



WS11 – Institutionalizing HTA: Overcoming Barriers And Strengthening Systems

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Summary

This full-day, interactive workshop equips HTA leaders with the tools to move beyond barriers and strengthen their systems. Leveraging global expertise from organizations like NICE International and CDA-AMC, and featuring real-world solutions from Poland, Brazil, Malaysia, and the MENA region, participants will develop concrete, multi-level Action Plans using established WHO guidance. This is for sustained capacity-building impact and implementation.

Outcomes and Objectives

Participants will gain the capacity to systematically classify barriers (Environmental/ Organizational/ Individual), analyze universal versus context-specific challenges, and develop multi-level Action Plans for their systems. The goal is to deliver real and sustained capacity-building impact, moving beyond simple knowledge exchange.

A consolidated framework of proven barrier-overcoming strategies , and a practical, barrier-specific Action Plan for immediate implementation in their specific context. Learning is sustained through the launch of Follow-up Commitments, including a 6-month progress check-in and a peer mentoring network.

Structure of Session

This is a full-day, interactive workshop, anchored in recognized frameworks. It incorporates presentations from leaders like NICE International and Canada's Drug Agency (CDA-AMC), alongside systematic Country Deep Dives presenting real-world solutions from Poland, Brazil, Malaysia, and the MENA region. Participants will engage in structured activities: a Barrier Assessment using the Three-Pillar Framework, and a core session to develop concrete HTA strengthening Action Plans using templates based on established WHO guidance. The process includes peer exchange and expert panel feedback.