

Session V: The Programme of Action for Cancer Therapy - PACT

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Cancer: A growing global health & development issue



New cancer cases

Total:

14.1m new cases of cancer globally per year

8m in low and middle income countries 57%





Total: 21.6m new cases of cancer globally per year

13m in low and middle income countries 60%

Source: IARC, GLOBOCAN 2012

The cancer perspective compared to HIV, TB and malaria



Annual deaths

Annual funding

Cancer 8.2 million deaths

250% more cancer deaths than for HIV, TB, malaria combined. 1% of the funding for HIV, TB and malaria.

Malaria 0.6 million deaths HIV 1.2 million deaths

Tuberculosis 1.5 million deaths

Cancer US\$168 million



Sources: Deaths: IARC 2012, UNAIDS 2015, WHO 2013, Roll Back Malaria 2013, Funding: IHME 2008, UNAIDS 2015, WHO 2014, Roll Back Malaria 2010

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Sources: CONCORD-2, Lancet 2015; SurvCan IARC 2011

Inequity in Access to Cancer Care



(Example of radiotherapy)

An estimated shortfall of over 5,000 radiotherapy machines in LMICs



Source: IAEA 2014

What global investment could achieve





IAEA Expenditure on Cancer-related Projects (1983-2014)





Programme of Action for Cancer Therapy (PACT)





Applying PACT's services





GLOBAL LEVEL

PACT's role in supporting Technical Cooperation radiation medicine projects



- Integration of findings and recommendations from Cancer Control Assessments into:
 - upcoming national TC planning processes (CPN, CPF) and UNDAFs;
 - Provide comprehensive cancer control framework to radiation medicine TC Projects
- Development of **strategic partnerships** for the implementation at country and/or regional level of cancer related TC projects.
- Supporting Member States in **training and knowledge transfer** to enhance the availability of health workforce and relevant skills.
- Spearheading resource mobilization efforts to address funding gaps in cancer-related TC projects including the development of bankable project proposals





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