IANPHI Strategic Vision 2021-2025

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Purpose of the Strategic Vision

Promoting IANPHI’s new status as an international non-profit association
- The strategy directs the strengthened capabilities of IANPHI to engage in collaborations to benefit public health

Presenting a public-facing strategy
- IANPHI’s role as a key actor in public health will be shared with international partners

Supporting members through transitions in public health
- IANPHI will support its members through developments in the roles of NPHIs and will support learning from crises such as COVID-19"
IANPHI’s Mission, Vision & Values

**Mission**

- Collectively build public health capacity and capabilities by connecting, developing and strengthening national public health institutes worldwide

**Vision**

- A global community of trusted national public health institutes whose scientific advisors work together to improve the public’s health and build a more equitable world

**Values**

- IANPHI is an inclusive and independent professional association which promotes an evidence-based approach to public health and strives for scientific excellence
IANPHI’s 5 Strategic Priorities & Key Actions

**SP.1 Strengthen the professional relationships within IANPHI’s unique global forum**
- Facilitate workshops between members and thought leaders from diverse disciplines
- Foster thematic working groups to develop innovations and in-depth discussion
- Promote participation opportunities in IANPHI meetings to support the diversity of NPHIs

**SP.2 Harness the collective expertise of members to develop public health capacity globally**
- Review the NPHI Core Functions and Attributes to focus IANPHI’s support
- Develop new and strengthen existing partnerships to collectively advance global public health goals
- Raise awareness of, further develop and assess the impact of tools, best practice resources, and guidance produced by IANPHI on a broad range of areas related to public health

**SP.3 Engage, support and grow IANPHI’s diverse and unified membership base**
- Develop regional-level work programmes for collaboration within and between networks
- Use interpretation and translation services for meetings and IANPHI tools
- Engage with prospective members and grow the membership base

**Position IANPHI within key international fora**
- Advocate for the strengthened roles of NPHIs in supporting healthier populations
- Develop a NPHI Code of Practice that includes core values such as scientific independence to support members in their national remits
- Revise the IANPHI communications strategy to broaden our reach

**SP.4 Advocate in support of NPHIs as key public health actors**
- Develop an online knowledge platform for members to learn about fellow NPHIs
- Organise NPHI lessons learned exercises from major international public health events to integrate good practices shared within the network
- Lead horizon scanning activities to identify emerging public health roles to support NPHI skill bases

**SP.5 Build an agile association to support members through change**
Revising the IANPHI Strategic Vision

- **February 2021**
  - 23 February EB meeting: approval of EB methodology for development of action plan
  - Update on SV progress

- **March 2021**
  - Second draft of SV to be shared with working group
  - SV to be shared with external partners
  - Preparation of final draft SV for approval

- **March/April 2021**
  - First meeting of action plan working group to be held
  - Publication of the SV

- **March-September 2021**
  - Meetings between action plan working group members to develop draft action plan

- **December 2021**
  - Action plan to be presented to the IANPHI General Assembly during annual meeting
Stakeholder feedback received on the draft Strategic Vision

IANPHI Members

WHO: Health Services Resilience

WHO: Health Security Preparedness

ASPHER

EuroHealthNet

Gates Foundation

CARPHA
Appreciation of the Strategy and Themes

- The Strategy is well-considered and functional for strengthening public health capacity and outcomes.
- The Strategy must be more ambitious to meet the public health challenges faced across the world.
- Demographic, technological, social, economic and environmental changes must be considered further.
- More work should be done to discuss the challenges faced by small countries with small health systems.
- Improve health professional education and ensure public health are covered in pre-service curricula.
Support and ensure alignment with activities such as IHR implementation

Engage closely with the WHO Global Strategic Preparedness Network (GSPN)

Ensure trilateral dialogue between WHO, IANPHI and member states

Promote sustainability through an emphasis on health as a basis for development

Promote and support holistic planning and prioritisation of public health functions
Key Themes:
Strengthening public health capacity and outcomes

- Promote and support holistic planning and prioritisation of EPHFs
- Strengthen the role of NPHIs in the recovery phase of emergency management
- Support NPHIs in the recovery phase of emergency management
- Drive a whole society approach to Public Health, beyond the context of emergencies
- Focus on workforce capacity and capability for individual NPHIs
Key Themes:
International public health priorities and fairer societies

- Public health and disaster risk management, including implementation of the Sendai Framework
- Include contributions to gender responsive health security, as well as those with marginalised and vulnerable populations
- Support LMICs to implement health and security plans, by identifying financial and technical resources and expertise
- Emphasise the need for integrated health, and the high costs of systemic fragmentation in health systems.
- Lessons learned from the COVID-19 pandemic should be shared to ensure future resilience of health systems.
Key Themes:
Other actions for IANPHI to take alongside partners

Provide technical expertise and receive assistance to strengthen NPHI capacities as part of GSPN
Support the establishment of GSPN in alignment with IANPHI Strategic vision
Work with, and support, the WHO with its initiatives and recommendations
Collaborate with national stakeholders in countries to foster holistic approaches for each country
Foster collaboration between countries, WHO, IANPHI and others to institutionalise knowledge and best practice
Next steps for the Strategic Vision

Consultation

Comments from stakeholders and reflections from this session will be used to strengthen the draft Strategic Vision

Revision

The revised Strategic Vision will be presented to the IANPHI Executive Board in April 2021, taking on board comments and amendments

This will inform the development of the Action Plan to implement its priorities and actions

Publication

The Strategic Vision will be published by May 2021 and will be promoted through our communications channels and in meetings with partners and stakeholders

The Action Plan will include timings and resources to ensure we are able to deliver on our key actions and manage our partners expectations.
Topics for discussion

What opportunities do you see for the Europe Region over the next five years?

Which priorities are key for the Europe Region?

Do you have any further suggestions for actions to support the delivery of the Strategic Vision?

You can also send comments and questions to secretariat@ianphi.org