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Mental Health in Emergencies: Greater Investment, Greater Access

“Making Mental Health and Psychosocial Care Services Available to Everyone”

WEBINAR PROGRAM

Webinar Title: Mental Health in Emergencies: Greater Investment, Greater Access

Theme: *“Making Mental Health and Psychosocial Care Available to Everyone”*

Date: 3 December 2020 from 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm, Bangkok Time

Time	Activities
Inaugural Session: Welcoming Remarks and Introductions	
2:00 – 2:15 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Welcoming Remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mr. Hans Guttman, Executive Director, Asian Disaster Preparedness Center (ADPC). ○ Prof. Jarle Eid, Head of Department, Director, Centre for Crisis Psychology University of Bergen (UiB), Norway. ▪ Leaving no one behind: MHPSS of prisoners in the context of COVID-19 by Prof. Dr. Marc Van der Putten, Program Director, Global Health & Development (International Program), Faculty of Public Health of Thammasat University (FPH-TU), Thailand.
Session 1: Sharing of Experiences and Good Practices in MHPSS in response to COVID-19	
2:15 – 2:25 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Integrating MHPSS and Gender Based Violence (GBV) during COVID-19 the Myanmar Experience by Ms. Eri Taniguchi, Gender Equality/GBV Programme Specialist, United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA).
2:25 – 2:35 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ MHPSS and COVID-19 in the Philippines: From Policy to Practice by Dr. Ronald Law, Chief of the Preparedness Division, Health Emergency Management Bureau (HEMB), Department of Health (DOH), Government of the Philippines.
2:35 – 2:45 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Effect of COVID-19 to the Mental Health of Small and Medium-sized Entrepreneurs in Thailand by Mr. Watee Wichienit, Founder, Ving Thailand.
2:45 – 2:55 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Effect of COVID-19 on the Mental Health of Children in Viet Nam by Dr. Dang Hoang-Minh, Director, Center for Information, Service and Research in Psychology (CISRP), Viet Nam National University (VNU)
2:55 – 3:05 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Questions and Answers

Session 2: Key considerations and local initiatives during the COVID-19 pandemic	
3:05 – 3:15 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ People with Disabilities during COVID-19 and MHPSS the Sri Lanka Experience by Ms. Manique Gunaratne, Manager, Specialised Training & Disability Resource Centre, The Employers' Federation of Ceylon (EFC)
3:15 – 3:25 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Managing Bereavement and Grief Around COVID-19 in Norway by Ms. Unni Marie Heltne, Clinical Psychologist and Special Advisor, Centre for Crisis Psychology, University of Bergen (CCP-UiB) Norway
3:25 – 3:35 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Utilizing Community-based Remote MHPSS Services in Response to COVID-19 Challenges in Myanmar by Mr. Matthew Schojan, Research Associate, Department of Mental Health (DMH), Applied Mental Health Research Group (AMHR), Johns Hopkins University Bloomberg School of Public Health (JHUBSPH)
3:35 – 3:45 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Questions and Answers
3:45 – 4:00 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Future Outlook and Take Away Messages <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Dr. Yvonne S. Duque, Senior Public Health Specialist, Health Risk Management Department, Asian Disaster Preparedness Center (ADPC) ○ Mr. Ananda Galappatti, Co-Founder and Co-Director, MHPSS.net ▪ Closing Remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mr. Aslam Perwaiz, Deputy Executive Director, Asian Disaster Preparedness Center (ADPC)

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