

ATACH Global Meeting

Parallel session

**Action planning for low carbon sustainable
health systems (LCSHS)**

5 March 2024, 12:00 - 13:30 CET





Action Planning for Low Carbon and Sustainable Health Systems

Alliance for Transformative Action on Climate and Health Meeting
Madrid, 4-5 March 2024

Session objectives

- Setting the stage on common understanding of action plans and roadmaps, and progress in this milestone as a component of the COP26 Health Program commitments.
- Understanding from countries who have developed or are developing action plans and roadmaps the steps they took, tools, initiatives, and financing they are using to develop and implement their plans.
- Discuss and agree on areas in which ATACH could support country development and implementation of roadmaps and action plans until 2025.
- Strengthen networking in this priority area to facilitate collaboration and coordination across implementing countries and other stakeholders.

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**What country or institution
are you representing (please
use one word or acronym)**

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**Where are you in the
journey to develop a
roadmap or action plan?**

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COP26 Health Programme Commitments - LCSHS

High ambition/high emitters: Commit to set a target date by which to achieve health system net zero emissions (ideally by 2050).

All countries: Commitment to deliver a baseline assessment of greenhouse gas emissions of the health system (including supply chains)

All countries: Commit to develop an **action plan or roadmap by a set date to develop a sustainable low carbon health system (including supply chains) which also considers human exposure to air pollution and the role the health sector can play in reducing exposure to air pollution through its activities and its actions.**

Roadmap or Action Plan?

Roadmap

- A vision that delineates the pathways to get from current situation (baseline) to the goal (target), with an analysis of priority areas and how mitigation will be considered based on health development plans and universal health coverage.

Action plan

- A plan to develop a plan: a workplan that delineates the steps to developing an action plan/strategy or roadmap (which would include measuring footprint)
- A plan with a baseline and target, activities, and budget

Both

- Roles and responsibilities
- Cross-sectoral collaboration
- Partnerships

Panel Discussion



Panelists:

Mr Colin O’Hehir, Head of Climate Change Unit, Ministry of Health, Ireland
Dr Rachid Wahabi, Climate Change Focal Point, Ministry of Health, Morocco

Dr Ronald Law, Medical Officer V, Chief of Preparedness Division, Health Emergency Management Bureau, Department of Health, Philippines

Dr Victorio Molina, Professor of Environmental and Occupational Health, College of Public Health, University of the Philippines

Ms Sandrine Bouttier-Stref, Global Head of Corporate Social Responsibility, Sanofi, Sustainable Markets Initiative (SMI)

Poll 2: Let's prioritize

For countries that:

- Have not yet started
- Early stages/Are planning to start

What are the key priorities in terms of resources, tools, assistance?

Please rank your answers

Poll 2: Let's prioritize

For countries that:

- Are writing it now
- Are done! (have already written their plan)
- Are updating their plans

What are the key priorities in terms of resources, tools, assistance?

Please rank your answers