



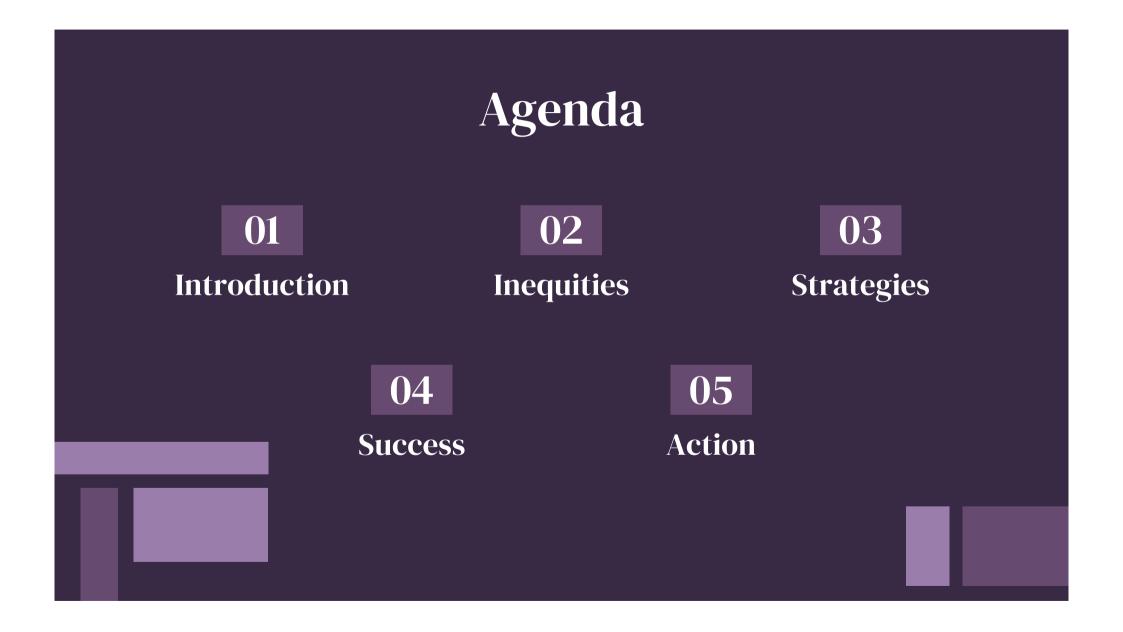
#### Safe Hands, Bright Futures

Prioritizing Pediatric Anesthesia Safety on a Global Scale

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"In the end, we will remember not the words of our enemies, but the silence of our friends." — Martin Luther King Jr





## Introduction





# 5 billions, No access

- Critical needs to be changed...
- Leads to unnecessary deaths and disabilities...

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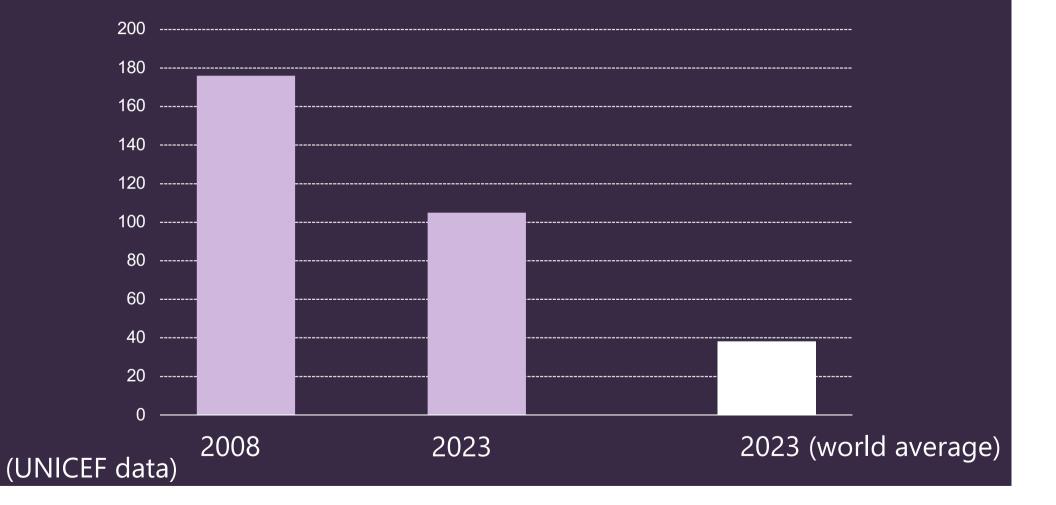
#### Provincial hospital, Cambodia, 2010



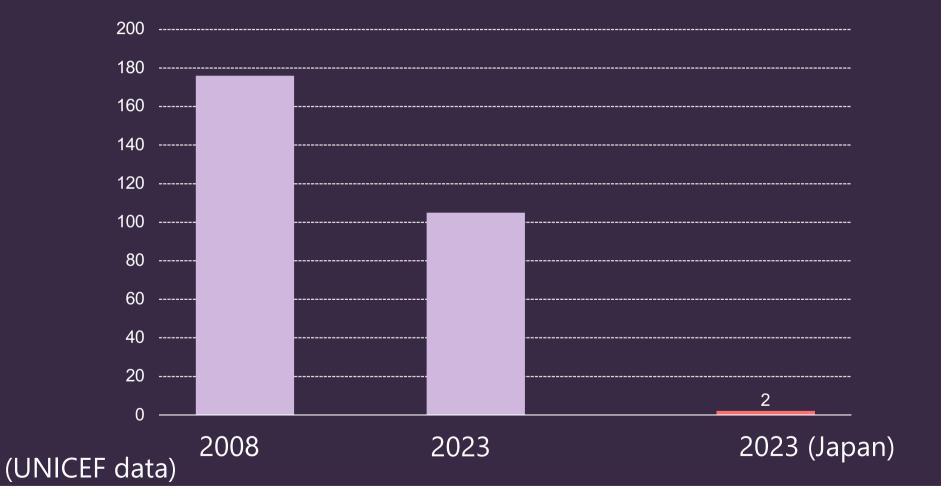




#### Under 5 years mortality rate (per 1000 live birth) in Sierra Leone



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# Safe Anesthesia is a Key...

