# **2017 Asian Physical Therapy Forum**

アジア理学療法フォーラム

Office of Healthcare Policy, Cabinet Secretariat, Japan

Japanese Physical Therapy Association

Tokyo Bay Ariake Washington Hotel,
Tokyo, Japan

**September 27-28, 2017** 

#### Overview



Photo: JPTA President, Kazuto Handa

In the fall of 2017, the Asian Physical Therapy Forum was held at the Tokyo Bay Ariake Washington Hotel (Tokyo), by Japanese Physical Therapy Association and coorganized by Office of Healthcare Policy, Cabinet Secretariat, Japan.

As part of the promotion of "The Asia Health and Wellbeing Initiative (AHWIN)", which is the initiative of the public and private sectors, the forum aimed to establish and enhance a network for collaboration and cooperation among the professional associations of physical therapy in Asian countries / territories. From 14 Asian countries / territories, representatives of Association of Physical Therapy was participated.

In the forum presenters mentioned about rapidly progressing aging society in Asian, precedent cases and technologies, experiences with social systems, initiatives in Japan were widely introduced, and it was also a place to exchange various opinions.



Introduced about the Asia Health and Wellbeing Initiative (AHWIN), we need to cooperate for contributing development of healthy aging society. Not only medical treatment, preventing long-term care conditions and jiritu shien (Supporing independent living).



Photo: Deputy General, Koji Fujimoto

Participants visited to "International Home Care & Rehabilitation Exhibition(HCR)" and Tokyo Wangan Rehabilitation Hospital to know newest technology, real situation of medical and long-term care in Japan.



Photo: Visit HCR ①



Photo: Visit HCR ②

#### **Participants**

- Speakers (see appendix)
- · Co-organizers

Office of Healthcare Policy, Cabinet Secretariat: Mr. Koji FUJIMOTO (Deputy Director General), Kosuke Maekawa, Mr. Kosuke Maekawa, Miss. Yuri Endo

- · Invited guests
  - Healthcare and Long Term Care Policy, Economic Research Institute for ASEAN and East Asia (ERIA), Mr. Sota MACHIDA (Senior Officer)
  - Japan Center for International Exchange (JCIE), Mrs. Satoko ITO (Managing Director and Chief Program Officer)
  - Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare, Health Policy Bureau, Medical Professions Division, Mr. Teiji TAKEI (Director)
- · Delegates from PT association in Asia
  - 25 delegates from 14 member organizations (see at next page)
- Japanese Physical therapy association,
  - JPTA Board members, language supporters13 JPTA members

## Participants from physical therapy organizations in Asia

No		Name	Name Position			
1	Hong Kong	Mr. Brian MA	Executive Committee Member of HKPA			
2	Mongolia	Ms. ARIUNAA Khadbaatar	President of MPTA			
3		Ms.BATLKHAM Dambadarjaa	Secretary of MPTA			
4	Taiwan	Dr. Jau-Yih Tsauo	President			
5		Dr Pay-Shin Lin	Chair of the Committee of Promotion			
			of the Continuing Care			
6		Dr. Suh-Fang Jeng	Chairperson of WCPT-AWP Region			
7	Malaysia	Ms. Yew Su Fen	President of MPA			
8	Philippine	Mr. Michael Pereyra Gabilo	PRESIDENT of PPTA			
9	Myanmar	Ms. Yin Min Mar	Yankin Children General Hospital			
10		Ms. Theingi San	Executive Member from Mandalay			
11	Singapore	Mr SAIRAM AZAD	SPA council members			
12	Indonesia	Mr. Moh.Ali Imron	President of IPA			
13		Mr. Parmono Dwi Putro	Vice President of IPA			
14	Pakistan	Salman Malik	Member Board Of Directors PPTA			
15		Dr. Muhammad Aamir Saeed	Secretary general of PPTA			
16	Nepal	Nishchal Shakya	President of NEPTA			
17		Mr. Suresh Kumar Shrestha	NEPTA executive			
18	Korea	Dr. Taesik Lee	President of KPTA			
19		Dr. Wootaek Lim	Chair of international affairs			
			committee, KPTA			
20	Bangladesh	NASIRUL ISLAM	PRESIDENT of BPA			
21		SHAHADAT HOSSAIN	Secretary general of BPA			
22	Sri Lanka	Mr.Tennakoon Mudiyanselage	President of SLSP			
		Nandasena Mettananda				
23		Mr.Jayakody Arachchige Rasika	Secretary			
		Lakshman				
24	Thailand	Mr.PreechaAsawakosinchai	President PTAT			
25		Dr.Prapas Pothongsunun	Executive Committee			



