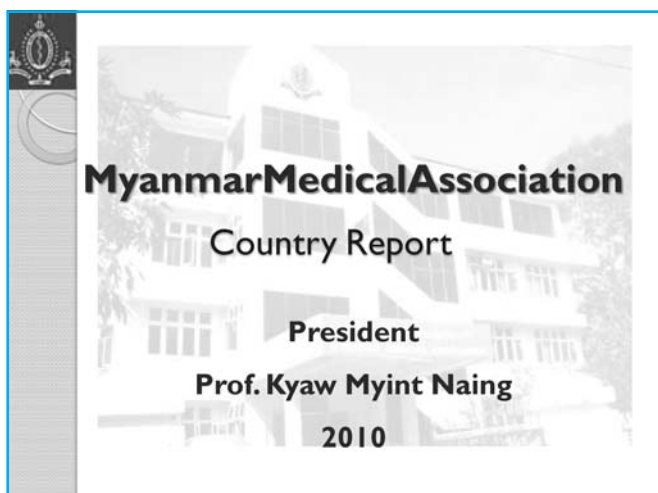


MYANMAR MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

Kyaw Myint NAING*¹



MYANMAR

AREA

676,578 square kilometers
2200 kilometers from North to South
925 kilometers from East to West

Population = 59 million
Population growth rate --- 1.75



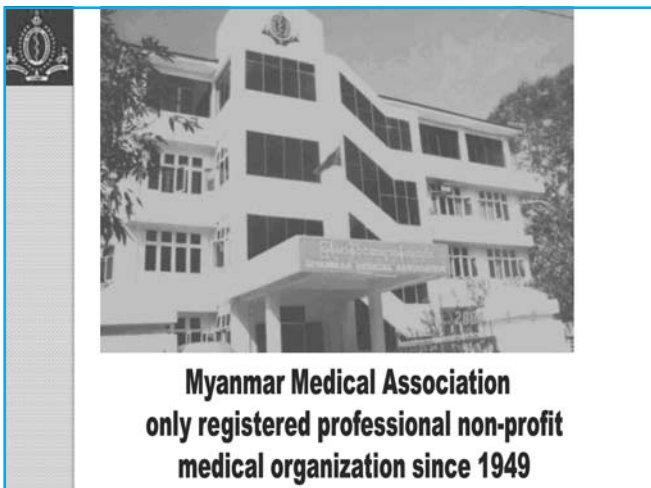
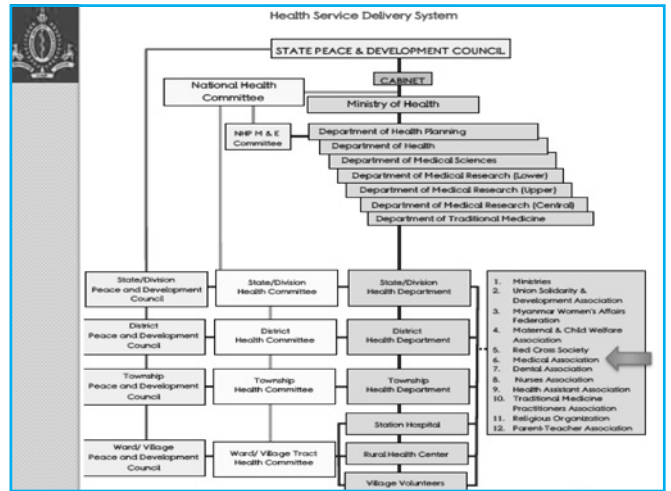
Number of Doctors

Total number of doctors --- 23709 (2008-2009)

• 30,000 in 2010

- Public (in-service) --- 11158 (2009 – 2010)
- Co-operative and private --- 14858 (2009 – 2010)

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Vision

- To be instrumental in promoting the health of the people by enhancing the professionalism of the members

Mission

- Working together, sharing responsibility and experiences with strong commitment towards quality health care

Motto

“ Good Doctors for Quality Service”



Executive committee of MyMA

- Founded since 1949
- Our 28th President, Prof. Kyaw Myint Naing, is also the Chairman of the Myanmar Medical Council

Capacity Development

- Organization Development Program was initiated last year
- New MyMA building (Headquarters) is now under construction in Nay Pyi Taw
- New MyMA branch buildings have been constructed in three states and regions

Legal Framework of MyMA

- New constitution, by-laws and regulations, was successfully revised in 2009 May including organizational policy and legal protection
- One legal advisor was provided
- Ongoing process for ways and means of medical protection mechanism for member doctors
- Mechanism of ensuring members’ rights and responsibilities

Organizational Attitude

- Non-political, non-governmental, non-profit, independent registered medical professional organization
- Stands for professional integrity and loyalty
- To help and serve our people to the utmost

CME

- Annual scientific conferences by Central MyMA
- Annual scientific conferences by major township Medical Associations
- Biennial scientific conferences by specialist societies
- Mid-term scientific conferences by some societies
- Seminars on specific subjects by respective societies
- Advanced refresher courses for junior specialists
- Regular CME courses for GPs

MyMA involvement in MDGs

- To reduce the maternal and child mortality
- Activities
 1. Reproductive health projects
 2. HIV/AIDS projects in maternal and child health
 3. Obstetric and Pediatric emergency trainings for community doctors
- Role in private sector development (e.g. PPM policy)

MyMA involvement in 3diseases

- Malaria projects – QDSTM
- MyMA TB DOTS project
- Reproductive health project including HIV/AIDS
- Collaborated with 3D funds, WHO, UNFPA

Hands-on skill trainingcourses

- Basic surgical skill courses
- Primary trauma care courses by central MyMA in collaboration with Royal Australasian College of Surgeons and PTC foundation
- Imaging courses
- ECG courses

Human resource development

- CPD program for new generation doctors with training allocation and mobilization
- Youth training program
 - Basic ARH training
 - TOT for basic health education
 - Leadership
 - Capacity building
 - Training aids development
 - Peer Education program
 - HIV/AIDS knowledge fair

Social activities

- Women section
- Buddhist section
- Support Group for Elderly Doctors-SGED
- Sport and Recreation section
- Doctor-writer section
- Healthcare volunteer group



Future Interest

- Healthcare financing- (e.g. Health insurance)
- Primary trauma care service leading to pre-hospital care system
- Compulsory CME towards Accreditation Program

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