



27-28 Feb & 01 Mar 2023 9:00 am - 5:00 pm Course Fee: FREE

## SHORT COURSE ON

# Health Economics and Non-Communicable Diseases (NCD) Policies

### ABOUT THE COURSE

Global Health Research Network for South-Asia is coordinating a new training course on health economics and non-communicable diseases policies, jointly developed by the Centre for NCD and Nutrition and the Centre for Professional Skill Development of the BRAC James P Grant School of Public Health. Policy makers, program managers, researchers and postgraduate students can join the course. In this course, we will discuss key concepts of health economics, NCD policies implementation of NCD policies, and approaches to develop and implement policies to prevent and control non-communicable diseases in lower- and middle-income countries. After completing this course, the participants will be able to apply the knowledge and skills to develop, and critically analyze NCD policies through health economics lens and implement NCD policies. The initial course is free of cost as the funding the run this course comes from the National Institute for Health and Care Research.

### DURING THE COURSE YOU WILL BE ABLE TO:

- Develop an understanding on the key concepts of health economics relevant to NCD prevention and control
- Develop an understanding on the key concepts of policy analysis
- Learn about the global and regional NCD prevention and control policies
- Develop an understanding on the formulation, analysis and implementation of NCD prevention and control policies

### WHO CAN APPLY FOR THIS COURSE?

Policy makers, program managers, researchers, public health practitioners working or intending to work in the area of non-communicable diseases can apply for this course.

Participants without prior knowledge or experience of health economics or NCD policy development can also apply.

### COURSE COORDINATORS



**Dr Zahidul Quayyum** is a Professor and Chair of the Institutional Review Board (IRB) at the BRAC James P Grant School of Public Health (BRAC JPGSPH) at BRAC University. He is also the Co-Director of Centre of Excellence for Urban Equity and Health (CUEH) and served as the Director Research at the school for two

years. He is a health economist and a public health researcher and has more than 27 years of experiences of conducting health economics and health systems research. He has worked as a Health Economist in many national and international projects and has been involved in working on economic evaluation of interventions and economic analysis of policy changes for improving maternal and child health. He has been also involved in conducting systematic review of economic evaluation, within trial national and multi-country economic evaluation, decision modelling and health technology assessment for the NIHR projects (UK) and EU funded projects in the UK. His research work focuses on urban health, climate and health, non-communicable diseases, maternal and child health, social determinants of health, and health of the displaced and marginalized population.



**Dr Malay Kanti Mridha** is a Professor of the BRAC James P Grant School of Public Health of BRAC University, Dhaka, Bangladesh. He is an internationally recognized scientist and leader in public health, non-communicable diseases, and nutrition. He has a unique combination of expertise in medicine, public health,

epidemiology, non-communicable diseases, public health nutrition, public health studies and programs, training, teaching, academic supervision. He is also leading a research Center of Excellence for Non-Communicable Diseases and Nutrition. With co-authors, he published more than 150 original research articles and research reports. As the founding Director of the research Center of Excellence for Non-Communicable Diseases and Nutrition (CNCDN) of BRAC University, he is currently in charge of implementing a comprehensive research agenda to control and prevent non-communicable diseases and malnutrition in Bangladesh and the global South.

This is a non-residential **HYBRID** course.  
During the course training materials, tea, snacks and Lunch will be provided free of cost.

### REGISTRATION DEADLINE: 22 FEBRUARY 2023

Preference will be given to participants with prior Experience of NCD Research or Policy Making.

### HOW TO APPLY

Please follow this link: <https://forms.gle/cRJLvEzi14e5wj7fa> to complete the **REGISTRATION FORM** and submit by **22 FEBRUARY 2023**. You will be notified about the payment method when your application is accepted.

Your seat will be confirmed upon completion of full payment. **If you have any queries please contact**

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