Photo: Participant's photo session



Photo: After the forum



Photo: Welcome reseption

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## Time schedule

27 <sup>th</sup> S	ept	ember	(Wednesday)				
8:40	~	9:00	Registration (at Iris, 3rd floor)				
9:00	~	9:30	Welcome speech and opening lecture				
9:30	~	10:00	Call for each associations of physical therapy				
10:00	~	10:10	Guest speech				
<b>10:10</b> 10:10 10:50	~ - -	<b>13:50</b> 10:40 12:05	Seminar session     Asia Health and Human Well-Being Initiative     Lecture: Case1 Preventive Physical Therapy     Epidemiological figure				
12:50	-	13:50	~Lunch time~ · Demonstration: Walk Assist Robot				
14:15	~	17:00	<ul> <li>H.C.R. site visit (at Tokyo Big Site)         <ul> <li>Tour with demonstration</li> <li>Some exhibition booths etc.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>				
18:00	~	20:00	Welcome reception (at Grand Blanc, 21st floor) *Hall will be opened from 17:30~				
28 <sup>th</sup> S	28 <sup>th</sup> September (Thursday)						
9:00	~	10:15	Seminar session (at Iris, 3rd floor)     Lecture: Case2 Preventive Physical Therapy     Training Program for Silver Rehabilitation Exercise				
10:30	~	12:30	Discussion     *Lunch will be served in this discussion				
12:30	~	13:00	Closing ceremony				

<sup>\*</sup>Clinical visiting: Move to the bus for optional tour

**Venue: Tokyo Bay Ariake Washington Hotel** 3-7-11 Ariake, Koto-ku, Tokyo 135-0063, Japan

## **Greating**

#### Dear All Participants:

In Japan, under the public-private partnership platform of the "Committee on the Asia Health and Human Well-Being Initiative" based on the "Asia Health and Human Well-Being Initiative", we are promoting initiatives in response to the advanced aging of society, a common issue in Asian countries. These initiatives are based on the mutually beneficial approach of building integrated community care systems in the Asia region and promoting of private businesses in the Asia region in order to create a new Asia where sustainable economic growth is possible through the realization of a society of healthy longevity and UHC in response to the rapidly advancing aging of society.

As a part of the promotion of the Asia Health and Human Well-Being Initiative from the perspective of the participation of physical therapists in prevention, rehabilitation, and independence support in the healthcare and nursing care area, Japanese Physical Therapy Association will be holding the "Asian Physical Therapy Forum". Physical therapists from 14 Asian countries has been invited to build and organize a collaborative system among physical therapists in the respective Asian countries through discussions and collaboration among physical therapy associations of the respective Asian countries and the sharing of precedents and technologies from Japan.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation and support as we join hands as partner organizations for the advancement of physical therapy in Asia.

Kazuto Handa President, Japanese Physical Therapy Association

Kajato Handa.



## **Guest speech**

#### Keizo Takemi

Member, House of Councillors, Japan; Chairperson, Asian Forum of Parliamentarians on Population and Development (AFPPD)

Keizo Takemi is a Liberal Democratic Party (LDP) member of the Japanese House of Councillors who also served as state secretary for foreign affairs in the Obuchi Cabinet in 1999, and as Senior Vice Minister of Health, Labour and Welfare in the first Abe Cabinet. Within the LDP, he is serving as Chairman of Policy Board in the House of Councillors and Chairman of the Special Mission Committee on Global Health Strategy of the Policy Research Council.

Takemi is a Senior Fellow at JCIE. He has been involved in various global initiatives, including the Commission on Information and Accountability for Women's and Children's Health Global Health Workforce Alliance, WHO Expert Working Group on R&D Financing, and the International Organizing Committee of the Prince Mahidol Award Conference. He has also been serving as Chair of the Parliamentary Caucus on Stop TB Partnership since March 2013, and Chair of the AFPPD since October 2013.

## **Biographical Notes**

#### Asia Health and Human Well-Being Initiative

#### Koji Fujimoto

Deputy Director General, Office of Healthcare Policy, Cabinet Secretariat, Japan

Upon graduating from the Tokyo Institute of Technology, where the majored in mechanical engineering, Koji Fujimoto joined the Ministry of International Trade and Industry (now the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry, or METI) in 1987. He completed his Master in Public Policy at the Harvard University Kennedy School in June 1993. After working in various sections of METI, he was appointed director of the Medical and Assistive Device Industries Office of the Commerce and Information Policy Bureau in 2003. In 2005, he was seconded to the Dusseldorf Center in Germany of the Japan External Trade Organization (JETRO) as director of the Light Machinery Industries Center. On returning to Japan, he returned to METI and was appointed as director of the Service Industries Division (2008-2011) and director of the Light Machinery Industries Division (2011-2012) of its Commerce and Information Policy Bureau. He was appointed to serve in the Cabinet Secretariat in 2012, initially as counselor to the Office of Health and Medical Policy from 2015.

