ASEAN Post-2016 Health Development Agenda (2021-2025)

Cluster 3: Strengthening Health System and Access to Care

Group practicum

- Reflect on the ASEAN Health Development Agenda related to access to healthcare

- To what extent can regional initiatives reflect health policy design thinking?

- Using this as an example, in what ways can regional cooperation support ASEAN member states in improving health policy?

ASEAN Health Clusters 3 on Strengthening Health System and Access to Care	1. To provide the ASEAN Community with universal access to safe, affordable, quality, holistic health care and essential medical supplies, including traditional and complementary medicines; and 2. To advance health care deliveries by adapting towards innovation and digital health technology.
	3. To promote health care delivery to vulnerable population, such as among others, women, children and migrant workers[2].

AHC 3: Strengthening Health System and Access to Care	Strategies:
	1. Strengthening performance in resilient health system development
	2. Advocating for improved access to safe, affordable, quality health care and essential medicines and vaccines, traditional and complementary medicine for the ASEAN people, in particular special population
	3. Promoting the attainment of vaccine security and self-reliance by accelerating the operationalization of the ASEAN Vaccine Security and Self-Reliance (AVSSR) strategies
	4. Developing and implementing the regional collaborative strategy for ASEAN Drug Security and Self- Reliance (ADSSR).
	5. Promoting the development and utilisation of interoperable and secure health information system and knowledge management system for ASEAN health sector to access health-related knowledge and information.
	6. Promoting the utilisation of digital health technology, R&D and innovations, in advancing health system and access to care.
	7. Advocating for adequate levels of health resources, which include Human Resources for Health (HRH) and health financing.