Indicators for monitoring COPD and asthma in the EU

1st IMCA General Meeting

Barcelona, 26 - 27 January 2004

Draft Agenda

Monday, 26 January 2004

09:00 – 10:00 Introduction and Wellcome. (Josep Ma Antó)

The context of the IMCA project: the health monitoring initiatives at the DG-SANCO.

- Annex 1: Community action in the field of public health (2003 2008).
- Annex 2: Draft mandate Morbidity and Mortality Working Party (MMWP).

The Community Health Indicators Project at DG SANCO.

- Annex 3: Design for a set of European Community Health Indicators.
- 10:00 10:30 Coffee break.
- 10:30 –12:00 The IMCA new work plan proposal: description and discussion.
 - Annex 4: Indicators for monitoring COPD and asthma in the EU.
- 12:00 13:00 Objective 1 and 2: Routine, research data sources and international databases: what information on asthma and COPD is available?.

Review E Duran (Annex 5: IMCA Interim report, see pages 5-13).

Group discussion.

- 13:00 14:00 Lunch break.
- 14:00 15:00 Which criteria should we used in the process of selecting indicators for its classification?.

Review of criteria suggested by ECHI and other projects. (E Duran).

Group Discussion.

15:00 – 16:30 Objective 3: Which indicators of risk factors, disease frequency and clinical management should be selected?.

Asthma panel: group discussion. COPD panel: group discussion.

16:30 – 17:30 Objective 3 cont. Defining the initial list of indicators for monitoring COPD and asthma.

Summaries from Asthma and COPD panels. Plenary discussion.

- 17:30 Adjourn.
- 21:00 Informal dinner.

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- 09:00 -10:30 Objective 4: i) Identification and comparison of national clinical guidelines.
 - ii) Description of health care delivery for asthma and COPD: what we know from each country?.

Discussing and preparing a checklist for further data collection at national level.

- 10:30 -11:00 Coffee break.
- 11:00 –12:00 Objective 5: Deciding priorities for a set of indicators: which criteria should be used?.

Review of criteria suggested by ECHI and other projects. (E Duran).

Annex 6: ECHI-2 list of recommended "First Phase Core Indicators".

12:00 –12:30 The European Health Survey System: what should be the IMCA project contribution?.

Annex 7: Building a European Health Survey system: Improving information on self-perceived morbidity and chronic conditions.

- 12:30 -13:30 What will happen in the forthcoming 12 months?.
- 13:30 14:30 Closure and Lunch.

	List of annexed documents	Files
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Annex 3	Design for a set of European Community Health Indicators.	ECHI-final
Annex 4	Indicators for monitoring COPD and asthma.	IMCA-FI
Annex 5	IMCA Interim report (see pages 5-13).	IMCA_Interim_R
Annex 6	ECHI-2 list of recommended "First Phase Core Indicators.	ECHI-Core indicators
Annex 7	Building a European Health Survey system: Improving information on self-perceived morbidity and chronic conditions.	The Future European Health Survey

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