



ASIA-PACIFIC NATIONAL ADAPTATION PLANS TRAINING WORKSHOP

20th-21st October 2016

Colombo, Sri Lanka

Agenda

Objectives of the workshop:

- i) To reflect on the opportunities arising from the Paris Agreement, as a means to advance national adaptation plans
- ii) To increase countries' understanding of the NAPs process, as a means to accelerate adaptation implementation
- iii) To take stock of what countries are doing on NAPs, exchange lessons learnt and experiences, and identify where additional support is required

Desired outputs:

- i) A NAP workplan developed by each country, which includes: a stocktaking of current adaptation planning arrangements and capacity; identification of priorities to advance the NAP process and areas for support; defines next steps for the short- to medium-term
- ii) Areas for targeted South-South information and experience exchange on adaptation planning identified and a proposed "buddy system" set up

Participants: 18 countries from Asia-Pacific (up to 3 participants per country)

Partners: KEI, PROVIA, WHO, WMO, UNDP, UNEP and UN-HABITAT



DAY 1 – Adaptation planning in Asia-Pacific: a stocktake

Time	Activity	Who
08:00 – 08.30	Registration	
08:30 – 09:00	Official Opening	
	Opening remarks	Government of Sri Lanka, UNDP and UNEP
08:55 – 09:00	Aims and objectives of the workshop	Facilitator
09:00 – 10:00	Session 1: Introduction to National Adaptation Plans (NAPs) Objective: Reflect on enhancing adaptation planning post-Paris, provide a recap and reach a shared understanding on the NAPs	
09:00	Presentation: Introduction to the NAP process	UNDP – UNEP
09:20	Group exercise: What do we understand by national adaptation planning?	Facilitator
10:00 – 10:15	<i>Coffee break</i>	
10:15 – 11:30	Session 2: Opportunities for enhancing action on adaptation planning in Asia-Pacific Objective: Reflect on opportunities coming out of APAN discussions; provide inputs and ideas for further workshop sessions	
	Panel discussion	Country representatives
11:30 – 12.30	Session 3: Part 1 -Stocktake of NAP at country level Objective: Countries reflect on where they are at in terms of national adaptation planning and learn about processes in other countries	
	Presentation: NAP Technical Guidelines	UNEP
	Country case studies	
	Small group exercise	All participants
12.30 – 13.30	<i>Lunch</i>	
13:30 – 15:30	Session 3: Part 1 -Stocktake of NAP at country level (continued)	
15:30 – 15:45	<i>Coffee break</i>	
15:45 – 17:00	Session 3: Part 2 -Stocktake of NAP processes in Asia-Pacific: opportunities and challenges Objective: Countries reflect on where they are at in terms of national adaptation planning, learn about processes in other countries and identify opportunities for regional adaptation planning	
	Group discussion	All participants



DAY 2 – Adaptation planning in Asia-Pacific: advancing implementation

Time	Activity	Who
08:30 – 08:45	Recap of Day 1, introduction Day 2	Facilitator
08:45 – 9:45	Session 4: Monitoring and evaluation of adaptation Objective: Countries reflect on where they are at in terms of national monitoring and evaluation systems for adaptation and test a new approach	
8.45	Small group exercise	All participants
9.05	M&E tool testing	KEI
9:45 – 10:00	Coffee break	
10:15 – 11:15	Session 5: Enabling implementation of NAPs Objective: Identify different options of support for developing and implementing NAPs	
	Panel discussion	PROVIA, UNDP, UNEP, WHO, WMO, UN-HABITAT
	Q&A	
11:15 – 12:30	Session 6: Next steps for action on NAPs and identifying support needs Objective: Identifying next steps for action at country level, need for external support and potential opportunities for collaboration	
	Small group exercise	All participants
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch	
13:30 – 15:45	Session 7: Enhancing peer to peer exchange on adaptation planning in Asia-Pacific Objective: Countries identify opportunities for sharing information and capacity on implementing their NAPs	
	Group discussion	All participants
15:45 – 16:00	Coffee break	
16:00 – 17:00	Official closing	
16:00	Summary of workshop and next steps	UNEP and UNDP
16:30	Concluding remarks	Country representatives