

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON PUBLIC HEALTH INNOVATIONS AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS (ICPHI-SDGS 2026)

"Advancing Public Health and Health Equity: From Policy to Action in Public Health within the SDG Framework"

13-15 May 2026

Conference Schedule

DAY 1		Date: 13 th May 2026 Day: Wednesday	Venue: Everly Hotel Putrajaya
Time	Programme		
08:00 – 08:30	Registration & Morning Refreshment		
Pre-Conference Workshop			
08:30 – 09:00	Pre-Conference Welcome & Briefing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome Remarks by Mr. Isanka P. Gamage Chairman of ICPHI-SDGs 2026 		
Virtual Workshop			
09:00 – 13:00	Professor Emeritus Dato' Dr. Syed Mohamed Aljunid IMU, Malaysia  Application of Intermediate level Multivariable Statistical Methods in Medical and Health Sciences Research	Prof. Dr Syed Hatim, UniSZA, Malaysia  Application of Intermediate level Multivariable Statistical Methods in Medical and Health Sciences Research	
12:30 – 14:00	Break		
14.00-17.00	DR. Mohd.Nor Akmal Bin Khalid UKM, Malaysia  Transforming Healthcare and work with AI		

09:00 – 17:00



Prof. Dr. Mohammed Alshawsh
Monash University Australia




**Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis in
Public Health Research**





17:30 – 18:00

Certificate Distribution & Group Photo

DAY 2		Date: 14 th May 2026 Day: Thursday	Venue: Everly Hotel Putrajaya
Time	Programme		
07:30 – 08:30	Registration		
08:30 – 09:00	Opening Ceremony <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Arrival of VIPs •MC Opening and Safety briefing 		
09:00 – 09:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •National Anthem “Negaraku” •Recital of Doa 		
09:15 – 09:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Welcome Speech by Mr. Isanka P. Gamage Organizer of ICPHI-SDGs 2026 		
09:30 – 10.00	Keynote Address Conference Chairperson: <p style="text-align: center;">Professor Emeritus Dato’ Dr. Syed Mohamed Aljunid Department of Public Health and Community Medicine, IMU University, Malaysia</p>  <p style="text-align: center;">Title: Innovating Public Health for Sustainable and Equitable Futures</p>		
10:00 – 10.30	Officiating the conference Minister of Health for Malaysia Datuk Seri Dr Dzulkefly Ahmad		
10.30 – 10.45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Token of Appreciation to Guest •Officiation of ICPHI-SDGs 2026 •Conference Group Photo Session 		
10.45-11.00	Tea break		
11.00-11.30	Plenary 1: <p style="text-align: center;">Prof. David Whitford Vie Chancellor of University of Cyberjaya Malaysia</p> 		

11.40-12.10	<p>Plenary 2:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Dr. Atsuro Tsutsumi Coordinator (Regional Advisor) for Mental Health and Substance Use at the World Health Organization Regional Office for the Western Pacific (WPRO) Manila, Philippines</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <p>Topic: Strengthening mental health systems in the Western Pacific.</p>	
12.10-13.00	<p>Sub-theme 1: Health Equity & SDG, Health Financing & Policy, Mental Health, Nutrition, Environmental and Occupational Health. Public Health</p> <p>Oral presentations 8 minutes presentation, 2-minute Q & A</p>	
13:00 – 14:00	<p>Networking Lunch / Zuhur Prayer</p>	
<p>Symposium 1</p>		
	<p style="text-align: center;">Main Hall</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Virtual</p>
14:00 – 14.20	<p style="text-align: center;">Prof Dr Krishna Gopal Rampal Community Medicine Department, University of Cyberjaya, Malaysia</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <p>Topic: Ensuring decent work through managing safety and health risks in the workplace</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Prof. Dr. Hasanain Faisal Ghazi Public Health Department, Faculty of Nursing, Albyan University, Baghdad IRAQ</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <p>Topic: Nutrition for a Healthier Future: The Role of Healthy Diets in Public Health and Sustainable Development</p>

14.20 – 14.40	<p>Assoc. Prof. CHIA Sin Eng Senior Consultant, Total WSH and Return to Work, Workplace Safety and Health Council, Ministry of Manpower, Singapore</p> 	<p>Prof. Dr. Nurpudji Astuti Taslim Department of Clinical Nutrition, Faculty of Medicine, Hasanuddin University, Makassar, Indonesia</p> 
14.40-15.00	Discussion and Q & A	
15:00 – 16:00	<p>Sub-theme 1: Health Equity & SDG, Health Financing & Policy, Mental Health, Nutrition, Environmental and Occupational Health & Public Health</p> <p>Oral presentations 8 minutes presentation, 2-minute Q & A</p>	
16:00 – 16:45	<p>Sub-theme 1: Health Equity & SDG, Health Financing & Policy, Mental Health, Nutrition, Environmental and Occupational Health & Public Health</p> <p>Poster presentations / Coffee break</p>	
16:45 – 18:00	<p>Sub-theme 1: Health Equity & SDG, Health Financing & Policy, Mental Health, Nutrition, Environmental and Occupational Health & Public Health</p> <p>Oral presentations 8 minutes presentation, 2-minute Q & A</p>	

