

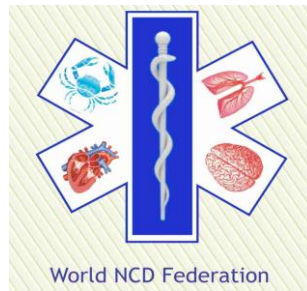


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## **Introduction to World NCD Federation**

World NCD Federation (WNF) was launched in Chandigarh India to focus on public health approaches for prevention, control and management of noncommunicable diseases globally. It officially came into existence on 7<sup>th</sup> March, 2015 which is celebrated as its foundation day every year. The Federation is registered under Societies Registration Act India (XXI of 1860), Vide No. 4574 of 2016 dated 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2016.

World NCD Federation is a professional association working for global NCD agenda with focus on sustainable development goals (SDGS) capacity building, advocacy and universal health care for Noncommunicable Diseases (NCDs) which is accessible and acceptable to all and at a cost, the developing countries can afford to maintain and sustain population wide and individual clinic NCD interventions. The objectives of WNF are to work for the prevention and control of NCDs; to organize professional activities at global, regional and national level, to build Partnership with Professional associations, to work for capacity building for Prevention, Surveillance and Management of NCD and to promote implementation research in non-communicable diseases.

## **Progress on Membership**

Till date, 171 members have been registered as a life members of the federation spread worldwide such as USA, United Kingdom, Canada, China, West Indies (developed countries) and Malaysia, Indonesia, Bangladesh, Bangkok (developing countries). There are six institutional members.

## **International Advisory Council/Regional Council**

There are international and regional advisory council for South East Asia, Western Pacific, Latin America and Caribbean islands. There is a need for active participation of SEAR and Western Pacific Region. Efforts need to be strengthened in these areas.

## Activities/Events of World NCD Federation

- 1. National Course on Public Health Approaches to Noncommunicable Diseases:** World NCD Federation has supported three courses on Public Health Approaches to Noncommunicable Diseases as PGI-AIIMS collaboration since its inception on 7<sup>th</sup> March, 2015. The third course has been
- 2. Celebration of World NCD Day:** In 2016, the federation organised National CME on Lifestyle Diseases with a theme 'Preventing lifestyle diseases: Ensuring development' to mark the day. In 2017, 2<sup>nd</sup> National CME with theme "Cardiovascular Diseases: The major preventable killer" is being held to celebrate the day.

## Publications of World NCD Federation

- 1. Biannual newsletter of World NCD Federation:** Till date, four issues of the newsletter were published as soft copy.
- 2. International Journal of Noncommunicable Diseases:** Till date three issues has been published and 4<sup>th</sup> is under publication

## About NCD Congress 2017

World NCD Federation in collaboration with Post Graduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh, a National Medical Institute of Excellence in India is organizing "The First World NCD Congress 2017". The theme of the Congress, "Preventing Non-Communicable Diseases: Realizing Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)" is contemporary and relevant keeping in view SDGs to be achieved by 2030. The Congress promises to attract experts and champions working in the field of NCD control from around the world. The congress will

showcase a cutting-edge educational and scientific experience, focusing on the latest developments in NCD detection, prevention, surveillance and management.

The objectives of the First World NCD Congress 2017 are to discuss the latest advances and trends in Prevention, Management and Surveillance of NCDs at global level, to highlight the importance of NCDs in achieving SDGs by 2030, to discuss the global NCD agenda, highlight public health innovations, to scale up "Best Practices" at national level, and to build partnership with relevant professional associations, National and International NGOs and other multilateral agencies and philanthropies.

Besides theme, there are different subthemes which are relevant for building Evidence based National NCD programmes with a focus on implementation sciences. Key highlights of the congress include Plenary sessions, high quality Pre and Post Congress workshops, Health Minister Forum, Policy Forum, Youth Parliament, Women Parliamentarian forum, many parallel sessions besides oral and poster presentations. The Congress may come out with an important declaration. ; WHO, Global Alliance for Chronic Diseases (GACD), many NCD Alliance partners, NCI, York University and many global organizations are on board for this Congress.

## **International Working Groups**

There are many International Working Groups (IWG) of World NCD Federation in specific thematic area such as Public Health/ Health Systems, Stroke, Diabetes, Cardiovascular Diseases, Chronic Respiratory Diseases, Cancer, Essential Medicine, Capacity Building & Research which are taking forward the agenda of World NCD Federation to bring focus on Public Health Approaches in Prevention and Control of Non communicable diseases globally.

## **Recruitment of staff**

One office assistant has been recruited for office of World NCD Federation

## **Website of World NCD Federation**

Revamping of the website has been done .The link of the website: <http://worldncdfederation.org/>