

2020/LSIF/025

Agenda Item: D2 6.6

Innovative Healthcare Financing

Purpose: Information Submitted by: LSIF







18TH APEC LIFE SCIENCES INNOVATION FORUM

Session 6.6: Innovative Healthcare Financing

Dr. Ryan MacFarlane, LSIF Private Sector Advisor

Background













2014 - 2015

Studies by ABAC and LSIF showing losses in GDP due to aging and projected rise in NCDs 2015 - 2017

Statements from APEC Leaders, Health and Finance Ministers calling for work to address the fiscal and economic impacts of ill-health 2017

APEC Checklist of Enablers for Alternative Health Financing endorsed 2018

Healthcare financing meeting in Thailand

2019

Thailand study released

2019

Healthcare financing meeting in Japan

Enhancing Innovative Healthcare Financing in Pursuit of Strong and Resilient Health Systems

- New project for 2020: Enhancing innovative healthcare financing in pursuit of strong and resilient health systems (LSIF 01 2020S)
- Series of capacity building webinars to help health and finance officials:
 - Identify innovative funding mechanisms that may be scaled and replicated in their own economies
 - Improve the policy and regulatory environment for enabling the adoption and deployment of innovative financing mechanisms
 - Establish structures and promote the adoption of best practices in APEC member economies to harness the private sector in creating innovative health financing mechanisms and partnerships





Collaboration with ABAC and the Asia-Pacific Financial Forum

- First webinar on July 15/16
- Speakers from:
 - HHS
 - Ministry of Health Malaysia
 - Sanofi
 - USAID



- Addressing Inefficiencies:
 - More cross-ministerial collaboration (MOH, MOF, MOE)
 - Making prevention a reality
 - Nextgen healthcare services
 - Evidence based decision making
- Revisiting Financing Models:
 - Ramp up revenue collection
 - Composite fundraising, not just taxes, include private insurance
 - Innovative funding models



 APEC Checklist of Enablers for Alternative Health Financing

- Private sector engagement
- Mobilizing private capital for health
- Blended financing
- Social impact bonds / Merck for Mothers











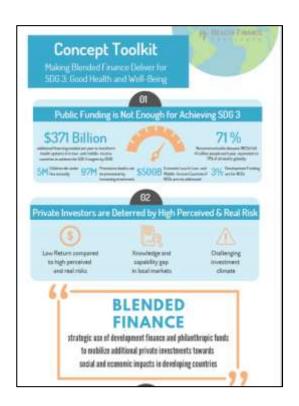


- Second webinar on August 5/6
- Speakers from:
 - Health Finance Institute
 - Janssen Pharmaceuticals
 - Quadria Capital
 - Nippon Life Insurance



Healthcare Financing Webinars: Blended Finance

- Additional financing needed to transform health systems and avoid significant economic losses due to ill health
- Examples:
 - First loss capital
 - Guarantees
 - Advance market commitments
- Issues to address:
 - Stakeholder alignment → clear metrics, robust data
 - Incentives for investors → support from DFIs, first loss and guarantees
 - Private investment in health → stronger governance, greater transparency



Healthcare Financing Webinars: Social Impact Bonds

Explanation of social impact bonds

Key stakeholders:

- Investors
- Service providers
- Evaluators
- Outcome funders

Key factors:

- Clear outcomes
- Shared understanding of policy problem
- Data on eligible cohort and outcomes
 - Digital solutions can help in low-data settings



Social Impact Bonds: Example

- New Zealand's first social impact bond
- Designed to improve mental health through employment
- Janssen, two philanthropies, and the service provider were investors
- Key learnings:
 - Structured to ensure program would run for 2 years
 - Structured to allow for review of performance and agility to respond appropriately
 - Experience will help inform future outcome agreements



Financial Services Sector Perspective

Quadria Capital

- Leading healthcare private equity firm
 - Profit with purpose by addressing healthcare gaps in terms of accessibility, affordability, awareness, and quality.
 - Business model innovations including
 - Building scale
 - Single specialty models
 - Out of hospital models

QUADRIA CAPITAL

Nippon Life Insurance Company

- Provided examples of social investing
- Efforts to invest and finance ESG stocks and bonds
- How health can play a bigger role in ESG finance



Future Healthcare Financing Webinars

- Next webinar on innovative insurance schemes will be October 29th 8 pm MYT
- Economy focused webinar in November (Thailand)

Future Possible Topics

- Financing for advanced therapies
- FinTech and digital technologies
- Immunization financing
- Risk sharing and frameworks to increase access







Thank you