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Background:

The ISPOR Kazakhstan Chapter was approved in January 24, 2012. The chapter has 40 members. The current leadership of the ISPOR Kazakhstan Chapter is comprised of the following:

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| Activities / Accomplishments | Summary |
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| Scientific / Educational Activities | <p>1) 5 themes of HTA reports:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Early prenatal diagnosis of genetic disorders FISH-method with the rationale for the choice of biomaterial invasive sampling (cordocentesis, amniocentesis) / non-invasive (intravenous) in the manner of pregnancy (in women) to prevent the birth of an affected child. - Evaluation of the effectiveness of screening and rehabilitation of children with sensorineural hearing loss in bi-or unilateral cochlear implantation. - The effectiveness and safety of early initiation of dialysis, compared with late onset in patients with end-stage renal failure - The effectiveness of combined therapy with interferon (pegylated or non-pegylated) and ribavirin for the treatment of chronic HCV in adult patients - The use of coronary stents (drug-coated and without drugs), established vascular access in patients with coronary artery disease (CAD) to improve the quality of life. <p>2) Two HTA seminars were organized in March, 2012 (for HTA program - 5 days, and for economic analysis - 3 days). The seminars were attended by 43 people from Astana, Almaty, Semey, Aktobe, Karaganda.</p> <p>3) Six three-days HTA training courses (36 hours) "The overview of issues and methods of health technology assessment" were organized and carried out within the cascade framework, where 150 participants from medical schools and research institutes (Astana, Almaty, Karaganda Aktobe, Shymkent, Semey cities) were trained.</p> |
| Policy-Related Activities | <p>1) The agreement to support the Chapter's activities in the country by the Ministry of Health of the Republic of Kazakhstan.</p> <p>2) The close cooperation with the Russian HTA Chapter.</p> <p>3) The talks conducting with the representatives from Central Asian countries to establish ISPOR offices there for the purpose of the development the Central Asian network.</p> <p>4) The conducting of preliminary talks about the opportunity of holding the Asia-Pacific ISPOR Congress in 2018 in Astana, Kazakhstan.</p> <p>5) Joining the INAHTA (membership)</p> |
| Conferences and/or Chapter Meetings | <p>1) Taking part at the International conference “International experience of organizing health technology assessment: prospects in Russia”, on 21 May 2012, Moscow, Russia</p> <p>2) Participation at the ISPOR 5th Asia-Pacific Conference 2-4 September 2012, Taipei, Taiwan, with poster presentation and taking part at the Asia-Pacific Consortium meeting of the Fifteenth HTA Asian Roundtable (5 September 2012).</p> <p>3) The International Conference “Strengthening the capacity of health</p> |

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| | <p>systems: systems approaches to health development” on the 30-31 October 2012, Astana, Kazakhstan, was organized by Kazakhstan Chapter</p> <p>4) Participation at the ISPOR 15th Annual European Congress, 3-7 November 2012, Berlin, Germany, which also included participation at the Conjoint Forum of Russia, Ukraine, Belarus, and Kazakhstan Chapters, named as “International HTA Experience and Possible HTA Models in Russia and Neighboring Countries” and participation at the Sixteenth HTA Roundtable of the Europe (7-8 November 2012).</p> |
| Membership Development | <p>The Chapter was established in 2012 and has already doubled the number of members significantly (40 members). It should be noted that the members joined to the chapter consisted of the majority of experts in the field of pharmacoeconomics of the Republic of Kazakhstan, not only Astana city, but other regions of the country, such cities as Almaty and Karaganda.</p> |
| Other | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) The actualization of ongoing translation of the book "HEALTH CARE COST, QUALITY AND OUTCOMES: ISPOR BOOK OF TERMS" into the Kazakh language 2) Agreement with ISPOR organization about the translation of the ISPOR short courses into the Kazakh language |

Upcoming Activities for ISPOR Kazakhstan Chapter 2013

| Date | Activities |
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| during the year | Translating ISPOR short courses into the Kazakh language |
| May 18-22, 2013 | Participation at the ISPOR 18th Annual International Meeting, New Orleans, LA, USA |
| 2-6 November, 2013 | Participation at the ISPOR 16th Annual European Congress, Dublin, Ireland |
| December 2013 | To complete the translation of the book "HEALTH CARE COST, QUALITY AND OUTCOMES: ISPOR BOOK OF TERMS" into the Kazakh language |
| December 2013 | To complete 3 HTA reports |