



AFCRN QUESTIONNAIRE USE OF DATA

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1. BACKGROUND

1.1. Name of Registry:

1.2. Area covered (free text):

1.3. Please indicate the year that the registry started:

1.4. Please enter the current or most recent estimation of the size of the population covered by the registry (in number of inhabitants):

2. FUNDING OF CANCER REGISTRATION

2.1. Please indicate the budget available to the cancer registry in 2013 for all activities (data collection, processing, analyses, research, dissemination etc.): please select currency

--- please specify amount ---

2.2. Did these funds cover all your costs in 2013?

☐ Yes

☐ No

If NO, how did you manage the deficit?

2.3. Was the amount for 2013 significantly different from the average available in other years?

☐ similar

☐ much higher

☐ much lower

2.4. Please estimate the percentage of the available budget coming from each of the different sources listed:

| | | |
|------|---|----------------|
| | Local Government (e.g. Health Department) | please specify |
| | Academic Institution (e.g. University) | please specify |
| | Hospital | please specify |
| | Health insurance companies | please specify |
| | Local NGO (e.g. Cancer society) | please specify |
| | International NGO | please specify |
| | Commercial company (e.g. Pharmaceutical) | please specify |
| | Charities | please specify |
| | Research grant | please specify |
| | Private donor | please specify |
| | Other | please specify |
| 100% | | |

Comment (optional)

2.5. Please estimate the percentage of the available budget going into the different activities listed below:

| | |
|------|-------------------------------|
| | Data processing and analysis |
| | Management and administration |
| | Research |
| | Communication |
| | Other, please specify |
| 100% | |

Comment (optional)

2.6. Please indicate the average full-time equivalent (FTE) of staff working in the cancer registry.

Examples: Two half-time registrars would count for 1 FTE. The registry chief might work as an epidemiologist for 0.3 FTE, 0.5 as a clinician and 0.2 as a manager.

| | |
|-------------------|---|
| - number of FTE - | Registrar (e.g. collection, registration, checking) |
| - number of FTE - | Programmer (e.g. database management, automation and output) |
| - number of FTE - | Statistician/epidemiologist (e.g. methods, analysis, interpretation, communication) |
| - number of FTE - | Medical (e.g. pathology, coding, communication) |
| - number of FTE - | Administration (e.g. secretarial support) |
| - number of FTE - | Management (e.g. direction) |
| - number of FTE - | Other (please specify) <input type="text"/> |

3. DATA SOURCES

3.1. Which of the listed sources of data are used to capture the incident cancer cases in your registry?

Active - registry personnel actively ascertain cancer records, possibly during visits to data providers

Passive - data is received without any requests by the registry

For each of the used data sources please indicate the type of inquiry best describing the current practice. Tick all applicable.

Specialist oncology units

☐ Active

☐ Passive

☐ Paper forms

☐ Electronic data

Radiotherapy departments

☐ Active

☐ Passive

☐ Paper forms

☐ Electronic data

Other hospitals (public/University)

☐ Active

☐ Passive

☐ Paper forms

☐ Electronic data

Private hospitals/clinics

☐ Active

☐ Passive

☐ Paper forms

☐ Electronic data

Pathology laboratories

☐ Active

☐ Passive

☐ Paper forms

☐ Electronic data

Haematology laboratories

☐ Active

☐ Passive

☐ Paper forms

☐ Electronic data

Autopsy reports

☐ Active

☐ Passive

☐ Paper forms

☐ Electronic data

Outpatient clinics

☐ Active

☐ Passive

☐ Paper forms

☐ Electronic data

Hospices

☐ Active

☐ Passive

☐ Paper forms

☐ Electronic data

Other laboratories

☐ Active

☐ Passive

☐ Paper forms

☐ Electronic data

Screening programmes

☐ Active

☐ Passive

☐ Paper forms

☐ Electronic data

Health insurance

☐ Active

☐ Passive

☐ Paper forms

☐ Electronic data

Vital statistics (death certificates)

☐ Active

☐ Passive

☐ Paper forms

☐ Electronic data

Comment (optional)

4. REGISTRY OUTPUT

4.1. Please indicate the most recent year which is currently considered complete for cancer counts:

Year

Total number of cases registered in the most recent complete year.

4.2. Has the registry published a REPORT of its activities?

☐ Yes

☐ No

If YES, most recent period included in such a Report

4.3. Have the results of the registry been published in an academic JOURNAL

National research journals

number of publication

Regional research journals (e.g. East African, West African...)

number of publication

International research journals

number of publication

****Please attach bibliography of list of published papers.***

4.4. Have the results of the registry been published in Cancer Incidence in Five Continents?

☐ Yes

☐ No

If YES

| | |
|--------|----------------|
| VOLUME | Period covered |
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4.5. Does your registry have a web page?

☐ Yes

☐ No

If YES, please give the address of the web page

5. USE OF CANCER REGISTRY RESULTS IN CANCER CONTROL

5.1 Does the registry have any formal contacts with Departments of Health?

Local Health Department

☐ Yes

☐ No

Ministry of Health (national)

☐ Yes

☐ No

5.2 Please give details of such contacts

- Joint meetings
- Response to requests for information on cancer
- Planning of cancer services (including cancer surveillance, screening planning)

Please specify:

5.3. Is there a National Cancer Control (or NCD Control) Plan in place in your country (or Province/Region)?

☐ Yes

☐ No

If YES

a. When was it published?

mm/yyyy

b. For which YEARS is the plan?

mm/yyyy - mm/yyyy

c. Which Health Authority is responsible for the Plan?

d. Was a member of the Cancer Registry among the team preparing the Plan?

☐ Yes

☐ No

If YES, please give details:

e. Were data from the cancer registry included in the Plan?

☐ Yes

☐ No

If YES, please give details:

5.4. Is a representative from your registry a member of any other steering committee / advisory group of the Health Authority?

☐ Yes

☐ No

If YES, please give details:

5.5. How often the registry is consulted by other health authority on cancer situation in the country?

☐ Never

☐ 1-2 times/year

☐ 2-5 times/year

☐ > 5 times/year

Comment (optional)

5.6. Were the results from the cancer registry used to make national estimates for Globocan2012?

☐ Yes

☐ No

If NO, what was the reason:

5.7. Has the registry ever been mentioned in public media?

☐ Yes

☐ No

If YES, please give details: