

# APLMA SENIOR OFFICIALS MEETING

11 September 2020

## Mechanics of the Meeting

- Please put your microphones and videos on mute
- All parts of the SOM will be recorded
- Active participation in the breakouts is requested
- Senior officials who have not yet communicated their preferred breakout rooms please write your preference in the chatbox (a) Surveillance (b) Financing (c) Innovation



## Outlook for Today

**Session 1**: Welcome and Opening

**Session 2**: Review of Progress

**Session 3**: Sustaining Momentum on the Path to Elimination

Session 4: Identifying actionable solutions to key challenges

### **Breakout Groups**

- Breakout 4A: Strong Surveillance Systems and Timely Reporting
- Breakout 4B: Sustaining Health Financing in a Time of Crisis
- Breakout 4C: Harnessing Innovation to Accelerate Malaria Elimination and Strengthen Health Security

Session 5: Developing a call for action



## Welcome and Opening



### Welcome from Viet Nam



### **PROF TRAN TRANH DUONG**

Director, National Institute of Malariology, Parasitology and Entomology (NIMPE)

Viet Nam



### Welcome from WHO



DR PEDRO ALONSO

Director, Global Malaria Programme

World Health Organization



### Welcome from APLMA



### **PROF TIKKI PANGETSU**

Chair, Board of Directors
Asia Pacific Leaders Malaria Alliance
(APLMA)



## **APLMA SOM Co-Chairs**

**Co-Chair** 



Prof Tran Thanh Duong
Director, NIMPE
Viet Nam

**Co-Chair** 



**Prof Tikki Pangestu**Chair, APLMA Board of Directors



## Session 2: Review and Progress

Chair: Prof Tran Thanh Duong Director, NIMPE, Viet Nam



## Five-Year Regional Progress Report

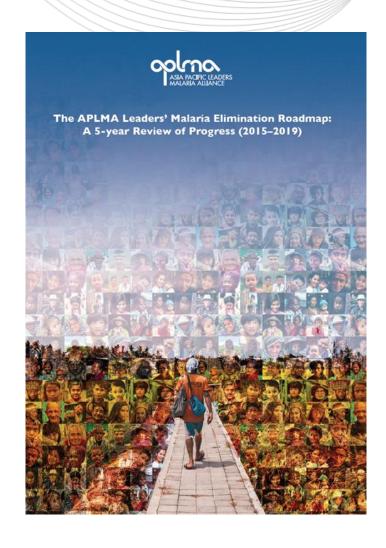


### DR ROSE NANI MUDIN

## Head of Vector Borne Disease Sector in the Disease Control Division Ministry of Health Malaysia

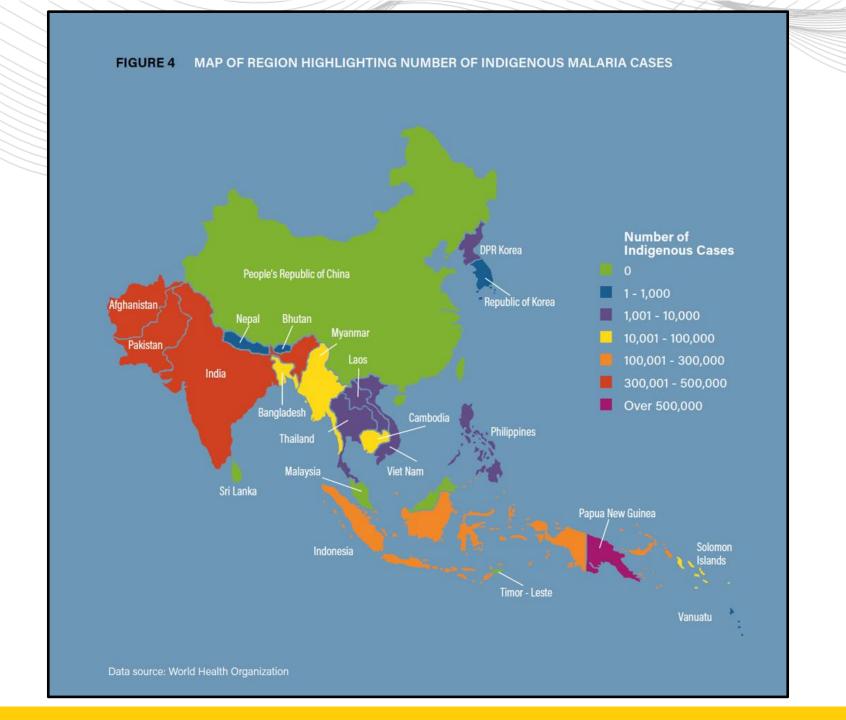
- Consultant Public Health Physician, Ministry of Health Malaysia
- Over 20 years' experience related as program manager and managing infectious diseases and Vector Borne Diseases
- Responsible for planning, monitoring and evaluation of the Vector Borne Disease program, including the planning of resources such as the manpower, equipment, chemical and financial support.

## Five-Year Regional Progress Report



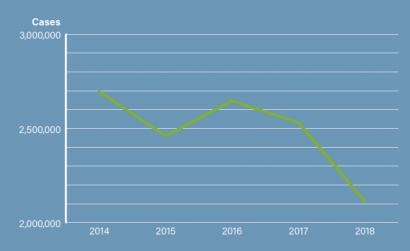


**MALARIA WEEK 2020** 





#### FIGURE 1 REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CASES AND DEATHS IN THE REGION SINCE 2014





Data source: World Health Organization

#### FIGURE 2 INCREASE IN DOMESTIC AND EXTERNAL FUNDING SINCE 2012-14



Data Source: Unpublished data from The Global Fund (as of March 2020). This data excludes Republic of Korea, Malaysia, Vanuatu and China.





## Priorities for Accelerating Elimination

### **Community-based approaches**

- Integrated health service delivery (including malaria) to and in partnership with communities
- Multi-sectoral platforms to coordinate response in hard-to-reach areas
- Documentation of best practices and practical tools to strengthen capacities and information sharing

### **Private sector engagement**

- Develop private provider engagement plans at national and sub-national level
- Integrated surveillance systems for public, private and civil society data
- Improve quality of care of private providers through training and mentoring

## Priorities for Accelerating Elimination

### **Vector Control & Surveillance**

- Appropriate vector control tools to address last mile challenges (outdoor biting)
- Build entomology capacity at national and sub-national levels
- Strengthen vector surveillance systems by involving communities

### Vivax

- Community engagement to inform patients and providers about the risks and benefits of radical cure
- Operational research to assess feasibility of radical cure options
- Better understanding of optimal combinations of vector control and radical cure interventions
- Clear policy pathways for accelerated access to novel tools for radical cure (focus on interagency collaboration)

### APLMA Leaders' Dashboard 2019

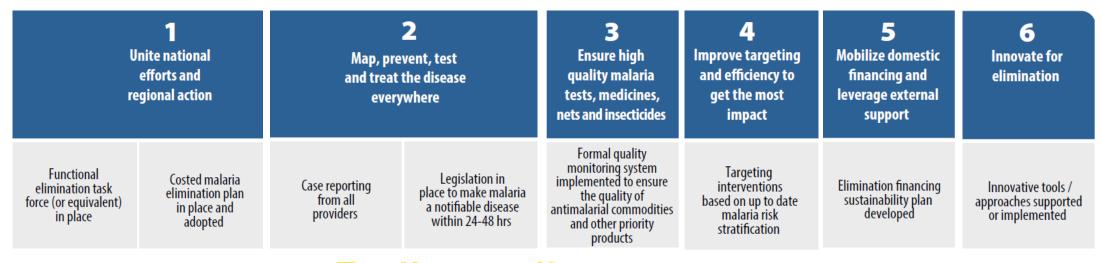


### DR NGO DUC THANG

# Chief of Epidemiology Department, National Institute of Malariology, Parasitology and Entomology (NIMPE) Viet Nam

- Received MD degree from Hanoi Medical University and a PhD from Prince Leopold Institute of Tropical Medicine in Belgium
- Research interests: strengthening surveillance, stratification, program review, malaria elimination models, and evaluating the effectiveness of insecticide treated hammocks

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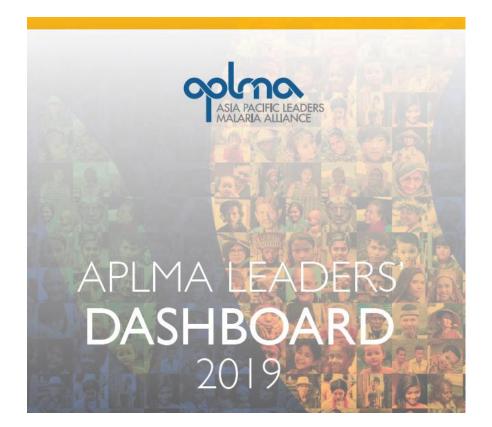
#### APLMA LEADERS' DASHBOARD 2019

