

ASEAN Health Sector Events Calendar 2023

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JANUARY 2023

NO.	EVENT	SCHEDULE	REMARKS
1.	Video conference on the Development of the Guidelines & Training Package for the Prevention and Management of Overweight & Obesity among Children in Health Facilities	5 January	- Virtual - Invitees: Brunei Darussalam and ASEAN Secretariat
2.	Video conference on the preparation for the conduct of Southeast Asia Dissemination and Discussion Forum for the 2023 Lancet Breastfeeding Series	9 January	- Virtual - Invitees: Alive & Thrive and ASEAN Secretariat
3.	Video conference on the Establishment of Model for Multi-Sectoral Approach to Sustain Food Systems in Ensuring Food and Nutrition Security In ASEAN	10 January	- Virtual - Invitees: Malaysia, FAO and ASEAN Secretariat
4.	5 th Workshop on ASEAN Pharmaceutical Regulatory Framework (APRF) Agreement	10-12 January	- Virtual - Invitees: Task Force APRF Chair, Vice Chair, Members, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
5.	WHO-ASEAN Secretariat Meeting on the Progress of the ASEAN – WHO Collaboration on Enhancing COVID-19 Response and other Public Health Emergencies	12 January	- Jakarta, Indonesia - Invitees: WHO, ASEAN Secretariat
6.	Video Conference on the Progress of Development of the Framework of the ASEAN Public Health Emergency Coordination System (APHECS)	13 January	- Virtual - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Contact Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
7.	ASEAN EOC VC of ASEAN and China on COVID 19 Update	16 January	- Virtual - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Contact Points, ASEAN EOC Focal Points, China Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
8.	The Consultative Meeting on Management of Biosafety Regulation	17-18 January	- Vientiane, Lao PDR

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Country Coordinators, Alternates, Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
9.	Virtual consultation meeting on ARES revision	17-18 January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Virtual - Invitees: Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Country Coordinators and Alternates, ASEAN Sectoral Working Group for Livestock (ASWGL) Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
10.	WHO-ASEAN Secretariat Meeting on the Progress of the ASEAN – WHO Collaboration on Enhancing COVID-19 Response and other Public Health Emergencies: EOC Capacity Building on Risk Assessment Initiative	18 January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Virtual - Invitees: WHO, ASEAN Secretariat
11.	Planning Meeting with SOMHD Chair Lao PDR	19 January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Virtual - Invitees: SOMHD Chair Lao PDR and Focal Points, ASEAN Secretariat
12.	WHO-ASEAN Secretariat Meeting on the Progress of the ASEAN – WHO Collaboration on Enhancing COVID-19 Response and other Public Health Emergencies: Laboratory Capacity Building	24 January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Virtual - Invitees: Thailand, WHO, ASEAN Secretariat
13.	Follow-up meeting with Nutrition International (NI)	27 January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - In-person - Invitees: NI and ASEAN Secretariat
14.	Consultation Meeting for the ASEAN Academic Network on Disaster Health Management (AANDHM)	30 January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Bangkok, Thailand - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Contact Points from Indonesia and Thailand; ARCH Project Team; Advisers from Japan; ASEAN Secretariat

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15.	Meeting of the National Focal Points of the ASEAN Academic Network on Disaster Health Management (AANDHM) for the Preparation of the Establishment of the Steering Committee (SC) of AANDHM,	31 January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Bangkok, Thailand - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Contact Points; Designated Representatives of AMS to the AANDHM; ARCH Project Team; ASEAN Secretariat
16.	7th Meeting of ASEAN Health Cluster 1 on Promoting Healthy Lifestyle	31 January – 2 February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Virtual - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 1 Country Coordinators and Focal Points, Partner, ASEAN Secretariat
17.	Video conference on the preparation for the conduct of Southeast Asia Dissemination and Discussion Forum for the 2023 Lancet Breastfeeding Series	31 January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Virtual - Invitees: Alive & Thrive, Speakers, Discussant, UNICEF, and ASEAN Secretariat

