# **STRATEGY 2011-2013**



To reduce the significant health. social and economic burden of viral hepatitis in the Asia Pacific region

# Mission

# Goals

- Advocate and support initiatives aiming to prevent transmission and increase access to healthcare and support for all people living with viral hepatitis
- Promote greater public awareness about viral hepatitis
- Develop strong viral hepatitis policies and national strategies across Asia Pacific

# **Advocacy**

### Build an independent, multi-disciplinary organisation, anchored in the Asia Pacific region, while maintaining cohesion with and relevance to local and global needs and activities

- · Develop tools to support advocacy initiatives within the region
- · Promote policy solutions to relevant decision-makers based on sound research
- · Support regional members with tools to assist their advocacy efforts locally

# **Education & Capacity Building**

Develop partnerships with policymakers, the affected community and other stakeholders to raise awareness of the health, social and economic impacts of viral hepatitis



- · Build an active presence on World Hepatitis Day 28 July annually
- Develop physician education initiatives with special focus on delivery in resource-poor settings
- Pursue partnerships and collaborations to coordinate actions, share information and build local capacity

# **Policy Development**

Develop research to identify gaps, barriers and policy solutions to increase access to medical care and service delivery in viral hepatitis



- · Conduct regional audit to identify barriers to diagnosis, treatment and care
- · Identify policy gaps and develop research projects to resolve them
- · Examine feasibility of low-cost point-of-care testing with a view to developing pilot model for diagnosis and treatment

**Priorities and Activities** 

<u>Strategies</u>

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