#### **ALPHABETICAL**

	<b>1</b> Unite national efforts and regional action				
Country	Indigenous malaria deaths 2018	Indigenous malaria cases 2018	Administrative units free of malaria (%)	Functional elimination task force (or equivalent) in place	Costed malaria elimination plan in place and adopted
Afghanistan	▼ 1	▲ 323,885	0		
Bangladesh	▼ 7	▼ 10,482	80	2021	
Bhutan	0	6	95	*	
Cambodia	0	▼ 62,582	48	*	
China	0	0	100		
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	0	3,698	27	No date set	
India	▼ 96	▼ 429,928	0		
Indonesia	▼ 34	▼ 223,208	58		
Lao People's Democratic Republic	6	▼ 8,913	33	2020	
Malaysia	0	0	100		
Myanmar	▼ 19	▼ 74,392	0	*	
Nepal	0	619	37	2020	
Pakistan	▼ 102	▼ 374,510	3	2020	*
Papua New Guinea	▼ 216	▲ 516,202	0	2020	2021
Philippines	1	4,562	99		
Republic of Korea	0	501	82		
Solomon Islands	▼ 7	▲ 59,191	10	2021	2021
Sri Lanka	0	0	100		
Thailand	▼ 8	▼ 5,132	85		
Timor-Leste	0	0	100	2020	
Vanuatu	0	632	17	2020	
Viet Nam	1	4,813	40	2020	

<b>2</b> Map, prevent, test and treat the disease everywhere		Ensure high quality malaria tests, medicines, nets and insecticides	4 Improve targeting and efficiency to get the most impact	5 Mobilize domestic financing and leverage external support	6 Innovate for elimination
Case reporting from all providers	Legislation in place to make malaria a notifiable disease within 24-48 hrs	Formal quality monitoring system implemented to ensure the quality of antimalarial commodities and other priority products	Targeting interventions based on up to date malaria risk stratification	Elimination financing sustainability plan developed	Innovative tools / approaches supporte or implemented
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<sup>▲ ▼ =</sup> Significant change since previous year

Nationally, India is in malaria control phase; malaria is to be made notifiable disease as states move into elimination phase. As of April 2020, 27 states have made it notifiable.
Pf cases are notifiable and this will be amended to all malaria cases in 2020

### Session 3 Moderator



DR SARTHAK DAS
Chief Operating Officer, APLMA



# Session 3: Sustaining Momentum on the Path to Elimination

Moderated by Dr Sarthak Das CEO, APLMA



## **Ensuring Health for All**



### **MR GAURAV GOGOI**

Member of Parliament
Founding Member, India Parliamentarians
for Malaria Elimination Group



## Strengthening Health Systems to Enhance Response



### DR HUY REKOL

Director, National Center for Parasitology, Entomology and Malaria Control (CNM) Cambodia



## Global Lessons, Regional Solutions



### **PROF DYANN WIRTH**

Richard Pearson Strong Professor of Infectious Diseases, Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health
Chair, WHO Malaria Policy Advisory Committee



## Catalyzing Sustainable Financing for Elimination

### DR URBAN WEBER

Head of High Impact Asia
The Global Fund



## Elimination in a Time of Pandemic Response



### DR KENNETH STALEY

U.S. Global Malaria, President's Malaria Initiative

Lead, USAID COVID-19 Task Force





## Break out sessions



## **Breakout Session Links**

4A. Surveillance: <a href="https://youtu.be/H9seRKu\_LAk">https://youtu.be/H9seRKu\_LAk</a>

4B: Financing: <a href="https://youtu.be/livym2zDwNM">https://youtu.be/livym2zDwNM</a>

4C: Innovation: <a href="https://youtu.be/UXatBCTlpYo">https://youtu.be/UXatBCTlpYo</a>



## Session 5: Developing a Call for Action

Chaired by Prof Tikki Pangestu Chair, APLMA Board of Directors



## Messages from Surveillance Breakout

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## Messages from Financing Breakout

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## Messages from Innovation Breakout

- 1. We need to ensure that key populations have timely access to malaria tools to effectively prevent, track, test, treat every case everywhere including tools for the radical cure of P. vivax malaria
- 2. We should collaborate across agencies to support improved access to existing and new malaria tools.