FEBRUARY 2023

NO.	EVENT	SCHEDULE	REMARKS
18.	Special Program for the Development of Review System (Peer Review on Disaster Health Management in ASEAN Member States)	1-2 February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Bangkok, Thailand - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Country Coordinators, ARCH Project Contact Points, ASEAN Secretariat
19.	Coordination Meeting for the ASEAN+3 FETN & AVEG Activities	2 February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Virtual - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Country Coordinators, ASEAN+3 FETN Contact Points, ASEAN Secretariat
20.	Consultation Meeting for the Preparation of the Hosting of the Fifth Regional Collaboration Drill (RCD)	3 February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Bangkok, Thailand - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Contact Points from Malaysia;

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			Mentor teams from Japan, Philippines and Thailand; ARCH Project Team; ASEAN Secretariat
21.	Video conference on the preparation for the conduct of Southeast Asia Dissemination and Discussion Forum for the 2023 Lancet Breastfeeding Series	6 February	- Virtual - Invitees: Alive & Thrive and ASEAN Secretariat
22.	Follow-up meeting of the Web-based ASEAN Nutrition Surveillance System	7 February	- Virtual - Invitees: NNC Philippines and ASEAN Secretariat
23.	Video conference on the preparation for the conduct of Southeast Asia Dissemination and Discussion Forum for the 2023 Lancet Breastfeeding Series	8 February	- Virtual - Invitees: Alive & Thrive, Speakers, Discussant, UNICEF, and ASEAN Secretariat
24.	Southeast Asia Dissemination and Discussion Forum for the 2023 Lancet Breastfeeding Series	9 February	- Virtual - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 1 contact points, partners, ASEAN Secretariat
25.	Follow-up of the Development of ASEAN Guidelines for School Nutrition Package	10 February	- Virtual - Invitees: WFP, Indonesia, ASEAN Secretariat
26.	ASEAN-Australia Youth Mental Health Fellowships In-Person Forum	10-13 February	- Jakarta, Indonesia - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 1 Contact Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
27.	Consultative Meeting on ASEAN Leaders Declaration on One Health	14 February	- Jakarta, Indonesia - Invitees: Indonesia, ASEAN Secretariat
28.	First Exercise Planning Team (EPT) Meeting for the ASEAN Regional Disaster Emergency Response Simulation Exercise 2023 (ARDEX-23)	15-16 February 2023	- Yogyakarta, Indonesia - Invitees: ACDM, AHA Centre, ASEAN Secretariat
29.	A Mini-lecture from Dr. Atul Gawande, USAID Assistant Administrator for Global Health: A Career in	17 February	- Jakarta, Indonesia

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	Public Health and Medicine: Insights for health sector transformation in ASEAN		- Invitees: Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
30.	Consultative Meeting Vaccine, Therapeutic and Diagnostic	21 February	- Virtual - Invitees: ASEAN Secretariat
31.	Follow-up meeting with Milan Urban Food Policy Pact (MUFPP) to discuss potential fields of joint cooperation	24 February	- Virtual - Invitees: ASEAN Secretariat, MUFPP Secretariat

MARCH 2023

NO.	EVENT	SCHEDULE	REMARKS
32.	Mitigation Biological Threat (MBT) Coordination Meeting for Phase 3	1-3 March	- Bangkok, Thailand - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Focal Points, MBT Project Coordinator, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
33.	One Health Joint Plan of Action implementation in Asia-Pacific: One Health Partners and Quadripartite meeting	1-2 March	- Virtual - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
34.	Meeting Establishment of ASEAN Guidelines on Healthy Plate Concept	1 March	- Virtual - Invitees: UNICEF Malaysia, UNICEF EAPRO, and WHO Malaysia, ASEAN Secretariat
35.	Mitigation Biological Threat (MBT) Visit to Lao PDR: NCLE, IPL, and Minister Office	6-7 March	- Lao PDR - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Focal Points, MBT Project Coordinator, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
36.	Follow-up Trilateral Meeting of the Three Host ASEAN Member States to Further Discuss and Update the EA of ACPHEED	8-10 March	- Vientiane, Lao PDR - Invitees: ASEAN SOMHD Chair Lao PDR, ASEAN SOMHD Focal Points

