Population Health Monitoring Meeting 2024

Thursday, September 19, 2024 13.30-16.00



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Welcome & Meeting Background

- Need of networking between research and surveillance
- A new regular platform (annually)
- Cooperation between Obsan, Public Health Schweiz (PHS), and SSPH+
- Expert group of PHS: Public Health Surveillance & Monitoring

Program

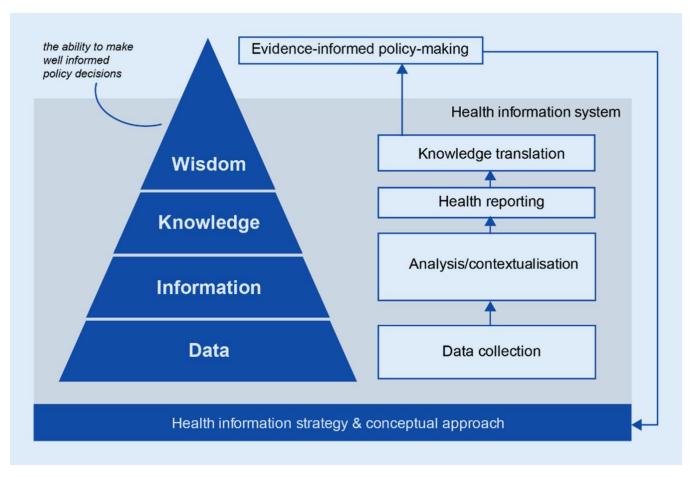
13.30-13.45	Welcome & Introduction Marcel Widmer (Obsan) and Prof Arnaud Chiolero (SSPH+ & PHS) (German, French & English)
13.45-14.30	Obsan monitoring systems: Reliable and relevant health information Dr Olivier Pahud and Dr Jonathan Zufferey (Obsan) (German & French)
14.30-15.15	Monitoring social inequalities in cancer screening using the Swiss Health Survey Dr Vladimir Jolidon and Dr Stéphane Cullati (Population Health Laboratory of the University of Fribourg) (English & French)
15.15-15.20	Final words Marcel Widmer (Obsan) and Prof Arnaud Chiolero (SSPH+ & PHS) (German, French & English)
15.20-16.00	Coffee networking

Definition and purposes of surveillance

- Public health surveillance is the ongoing systematic collection, analysis, and interpretation of data
- closely integrated with the timely dissemination of these data to those responsible for preventing and controlling disease and injury [Thacker and Berkelman 1988]

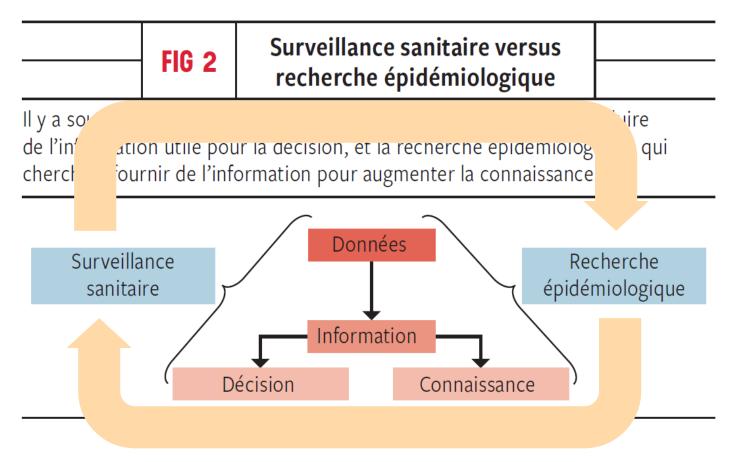
To provide information useful for decision and action in public health [Thacker and Berkelman 1988]

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Verschuuren M & van Oers H 2020

Population health monitoring vs research



Chiolero & Buckeridge. JECH 2020, Chiolero et al RMS 2021

Next meeting

- Does the meeting meet expectations?
- Is the format suitable?
 - Annually at Obsan/FSO, Neuchâtel
 - Short, timely, related to an Obsan topic
- Suggestions for topics, presentations, and discussions are welcome

Coffee & Networking THANK YOU!