

Workshop for discussion and development of quality criteria and Common Curriculum Minimum Requirements of Public Health for the Region of Undergraduate UNASUR

WORK PLAN

Annex VI

- Strengthening the Teaching of Public Health in the South American Region

Demand	Deadline	Responsability
Preparation of a document with the positioning of the public health's role in health systems in the region of the Council of Ministers	1 st semester 2015	Chile; Participation: Uruguay, Brazil
Consolidate instruments for continuous updating of data and analytical tools for ongoing monitoring	1 st semester 2015	Executive Secretariat; Participation: Everyone
Offer at least 1 year in the field of bilateral or multilateral cooperation between member countries of the RESP / UNASUR	2 nd semester 2016	Brazil and Uruguay
Organization of at least one course RRHHS Management supported by educational and EAD technologies in the field of bilateral or multilateral cooperation between member countries of the RESP / UNASUR	2 nd semester 2016	Chile and Brazil

- Strengthening Public Health Research in the South American Region

Demand	Deadline	Responsability
Research / mapping to identify and prioritize topics / research areas of common interest to all countries	2 nd semester 2016	Chile; Participants: Venezuela, Uruguay
Mapping opportunities for research funding under bilateral and multilateral projects	Permanently	Everyone

- Communication Strategies, Access to Information and Knowledge Dissemination

Demand	Deadline	Responsability
Development of instruments and channels of communication to facilitate the exchange of information and experience in the field of RESP/UNASUR	Permanently	Executive Secretariat; Participants: Everyone
Editing periodic report of the RESP/UNASUR	2 nd semester 2016	Executive Secretariat; Participants: Everyone

- Supporting the Executive Secretariat of the RESP / UNASUR

Demand	Deadline	Responsability
Definition/indication of a focal point/facilitator for the issues of communication and information among member countries and the Executive Secretariat	2 nd semester 2015	Everyone
Consolidation of governance instruments RESP/UNASUR	Permanently	Executive Secretariat; Participants: Everyone
Actions for the permanent articulation among members of the Network in strategic projects and periodic meetings	Permanently	Everyone
Monitoring and follow the 2015-2016 Strategic Plan and the cooperation's actions of bilateral/multilateral developed in the field of structuring this Network	Permanently	Everyone

- Identify, share and disseminate common problems and critical nodes for the training of public health professionals at the undergraduate level

Demand	Deadline	Responsability
Share experiences (workshops, dissemination of information, working groups etc.)	Permanently	Everyone
Forward the possibility of overcoming the biologist model of health in public health training at the undergraduate	Permanently	Everyone
Organize the information that the countries presented at the workshop and refer countries to validate and complement them	December 2015	Executive Secretariat

- Identify issues and basic/core curriculum requirements for training in public health at the undergraduate level

Demand	Deadline	Responsability
Promote the exchange of information related to the pedagogical structure of the basic training in public health	Permanently	Everyone Executive Secretariat (organization)
Forward the discussion on the concept of public health and the implications for the training of health workers (professionals, technicians and others)	December 2015	Chile, Uruguay and Brazil
Prioritization of themes and content	Permanently	Everyone
Organize the information that countries provide	Permanently	Executive Secretariat

- Identify the graduates common/basic skills from the courses and training programs in public health at the undergraduate level

Demand	Deadline	Responsability
Identification and dissemination of graduates' studies from courses and training programs in public health at the undergraduate level	1 st semester 2016	Everyone Executive Secretariat (organization)
Identification in public health policy, the competencies required of health workers (professionals, technicians and others)	1 st semester 2016	Everyone Executive Secretariat (organization)
Promote the exchange of information related to the pedagogical political projects of basic training in public health at the undergraduate level	Permanently	Everyone Executive Secretariat (organization)
Organize the information that countries provide	Permanently	Executive Secretariat

- Propose guidelines for establishing basic standards shared by the training centers in public health in our region

Demand	Deadline	Responsability
Discuss and advance joint educational programs accreditation of basic training in public health, in the undergraduate level	Permanently	Everyone
Organize the information that the countries presented at the workshop and refer countries to validate and complement them	December 2015	Executive Secretariat
Build a document with the criteria for the prioritization of common standards in the countries which allow, at a future time, recognition of courses and training programs in public health in the region	1 st semester 2016	Paraguay, Chile and Brazil

- To promote strategies that facilitate the rapprochement between academic programs in public health training centers and the needs of the policies, programs and health services (joint teaching-health-service system)

Demand	Deadline	Responsability
Encourage the establishment of national training programs in public health	Permanently	Everyone
Design of training programs along with the universities and schools of public health	Permanently	Everyone
Joint discussion of scenario practice and training routes in public health services	Permanently	Everyone
Organization of educational policies strategies and prioritize issues and strategic actions of training for health governance (e.g. Government Schools)	Permanently	Everyone
Identify opportunities and requirements for internships (teachers, students and health workers) along with health services and programs, domestically and regionally	Permanently	Everyone Executive Secretariat (organization)

- Develop joint research on strategic issues that favor the production of evidence for policy and decision making in the field of public health in the region

Demand	Deadline	Responsability
Development of collaborative projects	Permanently	Everyone
Joint studies on graduates of undergraduate courses in the field of public health	Permanently	Everyone
Search and mobilize resources for strengthening public health research in UNASUR	Permanently	Everyone
Elaboración de estudios diagnósticos intra-regionales Development of intra-regional diagnostic studies	2° semester of 2016	Venezuela, Chile and Uruguay

- Identify strategies for information dissemination and communication of relevant interest for public health training

Demand	Deadline	Responsability
Organize a periodic report for the organization and dissemination of information	Permanently	Executive Secretariat
Organization system(s) for information on training and public health training capacities of the region's countries	2° semester of 2016	Executive Secretariat
Use the website of the RESP as a reference for the dissemination of information on public health training	Permanently	Everyone
Know and identify the activities that are doing other regional integration initiatives (e.g. CARICOM) seeking synergies	Permanently	Everyone

- Identify strategies to approximate training centers around structuring, national, regional and international networks

Demand	Deadline	Responsability
Organization of national networks of training centers in public health	Permanently	Everyone
Organization of meetings/workshops national and/or subregional	Permanently	Everyone
Organization of thematic virtual meetings	Permanently	Everyone

- Identify strategies for inclusion and dissemination of educational technology and distance education training programs in public health

Demand	Deadline	Responsability
Strengthening the consolidation of training capacities in EAD coordinated by schools/centers with more experience	Permanently	Everyone
Organizing a workshop to exchange training experiences with use of educational technologies and EAD	1 st Semester 2016	Paraguay