

Workshop on
Health Consequences of Population Changes in Asia: What Are the Issues?

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Date and Venue

**13-14 June 2002
Siam City Hotel, Bangkok, Thailand**

Final Programme

Thursday 13 June 2002

**13:00 – 14:00
Registration**

**14:00 – 14:10
Opening and Introduction**

**14:10 – 15:00
Presentation Session 1**

Chairperson:

Professor Eleanor PRESTON-WHYTE, University of Princeton, USA;
and University of Natal, South Africa

Adolescent Gender Perspectives: Implications for Preventing STDs and HIV/AIDS
Bencha YODDUMNERN-ATTIG
Mahidol University, Thailand

Sexuality and Gender in Southeast Asia: Steps to Advance Research
Terence H. HULL
Australian National University, Australia

Migration and Health Among Vietnamese Working-Age Immigrants: Assimilation and Selection Effects

Mark VanLandingham
Tulane University, USA

Population Ageing: Health Issues

Shah Ebrahim
University of Bristol, UK

Ageing, Health Status, and Cost of Health Care: Understanding Relationships in Heterogeneous Populations

Harold Lentzner
Asian MetaCentre for Population and Sustainable Development Analysis Singapore

Nutritional Consequences of Population Change

Elsie Pamuk
Asian MetaCentre for Population and Sustainable Development Analysis
Singapore

15:00 – 15:30

Discussion

15:30 – 16:00

Coffee Break

14:00 – 16:50

Presentation Session 2

Chairperson:

Dr Mercedes Concepcion, University of Philippines , Commissioner, Commission on Population, Philippines

Population-Based Studies on Genetic and Environmental Determinants of Birth Defect Prevention in China

Zheng Xiaoying
Peking University, China

Some Thoughts on Mortality and Morbidity in Asian Cities

Gavin Jones
Australian National University, Australia

The Health Consequences of Rapid Urban Growth: Evidence From Dhaka, Bangladesh

Bruce Caldwell
Australian National University, Australia

Urbanization, Urbanism, Environmental Change and Health

Anthony McMichael

Australian National University, Australia

Further thoughts on population change and health (no title)

Tim Dyson

London School of Economics, UK

16:50 – 17:30

Discussion

Friday 14 June 2002 - Closed Door Round-Table Discussions

09:00 – 16:00

ROUND-TABLE SESSION 1:

Population Growth and Changing Composition (including Ageing)

Chairperson:

Professor Shah Ebrahim

University of Bristol, UK

10:00 – 10:40

Coffee Break

10:40 – 11:50

ROUND-TABLE SESSION 2:

Urbanization and Health

Chairperson:

Professor Gavin Jones

Australian National University, Australia

11:50 – 13:00

Lunch

13:00 – 14:10

ROUND-TABLE SESSION 3:

Migration and Health

Chairperson:

Dr Bencha Yoddumnern-Attig

Mahidol University, Thailand

14:10 – 15:20

ROUND-TABLE SESSION 4:

Wrap up – Identification of Major Issues

Chairperson:

Professor Anthony McMichael

Australian National University, Australia

15:20 – 15:50
Coffee Break

15:50
End of Workshop