### Preventive Physical Therapy: Training Program for Silver Rehabilitation Exercise

#### Hitoshi Ota

Ibaraki Prefectural Health Plaza

Medical Doctor

President, Community Rehabilitation Promotion Council in Ibaraki Prefecture President, Health Ibaraki Promotion Council

Advisor, Promotion Committee of The Integrated Community Care System, Ibaraki Style

#### **Background**

Born in Takamatsu City, Kagawa Prefecture

March 1962, Graduated from Tokyo Medical And Dental University, Faculty of Medicine January 1973, Head of Department of Rehabilitation,

Izu Teishin Hospital (Currently as NTT EAST Izu Hospital)

June 1993, Deputy Director, Izu Teishin Hospital (Currently as NTT EAST Izu Hospital) September 1995, Professor, Ibaraki Prefectural University of Health Sciences

December 1996, Director, Ibaraki Prefectural University of Health Sciences Hospital April 2005, Manager of Ibaraki Prefectural Health Plaza

Honorary Professor, Ibaraki Prefectural University of Health Sciences May 2015, Honorary Director, Ibaraki Prefectural University of Health Sciences Hospital



#### Preventive Physical Therapy: Epidemiological figure

#### Minoru Yamada

#### Work experience

August 2008, Assistant Professor in Human Health Sciences, Graduate School of Medicine, Kyoto University

April 2014, Associate Professor in Graduate School of Comprehensive Human Sciences, University of Tsukuba

#### Academic background

March 2005, Kobe University School of Medicine

March 2007, Graduate School of Medicine, Kyoto University (Master)

March 2010, Graduate School of Medicine, Kyoto University (PhD)

#### Specialized field

Geriatrics, Rehabilitation

#### **Key wards**

Frailty, Sarcopenia, Fall, Prevention, Epidemiology

#### **Award**

- The Geriatrics & Gerontology International Best Reviewer Award 2016
- The Geriatrics & Gerontology International Best Article Award 2012
- The 20th IAGG World Congress of Gerontology and Geriatrics Best Poster Award 2013
- The 1st Asian Congress of Medical and Care Facilities Best Poster Ward
- The 2<sup>nd</sup> Scientific Meeting of the Asian Federation of Osteoporosis Societies Award

#### **Demonstration: Walk Assist Robot**

#### Hiroki Tanikawa

Dr. Hiroki Tanikawa is an assistant professor of Faculty of Rehabilitation, School of Health Sciences, Fujita Health University, Aichi, Japan. He is a national certified physical therapist. He received his Ph.D. in rehabilitation medicine (gait analysis for stroke patients) from Fujita Health University. His specialty is motion analysis, especially gait analysis.

His clinical interests include kinematic analysis for abnormal gait pattern in stroke patients, quantitative evaluation of effects of some treatments in gait rehabilitation (e.g., braces, Botulinum Toxin A, and rehabilitation robots), and development of gait rehabilitation programs based on quantitative gait analysis.

#### Background

2001-2005 Tokyo Metropolitan University of Health Sciences

Apr. 2005 National certified physical therapist

2010-2012 The Open University of Japan (master's course)

2012-2016 Graduate School of Medicine, Fujita Health University (doctoral course)

Affiliated academic organizations

Japanese Association of Rehabilitation Medicine

Japanese Physical Therapy Association

Japanese Society of Clinical Neurophysiology

Japanese Society for Neural Repair and Neurorehabilitation

World Federation for Neurorehabilitation

The Clinical Gait Analysis Forum of Japan

## **About the organizers**

#### Office of Healthcare Policy, Cabinet Secretariat, Japan

In promoting a society of health and longevity, the government of Japan enacted the 'Healthcare Strategy Promotion Act in May 2014; followed by the establishment of the Headquarters for Healthcare Policy in June, and the Cabinet approval of the 'Healthcare Policy' in July, of the same year. One of the objectives stated in the 'Healthcare Policy' is to promote overseas activities of the healthcare sectors by building mutually beneficial relationships with foreign countries, especially, in fields of medicine and elderly care.

