

Partnership & Collaboration



Partnerships

The Centre will bring in local and international experts from different fields, including sociology, behavioural sciences, health economics, psychology, organisational management, health systems and services research and quality of life research. The availability of established expertise for consultation, and partnerships with other established Centres such as Saw Swee Hock School of Public Health (SSHSPH), Centre for Health Services and Policy Research (CHSPR), and the Duke-NUS Signature Program in Health Services and Systems Research (Duke-NUS HSSR), would allow the Centre to increase scientific productivity and interaction. There are also greater possibilities of cross fertilisation of ideas through cross disciplinary and international collaboration, as well as transfer of knowledge between collaborators.

The Centre would also attract national collaborators such as community partners and national entities, like the Ministry of Health, Health Promotion Board, Urban Redevelopment Authority, Agency for Integrated Care and Silver Generation Office, interested in the research themes. Furthermore, the developmental funding provided by seed funding programme will initiate research efforts to facilitate proof-of-concept pilots between the Centre and its partners. Research cores will also contribute towards developing local expertise and capacity through training and setting up of appropriate structures to develop and house young population health researchers.

SPHERiC will translate the knowledge gained from our research to push for better health outcomes for the population. To this end, SPHERiC aims to engage key stakeholders who are able to influence policy changes at the national, regional and international level through:

- **Organising policy dialogues** on key priority areas to inform national agenda and design policies
- Leveraging **national-level platforms** to inform policy changes, and implement programmatic changes
- **Working with policy makers and national agencies** to scale up successful approaches

SPHERiC is also committed to engage the community and clinical personnel in our ongoing efforts to achieve better health outcomes for the population. Our initiatives within the community and clinical settings include:

- Inviting practitioners and leaders across care settings to be part of **SPHERiC Committees** to facilitate successful translation of research findings

- **Partnering well-positioned Core PIs** to translate promising approaches on new models of care to clinical settings
- **Providing seed funding** to enhance outreach and facilitate translation of research to programmes
- Inviting healthcare providers from different care settings (from acute hospital to community partners) and researchers for **training programmes** on population health research.



Collaboration & Service Request

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