DAY 3 Date: 15th May 2026 | Day: Friday

Venue: Everly Hotel Putrajaya

Time	Programme
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07:30 – 08:30	Arrival of Participants
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Sub-theme 2: Global Health, Health Equity, Environmental and Occupational Health & Lifestyle medicine & SDGs

08.30 – 10.20	Sub-theme: Global Health, Health Equity, Environmental and Occupational Health & Lifestyle medicine & SDGs Oral Presentations
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10.20-10.40	Tea Break
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10.40-11.10	Plenary 3:
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Dr. Sivaneswaran Poobalasingam

Founder and president of the Malaysian Society of Lifestyle Medicine (MSLM)
Malaysia



Topic: Transforming Healthcare with Lifestyle Medicine

Symposium 2

Main Hall

Virtual

11.10-11:30		
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Prof. Dr. Fredolin Tangang
Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences,
Universiti Brunei Darussalam
Brunei



Topic: Understanding Climate Change and Its Implications for Health and Human Security

Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ade Susana
Faculty of Public Health, Andalas
University, Padang,
Indonesia



Topic: Policy Coherence between Disaster Risk Reduction and the SDGs: Public Health Insights

11.30-11.50

Prof. Dr. Matthew Ashfold
University of Nottingham Malaysia
Malaysia



Topic: Achieving health, air pollution and climate change co-benefits in Malaysia

Assoc. Prof. Dr. Nimetcan Mehmet Orhun

Public Health Department, Faculty of Medicine, Ankara Yildirim Beyazit University,
Türkiye



Topic: Primary Health Care Access and Inequality: A Public Health Perspective in developing countries.

11.50-12.10

Prof. Dr. Jamal Hisham Hashim
Honorary Professor of Environmental Health at the University of Selangor (UNISEL)
Malaysia



Topic: Climate Change and Human Health: From Heatwaves to Food Security

Dr. Nor Faiza Mohd Tohit
Public Health Medicine Specialist at the Department of Community Health, Faculty of Medicine and Defence Health, Universiti Pertahanan Nasional Malaysia
Malaysia




Topic: Nothing About Us Without Us: Transforming Health Equity Through Authentic Community Leadership

12.10 – 12.30

Panel discussion

12:30 – 13:00	<p>Plenary 4: Ms. Shannon Kobran Head of Education and Training at the SDG Academy USA</p>  <p>Topic: integrating the SDGs into the education of healthcare professionals</p>	<p>Prof. Dr. Sharifa Ezat Wan Puteh Deputy Dean (Relation, Alumni & Wealth Creation), Faculty of Medicine, UKM Malaysia</p>  <p>Topic: Addressing Health Inequities – Ensuring Universal Healthcare Access as part of SDG</p>
13:00 – 14:00	Networking Lunch / Zuhur Prayer	
14:00 – 15:30	<p>Sub-theme: Mental Health, Health Equity, Health Financing & Policy, Global Health, Lifestyle medicine Oral Presentations</p>	
15:30–16:00	<p>Sub-theme: Global Health, Health Equity, Environmental and Occupational Health & Lifestyle medicine & SDGs Poster Presentations/ Networking Coffee Break</p>	
16:00 – 17:00	Panel talk & Collaborative session	
	Main Hall	Virtual
16:00 – 16:30	<p>Prof. Jong - Fae Lee Public Health Division, College of Health Sciences Korea University, Republic of Korea</p>  <p>Topic: Environmental Risk Factors and Health Equity: Bridging Science, Policy, and SDG Goals</p>	<p>Prof. Dr Axel Kaehne Professor of Health Service Research at Edge Hill University Medical School UK</p> 

16: 30 – 17: 00	<p style="text-align: center;">Dr. Pahurat Director, Secretariat Office of the Royal Development Projects Committee, SORDPC-DDC, Department of Disease Control, Ministry of Public Health, Thivanont Road, Thaladkaun Muang Nonthaburi, Thailand</p>  <p>Topic: Bridging Policy, Practice, and Patient Outcomes in Tuberculosis Prevention and Control: A Cell-to-Community Perspective on Health Equity</p>	
17:00 – 18:00	Closing and awarding ceremony	

Main Organizer



Co-Organizer

