

# Managing Health Systems Research



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### Experts call for stronger, more resilient health systems to mitigate and manage future health crises

From 14-18 November, more than 2,000 health practitioners, policymakers and researchers are gathering in Vancouver, Canada to examine the biggest challenges facing our health systems, at the [Fourth Global Symposium on Health Systems Research](#).

Health systems across the world are facing shocks and stresses brought about by infectious disease outbreaks such as Zika and Ebola, the growing burden of long-term chronic conditions such as diabetes and heart disease and longer lifespans which will test the resources and capacity of health systems to provide care and improve health.

To withstand these challenges and mitigate the effects of emerging and future crises the Symposium is calling for global leaders to learn the urgent lessons needed to build strong and resilient health systems.

Chair of Health Systems Global, organizer of the Symposium, Professor Sara Bennett said: "Right now, we are at a key juncture. Urgent lessons must be learnt from the challenges magnified by the likes of the Zika and Ebola epidemics, the exploding problems of obesity, and the health implications of climate change. While managing these new challenges, routine health systems also need to become much more accountable and responsive to people's needs."

[Carissa F. Etienne, Director, Pan American Health Organization \(PAHO\)](#) said, "from the Zika epidemic to natural disasters and climate change, we in the Americas have seen time and again the consequences that fragile health systems can have for local, national, and international health. We cannot have health security without resilient health systems, and investing in them must be a national, regional and global priority."

[Karina Gould, Parliamentary Secretary, Global Affairs Canada](#) highlighted: "Canada is committed to working with its partners to strengthen health systems, particularly for the poorest and most vulnerable, including women, adolescents and children. Reducing inequalities in access to health services and resources is an important component of health system strengthening that can reduce the burden of outbreaks and health emergencies."

The Symposium will be hosting keynote speakers from all over the world to share lessons and promote action on strengthening health systems, including:

- [Alain Beaudet](#) – President, Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR)
- [Nila Heredia Miranda](#), Executive Director, Andean Health Organization
- [Soonman Kwon](#), Chief of Health Sector Group, Asia Development Bank
- [Saira Sharmeen](#), Head, United Nations Population Fund
- [Dr. Amand Soucat](#), Director for Health Systems, Governance and Financing, World Health Organization

Pathmanathan, Indra, World Health Organization. Programme on Health Systems Research and Development & International Development Research Centre. Health Services Management Research (HSMR) is an authoritative international peer-reviewed journal which publishes theoretically and empirically rigorous. Health Systems Research Training Series: Vol. 4: Managing health systems. Health Policy and Systems Research and Analysis (HPSR&A) is an applied . types, content and management of teaching and research, academic training and . Keywords: Management, Health System Strengthening, Global Health systems research, 17 particularly related to research paradigms. Since the early s all European countries have given priority to reforming the management of health services. A distinctive feature of these reforms has also. It is characterised by a formal structure, whose finance, management, scope and The topics addressed within health systems research or health care systems. Our health systems research draws upon the team's diverse expertise and disciplines in strategic approaches to health care innovation and practice. Our team manage health services research projects, grants, contracts, and finances;; demonstrate the skills necessary to assume an administrative or managerial role in a. Explore the most current issues of health services management in low- and .. As part of health performance, health systems research is gaining emphasis. Advances in Health Care Management (AHCM) is a biannual research publication; contributions are double blind reviewed and are indexed by MEDLINE and. Health Services Management Research Read articles with impact on ResearchGate, the professional network for scientists. Year 1: Comprises of two semesters of formal tea- ching ac vi es. KNUST-School of Public Health will teach on a regular weekly schedule (in blue in the. That health care organizations and their environments keep changing is both a mantra and an understatement. The nature of the changes can be evolutionary. International Health Systems Program Improving the Quality of Health Services Health Sector Reform and Its Relationship to Quality; Management Reform to an audience that is focused upon implementation rather than research. We offer two types of research degree: an MPhil or a PhD - in health services management and related disciplines such as health policy, health sociology and . Care management has emerged as a primary means of managing the health of a The Exhibit below presents practice, policy, and research recommendations. This module integrates the principles of managing health care services and leading on rapid changes and advances in regional, national and. Joomla! - the dynamic portal engine and content management system. State-of -the-art health systems research Strengthening the science. This special issue on Effective Leadership for Health Systems is organized and sponsored by the Alliance for Health Policy and Systems Research, . to nurture these frontline leaders and help them manage the uncertain. Cultural theory argues that how we govern and manage health services .. these aspects would fit within the field of health policy and systems research [30, 31].

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