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			of Indonesia, Thailand, Viet Nam, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
37.	AHC 1 consultation meeting of the ASEAN Guidelines and Minimum Standards for Mandatory Implementation of Large Scale Food Fortification	14 March	- Virtual - Invitees: AHC 1 Country Coordinators and Nutrition focal points, Alive & Thrive, FAO, WFP, WHO, UNICEF, ASEAN Secretariat
38.	Multisectoral Consultative Meeting on Development of ASEAN Leaders Declaration on One Health	15-17 March	- Bali, Indonesia - Invitees: : SOMHD, ASOEN, and SOM-AMAF Focal Points Partners, ASEAN Secretariat Health Division, Food, Agriculture and Forestry Division, Environment Division
39.	Conference on Traditional Medicine between India and ASEAN on theme “Role of Traditional Medicine in India and ASEAN countries in mitigation of COVID-19 pandemic	21 March	- India - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 3 Focal Points, Traditional and Complementary Medicines Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
40.	Third Online Joint Meeting of Project Working Groups (PWGs) 1 and 2 - ARCH Project – Phase 2	23 March	- Virtual - Invitees: PWG 1 and 2 members; ARCH Project Team; ASEAN Secretariat
41.	36th Stop TB Partnership Board Meeting and related events	24-27 March	- Virtual - Invitees: ASEAN Secretariat
42.	6 th ASEAN Health Cluster 3 Meeting	TBC in 2023	- Virtual - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 3 Country Coordinators and Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
43.	Second Video Conference of ARDEX-23	TBC	- Virtual - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat

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APRIL 2023			
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44.	9th Task Force ASEAN Food Safety Regulatory Framework Meeting	4 April	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Virtual - Invitees: Task Force AFSRF Members, ASEAN Health Cluster 4 Contact Points, PFPWG Members, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
45.	International Workshop on Migration And Health for Migrants	21 April	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ha Noi, Viet Nam - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 3 Focal Points, Migrants' Health Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
46.	Conduct of follow-up meeting of ASEAN Vaccine Network-AVSSR and Workshop for gathering informants and finalize the data associated with the ASEAN Vaccine Capacity Survey	26-28 April	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - TBC - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 3 Focal Points, AVSSR Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
47.	Third Video Conference of ARDEX-23	TBC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - TBC - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
48.	Coordination meeting on the development of the ASEAN Leaders Commitment on ASEAN Drug Security and Self-Reliance	TBC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - TBC - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 3 Focal Points, ADSSR Focal Points, ASEAN Secretariat
49.	Coordination meeting on the implementation of the AHC 3 work programme activities on combating Substandard and Falsified Medicines	April-June (TBC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - TBC - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 3 Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
50.	Workshop of ASEAN food consumption data for Exposure Assessment	April-June (TBC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Virtual

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 4s Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
51.	Consultative Meeting for the Review of the Draft Revision of the ASEAN Rabies Elimination Strategy (ARES) back to back with ASEAN-Quadripartite Meeting on Rabies	TBC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Bangkok, Thailand (TBC) - Invitees ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Country Coordinators and Contact Points; ASEAN Sectoral Working Group on Livestock Focal Points; Development Partners; ASEAN Secretariat
52.	Virtual First Meeting of the ASEAN-US Infection Prevention Control Task Force	TBC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Virtual - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Focal Points, US, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat

