

EPIDEMIOLOGY RESEARCH DIVISION



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1. Historical Background

It was established in 1963 as Haematology Research Division. First appointed head of Epidemiology Research Division (ERD) was established on 6 March, 1968 and headed by Dr. Ko Ko. In the early years, the areas of research work of ERD included road traffic accidents, health systems research on the People's Health Programmes, utilization and performance of voluntary health workers in rural areas, diarrhea and dysentery, Non-A, Non-B Hepatitis and snakebite. Epidemiological studies on intestinal helminthiasis, cancer and reproductive health were conducted in 1980s. In 1993, The WHO Special Program in Human Reproductive Health (WHO/HRP) supported the Institutional Development Grant for four years and several research projects on reproductive health. From 1990 to date, it focuses on communicable diseases (HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis, Malaria, Japanese Encephalitis) and non-communicable diseases (Diabetes Mellitus, Hypertension, Acute Myocardial Infarct), maternal and child health, reproductive health, and environmental health. Researchers from ERD conducted implementation and operational research according to the priority health problems of the country as guided the Union Minister of Ministry of Health and Sports. In addition, ERD served as a focal division for organizing and conducting the research capacity strengthening of researchers and health care personnel from other departments such as research methodology training workshop. It also provides the technical support to other organizations and post-graduate students for their research theses and dissertations. It collaborates with national and international organizations for further strengthening and capacity building in the research field. Researchers from the division present their studies not only in local health research congresses and conferences but also in the international conferences, meetings, and symposiums.

2. Former Heads

Sr. No.	Name	Degree	Year (From-To)
1.	Dr. U Ko Ko	MBBS, DPH (Edin.), D.TM & H (Eng) Consultant (Honourary)	1968 - 1970
2.	Dr. U Thein Maung Myint	MBBS, DP&TM, MCOMMH	1974-1982
3.	Dr. Daw Ohn Kyi	MBBS, DPH, DECD(Prague), Cert. in Indigenous Medicine	1982
4.	Dr. U Thein Hlaing	MBBS, DP&TM, FACE, FRCP	1983 - 1988
5.	Dr. Daw Myint Myint Soe	MBBS, DP&TM, MPH (Israel)	1989 – 1995
6.	Dr. Daw San Shwe	MBBS, MMedSc (Public Health)	1996 – 2009
7.	Dr. Daw Khin Thet Wai	MBBS, MMedSc (Public Health)	2009- 2012
8.	Dr. Ohnmar	MBBS, MSc (Epidemiology), PhD (Epidemiology) (Prince of Songkla University, Thailand)	2012-2014
9.	Dr. Ko Ko Zaw	MBBS (UM1), MPH (Epidemiology & Biostatistics) (Boston University)	2014-2016

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20.	Daw Myat Nan Phyoe	Laboratory Attendant	-

4. Area of Research Activities

No.	Area of Research Activities	Choice
1.	Communicable Diseases	√
2.	Non-Communicable Diseases	√
3.	Nutritional Factor	
4.	Research Capacity Strengthening	√
5.	Health System Research	√
6.	Environmental Health	√
7.	Traditional Medicine	
8.	Research Culture Promoting	√
9.	Technology Development	

