



The ASPHER Deans' & Directors' Retreat 2023

(31 August-01 September 2023)

and

Celebrating 40 Years of the MPH at UCD

(02-03 September 2023)

O'Brien Centre for Science, University College Dublin, Ireland

Reflecting the 'New Normal' in Public Health Education and Training

Thursday, 31 August

08:00-08:45 Onsite conference check-in, O'Brien Centre for Science

08:45-09:30 Opening Ceremony

Welcome Addresses:

09:30-09:50 **Keynote Address** 20'

The Challenge of our times: Navigating the multidimensionality of Public Health as student, teacher and trainer

09:50-10:10 **The ASPHER-WHO Core Curriculum Programme (CCP)** 20'

Reflecting the 'New Normal' for Public Health in Education and Training: Overview of the ASPHER-WHO Core Curriculum Programme

SESSION I: Selected subject areas of ASPHER-WHO Core Curriculum:

Introduction: In a series of short presentations colleagues will present **selected** subject areas of the evolving ASPHER-WHO Core Curriculum for Public Health, based on content collated from contributing schools and programmes. Summary results of the level of agreement of PH academics and practitioners to the inclusion of elements of each subject area in an updated core curriculum will also be presented.

10:10-10:50	Core Curriculum PANEL I	40'
Subject Area & Speaker:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><i>1. Climate and Planetary Health Action</i><i>2. One Health and Veterinary Epidemiology</i><i>3. Emergency Preparedness / Disaster Management</i>	
10:50-11:10	Coffee	
11:10-11:50	Core Curriculum PANEL II	40'
Subject Area & Speaker:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><i>4. Diversity, Intersectionality, Vulnerable Groups</i><i>5. Public Health Nutrition, exposing socioeconomic determinants of health</i><i>6. Political determinants of health and health equity</i>	
11:50-12:30	Core Curriculum PANEL III	40'
Subject Area & Speaker:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><i>7. Digital transformation of society: Implications for Public Health</i><i>8. Communication; Advocacy; Infodemiology</i><i>9. Public Health Law / Public Health Ethics</i>	
12:30-13:15	Lunch / Group Photograph	

SESSION II:

The ASPHER-WHO Core Curriculum in context:

Introduction: Speakers in this session will address the implications of an updated core curriculum for public health in the following contexts: Public health education and training programmes; Accreditation of public health programmes; Existing competency frameworks; Roadmaps for professionalising the public health workforce; and Academic public health globally.

13:15-16:00

The ASPHER-WHO Core Curriculum in selected contexts

Focus on education, training and accreditation

Implications for / relevance of the CCP to:

13:20 .. *public health education and training at all levels* 30'

13:50 .. *strengthening PH competencies of health workforce: Work in progress* 15'

14:05 .. *accreditation of public health programmes* 15'

Focus on transnational structures

14:20 .. *the WHO-ASPHER Competency Framework and roadmaps for professionalising the public health workforce* 40'

15:00 .. *academic public health globally* 20'

15:20 *Building leadership in public health in Europe for the 'New Normal'* 20'

15:40

Wrap Up

16:00

Free time / Recreational activities on campus

18:15

Pick up from local hotels

18:45

Musical Recital (Moore Auditorium, O'Brien Centre for Science)

19:45

Reception / GALA Dinner (Black Tie) at the UCD University Club, including the Andrija Štampar Award and Prizegiving.
Transport to local hotels at the end of the evening

Connecting ASPHER Member Schools: Collaborative Projects & Future Potential

Friday, 01 September

SESSION III:

Focus on ASPHER-member Schools & Institutes

09:00	ASPHER Vision and Values in Action	20'
09:20	ASPHER-enhanced Collaborative Projects	
	A. Theme specific projects:	
<i>09:20</i>	<i>UCCAIDE (ECDC)</i>	<i>10'</i>
<i>09:30</i>	<i>VXACTION / VXTRAIN</i>	<i>20'</i>
	B. Teaching programmes & curricular change	
<i>09:50</i>	<i>European Master of Public Health (EPH+)</i>	<i>10'</i>
<i>10:00</i>	<i>NAWA</i>	<i>10'</i>
	C. Student-led projects / Public health advocacy	
<i>10:10</i>	<i>TIPH (This is Public Health), 2023</i>	<i>20'</i>
	D. Orientation to Poster Exhibition and Interactions	10'
	Deans' & Directors' Team, UCD	
10:40	Coffee	
11:00	ASPHER-members' Poster Exhibition and Dialogue	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Calling all delegates to represent their School at the Poster Exhibition ● Opportunities for Young Professionals to engage ● Meet your neighbours! 'Speed dating' with other Schools 	
13:00-13:45	Lunch	

SESSION IV:	Opportunities for collaboration across schools	
13:45	<i>A. SEEPHI (Overview and Simulation exercise)</i>	
14.20	<i>B. Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Programmes at UCD</i>	15'
14:35	<i>C: PITCH: Horizons Europe (HORIZON) Programme</i>	5'
14:40	<i>D: PITCH: COST Actions</i>	5'
SESSION V:	The challenges of the 'New Normal'	
14:50	<i>Setting the Scene</i>	20'
15:10	<i>Can we reflect the 'New Normal' in our PH curricula?</i>	20'
15:30	<u>Keynote address:</u> <i>A troubled world: Responding to the 'New Normal'</i> Dr. Michael J. Ryan Executive Director of WHO Health Emergencies Programme	30'
16:00	Official close of DDR, 2023 Presentation of Porto, 2024	
16:30	Bus from UCD to evening activities, dinner and entertainment Bus return to local hotels and UCD at the end of the evening	