and other activities among members by NHAT Newsletter (4 volumes per year)
- Publish journal (Thailand Journal of Health Promotion and Environmental Health)
- Funding for research on public health

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WFPHA membership: Full Member
Representative: David Allen (CEO); John Middleton (President)

Achievement/s and current key focus areas of PHA:
New Curriculum launched 2016       UK Public Health Network
Membership development
Workforce support strategy

PHA Work plan:
Advocacy          Membership
Workforce         Partnership
Standards         Profile
Knowledge         Global Health

Main upcoming events
UK Annual Conference – 20/21st June 2017, Telford West Midlands
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WFPHA membership: Full Member
Representative: Janice Constable

Achievement/s and current key focus areas of PHA:

RSPH is dedicated to improving the Public’s health & wellbeing

PHA Work plan
Raising our voice on public health issues e.g. Health on the High Street, the Child Obesity Strategy
Working with the wider public health workforce

Main upcoming events
The National Health & Wellbeing Awards
Journal special issues and webinars on arts & health, water
Young Health Champions – impact of Social Media on emotional health & wellbeing

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PHA Name: Brazilian Association of Collective Health (Abrasco)
WFPHA membership: Full Member
Representative: Luis Eugenio de Souza

Current key focus area of PHA:
- Protection of the universal right to health
- Resistance against the reduction of social rights (health, labor and social security)

PHA Work plan
- Knowledge production and diffusion about the health impacts of the reduction of social rights

Main upcoming events
- 3rd Brazilian Congress on Health Policy, Planning and Management
  May, 01 to 04, 2017
- 10th Brazilian Congress on Epidemiology
  October, 07 to 11, 2017
- 12th Brazilian Congress on Collective Health 2018

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WFPHA membership: Full Member Association
Representatives: Deborah Klein Walker, EdD; Peter Orris, MD, MPH

Achievements and current key focus areas of APHA: “Public Health 3.0”
- Partner – Practice of building partnerships toward better health
- Policy – Influencing policy to ensure the right to health
- Proactive – Leading the effort and building a movement
- Professional – Resources and opportunities for the public health workforce

PHA Workplan – “Create the Healthiest Nation in One Generation”
- Strengthen public health practice
- Build a public health movement
- Align organizational capacity and infrastructure

Main upcoming event
- 2017 Annual Meeting in Atlanta, GA (Nov. 4 – 8) “Creating the Healthiest Nation: Climate Changes Health”

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Achievement/s and current key focus areas of PHA:

- We have been successful on a number of activities including:
  - Working as a “critical friend” with Government and Members of Parliament on different projects with focus on our Strategic Direction of Protection, Promotion and Prevention as key goals – keeping in mind the four enablers of Information, Capacity Building, Good Governance and Advocacy
  - Our Branches and Special Interest Groups (SIGs) provide policy advice, are involved in submissions, organise seminars and public events and help in mentoring public health professionals broadening the reach of our Organisation within Australia
  - Advocacy and media
    - Trans-Pacific Partnership Agreement and other International Treaties
    - Nutrition:
      - Campaigns around a National Nutrition Policy and the Australian Dietary Guidelines
      - The Health Star Rating System as a simple front of pack messaging
      - Working with government and industry on the Healthy Food Partnership
      - A tax on sugar laden soft drinks
    - Immunisation policy – including “No Jab-No Pay”
    - Many other issues eg. injury prevention, women’s health, disease prevention, unhealthy commodities
  - Presenting a series of submissions to parliamentary committees and government inquiries
  - Conferences
    - 15th World Congress on Public Health, Australian Conferences
  - Reconciliation Action Plan with our National Office, Board, Branches, and SIG with Reconciliation Australia
PHA Name: Public Health Association of Australia Inc.
WFPHA membership: Full Member / associate etc.
Representative: David Templeman, President / Michael Moore AM, CEO

PHA Work plan:

• The Public Health Association of Australia has adapted the *Global Charter for the Public’s Health* framework of building strong Governance, Capacity, Information, and Advocacy to support Protection, Prevention and Promotion of public health in Australia as the basis for the PHAA Strategic Plan as outlined on the next slide.

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**VISION**
for a healthy population
A healthy region, a healthy nation, healthy people living in an equitable society underpinned by a well-functioning ecosystem and healthy environment, improving and promoting health for all

**MISSION**
for the Public Health Association of Australia
As the leading national peak body for public health representation and advocacy, to drive better health outcomes through increased knowledge, better access and equity, evidence-informed policy and effective population-based practice in public health

### Services & Enablers*

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### PROMOTION
Social, economic and ecological determinants of health; inequality, healthy settings, health literacy.

### PREVENTION
Primary: vaccination; secondary: screening; tertiary: evidence & community-based, integrated, person-centred quality health care; healthcare management & planning.

### PROTECTION
Regulation & coordination; HIAs; communicable disease control; emergency preparedness; occupational health; environmental health; climate change and ecological sustainability.

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**Approach***
- Consensus building
- Coordinate & facilitate
- Strengthen leadership
- Workforce & training
- Tools & application
- Appropriate resources

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*Adapted from the World Federation of Public Health Associations’ Global Charter for the Public’s Health*

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**Building PHAA**
Utilise PHAA Branches, Special Interest Groups, members and our networks to ensure opportunities for growth in capacity and participation

**Retain consistency with WFPHA strategies** – including *The Global Charter for the Public’s Health* and the Sustainable Development Goals – strengthen the relationship at global and regional level.
Main upcoming events:

- **Communicable Diseases Conference 2017**
  - **Date:** Monday 26 to Wednesday 28 June 2017
  - **Venue:** Pullman Albert Park Melbourne

- **Global Alcohol Policy Conference 2017**
  - **Date:** Wednesday 4 to Friday 6 October 2016
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