MAY 2023

NO.	EVENT	SCHEDULE	REMARKS
53.	6 th Workshop on ASEAN Pharmaceutical Regulatory Framework (APRF) Agreement	2-3 May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Virtual - Invitees: Task Force APRF Chair, Vice Chair, Members, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
54.	Final Exercise Planning Team (EPT) & Referee Training of ARDEX-23	8-12 May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Yogyakarta, Indonesia - Invitees: ACDM, ASEAN Secretariat
55.	17 th SOMHD and Related Meetings	15-19 May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Vientiane, Lao PDR - Invitees: ASEAN SOMHD, SOMHD Plus Three, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
56.	Development of Guidelines on the Integration of Nutrition in Sectoral Work Programmes	22-26 May 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Virtual - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 1, ASEAN Secretariat, Sectors of

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			Education, Food and Agriculture, Social Welfare, Partner.
57.	Launching of the ASEAN-US Infection Prevention Control Task Force (as a side event of the 17th SOMHD and Related Meetings)	TBC	- Vientiane, Lao PDR - Invitees: ASEAN SOMHD, SOMHD Plus Three, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
58.	Multisectoral Consultative Meeting for the Development of Implementation Plan 2021-2025 for ASEAN Strategic Framework on Combating Antimicrobial Resistance through One Health Approach, and of Monitoring and Evaluation Framework for AMR in ASEAN	TBC	- Virtual - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Country Coordinators and Contact Points for AMR; Designated representatives from animal health (livestock and fisheries) and environment to the ASEAN Contact Points for AMR (ACP-AMR); ASEAN Secretariat

JUNE 2023

NO.	EVENT	SCHEDULE	REMARKS
59.	3rd ASEAN-ROK UHC International Training Course	June-July (TBC)	- TBC - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 3 Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
60.	Joint Table Top Simulation Exercise / Field Outbreak Response training utilizing existing guidelines, including JMOIR Workshop	12-14 June	- Malaysia - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
61.	ASEAN Plus Three Workshop on the Sharing of Best Practices for Mental Health Promotion in School Settings	TBC	- Virtual - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 1 Country Coordinators and Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat

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JULY 2023

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62.	ARDEX-23	31 July-4 August	- Jogjakarta, Indonesia - Invitees: ACDM, DHM Focal Points, AHA Centre, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
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AUGUST 2023

NO.	EVENT	SCHEDULE	REMARKS
65.	ASEAN Car-Free Day Activity	13 August	- Jakarta, Indonesia - Invitees: ASEAN Member States, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
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SEPTEMBER 2023

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68.	Eighth Meeting of ASEAN Health Cluster 2 and Related Meetings: - Meeting of the Regional Coordination Committee on Disaster Health Management	TBC	- TBC - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Country Coordinators and Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
69.	Fifth Regional Collaboration Drill on Disaster Health Management	25-28 September	- Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Contact Points from Malaysia; Mentor teams from Japan,

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			Philippines and Thailand; ARCH Project Team; ASEAN Secretariat
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OCTOBER 2023

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71.	Second ASEAN Academic Conference on Disaster Health Management back to back with: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Consultation Meeting on Safe and Resilient Health Facilities and Infrastructure - Meeting of the Steering Committee of the ASEAN Academic Conference - Launching of Academic Institute on Disaster Health Management 	16-20 October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Jogjakarta, Indonesia - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Focal Points, ARCH Project Team, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
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NOVEMBER 2023

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74.	ASEAN Plus Three Consultation Workshop on the Development of Guidelines for Mental Health Promotion in School Settings	TBC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - TBC - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 1 Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
75.	Virtual Conferences of the ASEAN Regional Network on Road Traffic Injury Prevention	TBC in 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Virtual - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 1 Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
76.	Multi-sectoral Consultation Meeting for the Development of Regional Action Plan to Implement the	TBC in 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - TBC

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	ASEAN Leaders' Declaration on the Reformulation and Production of Healthier Food and Beverages Options		- Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 1 Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat
77.	Second Knowledge Co-Creation Programme on Disaster Health Management	TBC	- TBC - Invitees: ASEAN Health Cluster 2 Focal Points, Partners, ASEAN Secretariat

DECEMBER 2023

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