



WS16 – Unlocking Health Technology Assessment Impact Assessment As The Pathway To Transforming Evidence Into Real-World Results

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Summary

Learn about the pathway of evidence to impact and how HTA agencies are assessing the impact of their work. Facilitated by the International Network of Agencies for Health Technology Assessment (INAHTA), this workshop will build capacity in understanding HTA impact, and include theory, stories of impact told by HTA agencies, and case study analysis using the INAHTA Impact Framework.

Outcomes and Objectives

Participants will learn about approaches and methods of assessing HTA impact, including discussion of key facilitators and barriers to conducting HTA impact assessments. Participants will learn from agency experts and they will leave with a deepened understanding of the varied aspects of measuring HTA impact, with a greater confidence in creating or adapting an impact assessment process to their local setting.

Structure of Session

A faculty of senior HTA practitioners from INAHTA will present the key issues in the theory and practice of HTA impact assessment. A breakout group activity will allow participants to apply learnings to two HTA case studies using the INAHTA Impact Framework. A highlight of the workshop is an opportunity to engage with senior officials of HTA agencies and to hear directly from them about their experiences in achieving impact and in shaping their respective health systems.