

3rd MBDS's MOU Signed

MBDS's third memorandum of understanding (MOU) was signed by Health Ministers from Cambodia, China, Lao PDR, Myanmar, Thailand and Vietnam at a ceremony held in Geneva, Switzerland on May 18, 2015.



Dear MBDS Colleagues,

MBDS has updated regular MBDS XB exchange report from active MBDS cross border (XB) sites, MBDS XB Presentation with analyzed data and MBDS XB compiled data in MBDS website.

The report describes the total number of cases and death from MBDS prioritized exchange report. Data in the report are from all active MBDS XB sites and are categorized by 24 hrs, weekly, monthly and quarterly basis from January 2014 to the beginning of 2015.

The MBDS XB presentation shows the analyzed data from MBDS XB active sites with prioritized diseases. In addition, member countries exchanged data analysis can be seen in the presentation. MBDS has also compiled all XB information shared data of prioritized diseases from MBDS XB active sites.

The MBDS XB exchange reports, analyzed data presentation and compiled data are uploaded in [this link](#).

Dr. Pasakorn Akarasewi, Chair & MBDS Board of Thailand and Dr. Moe Ko Oo, Board and Secretary of MBDS attended the GHSA Meeting on "Step towards Regional Strategic Collaboration in Asia-Pacific on Workforce Development, National Laboratory System Strengthening & Antimicrobial Resistance Prevention to Respond Global Challenges" at Mandarin Hotel, Bangkok, Thailand during May 6-8, 2015.



Dr. Moe Ko Oo, Board and Secretary of MBDS attended and presented about MBDS at the Third International Conference on Digital Disease Detection at the Firenze Fiera Exhibition Center in Florence, Italy on 21 - 22 May 2015.

Data Analysis & Assistant Project Coordinator of MBDS Secretariat attended the 6th Steering Committee Meeting of ASEAN Plus Three Field Epidemiology Training Network (FETN) at Quang Ninh, Vietnam on 21 - 22 May 2015.



National Level Table - Top Exercise on Influenza H7N9 to enhance coordination mechanism on market closure, culling, surveillance and response, risk communication was held at Nay Pyi Taw, Myanmar on 27 May 2015.

Recent Update

MBDS SO has been updating Regional and International disease information and upcoming events on [MBDS website](#) and those updates can be easily accessed via [MBDS Facebook](#).

Useful links

MBDS has been updating useful links (Disease Surveillance Networks, Health Related Links, Links for Disaster Management, Research Links, Global Conference Alerts and Others Links) on [MBDS website](#).

Sincerely,

MBDS Foundation Secretariat