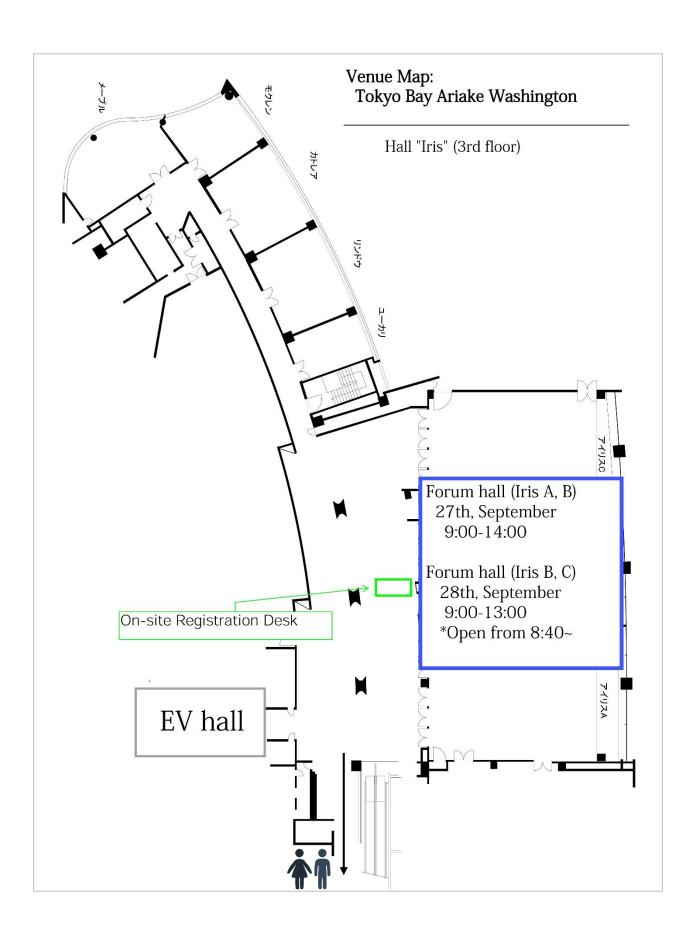
Based on the 'Healthcare Policy'the Office of Healthcare Policy, Cabinet Secretariat, Japan is promoting a new initiative called the "Asia Health and Wellbeing Initiative (AHWIN)", which launched in 2016, that aims to amass bilateral and regional cooperation on aging-related efforts in Asia in order to attain both making ideal aging society and economic growth through reciprocal and mutually beneficial approaches.

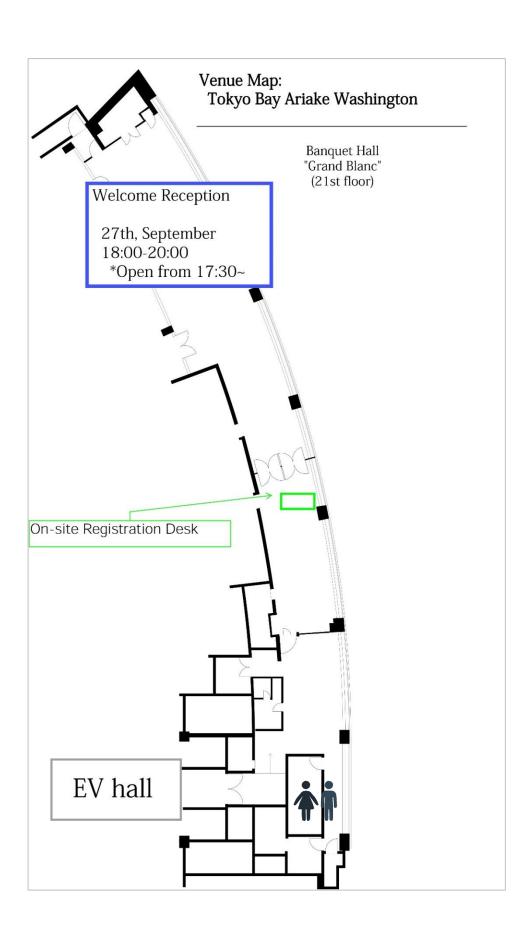
In August 2017, The Cabinet Secretariat of Japan co-hosted the Multistakeholder forum in Ho Chi Minh city, Vietnam, where started cooperation with Asian countries regarding AHWIN.



Japanese Physical Therapy Association (JPTA) was formed on July 17, 1966, by 110 licensed physical therapists. It was approved as an incorporated association by the predecessor of the Ministry of Health, Labour, and Welfare in January 1972 and became a member of the World Confederation for Physical Therapy (WCPT) in 1974. In 1990, it was recognized by the Science Council of Japan as an academic research organization.

More than 50 years have passed since the association's foundation, and physical therapists today are involved in a wide range of professional areas. The association meets a variety of social needs and is proud to go about its work as the only academic and professional association performing physical therapy in Japan.





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