# APEC Health Financing Forum

**Enhancing Innovative Healthcare Financing in Pursuit of Sustainable Healthcare**

**Date 6 September 2022 | Hybrid 9 am – 2 pm MYT**

**Marriott Putrajaya, Malaysia**

## AGENDA

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| 08:00 – 08:55 | Registration and arrival  
(coffee, tea, breakfast to be provided) |
| **1. Setting the stage and Introduction to APEC** |                                    |
| 9:00 am – 9:05 am | Introduction by Master of Ceremony: Ms Tee Shiao Eek |
| 9:05 am - 9:25 am | Opening Address by Guest of Honour  
YB. Khairy Jamaluddin, Minister of Health Malaysia |
| 9.25 am – 9.35 am | In 2015 APEC Leaders called for work to address the fiscal and economic impacts of ill-health. Since then, APEC has developed multiple studies and policy tools examining the magnitude of the issue as well as possible solutions. This session will highlight some of the challenges in terms of the burden of disease and the impact on productivity as well as opportunities for additional collaborations and partnerships that have been identified through the health financing work in APEC including blended finance, digital and insurtech solutions, together with other solutions.  
**Speaker:** Ryan MacFarlane, Asia-Pacific Financial Forum initiative on Health Financing |
| **2. Introduction to Malaysia’s current healthcare system** |                                    |
| 9.35 am – 10.35 am | This session will provide a brief introduction to Malaysia’s current healthcare system  
**Moderator:** Dr June Choon, Health Economics & Outcomes Research (HEoR)  
**Speakers:**  
- Prof. Dato’ Dr. Syed Mohamed Aljunid, Professor, Health Policy and Management, Faculty of Public Health, Kuwait University |
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| 10.50 am – 11.30 am | **3. Opportunities for Private Insurance**                              | **Dr Khor Swee Kheng**, Assistant Professor, Saw Swee Hock School of Public Health, National University of Singapore & Chief Executive Officer, Angsana Health  
**Dr Murallitharan M.**, Medical Director, National Cancer Society of Malaysia |
| 11.30 – 12.30 pm | **Health Financing – What are the options?**                           | **Moderator: Azrul Khalid**, Galen Centre for Health and Social Policy  
**Ms. Sejal Mistry**, Regional Director, Southeast Asia, ACCESS Health International  
**Mr. Mark O’Dell**, Chief Executive Officer, Life Insurance Association Malaysia |
| 12.30 – 1.00 pm | **4: Summary and Next Steps**                                           | **Professor Jomo Kwame Sundaram**, Research Advisor, Khazanah Research Institute  
**Dr Kuljit Singh**, President, Association of Private Hospitals Malaysia  
**Dr Chua Hong Teck**, Public Policy & Government Affairs Advisor |
| 1.00 pm – 2.00 pm | Lunch                                                                  |                                                                              |