- Improve patient outcome and health care quality...

- Essential lifeline to be prioritized...



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# Inequities

- to take steps to equitable future...





Siddhartha Children Hospital, Butwal, Nepal, 2003

### Inequities

#### Access

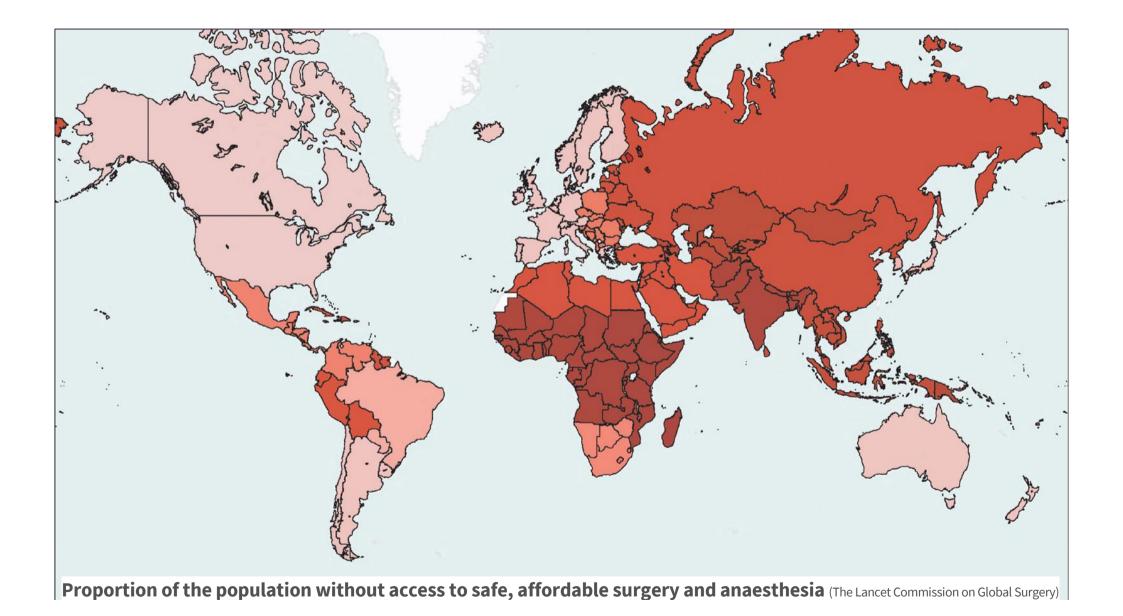


Safety



### Workforce

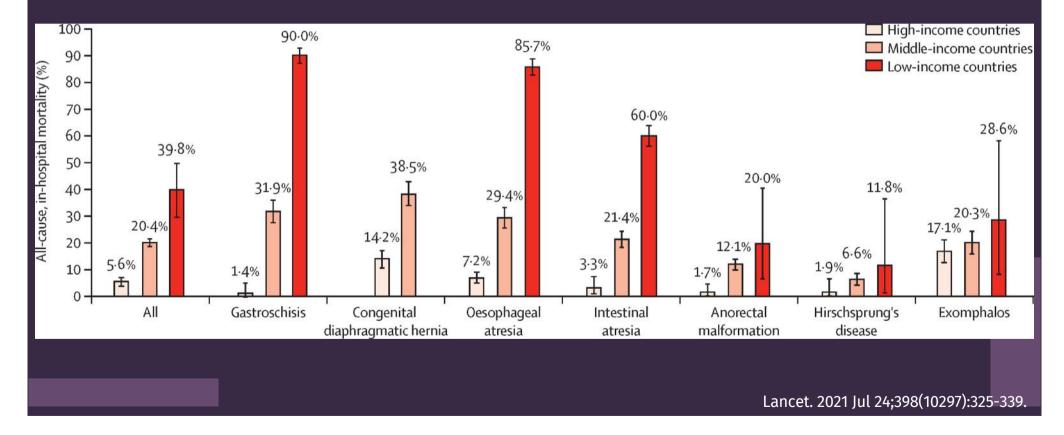




#### Disparities in outcome of common pediatric surgical diseases

- die from diseases that would not be fatal...

- Urgent need for improving access...



### Inequities

#### Access



Safety

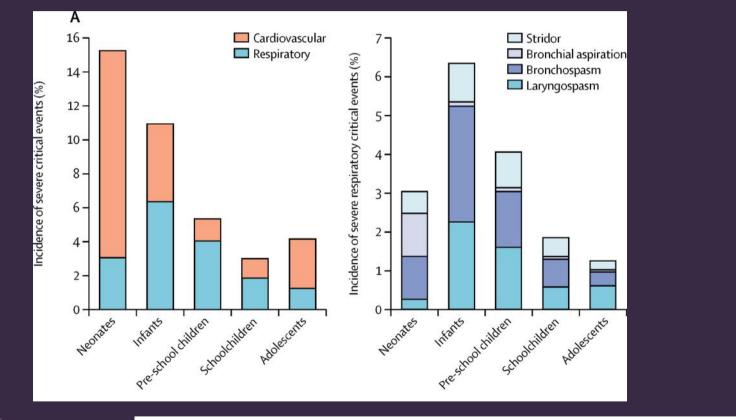


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#### Higher Anesthesia Risks for Younger Children

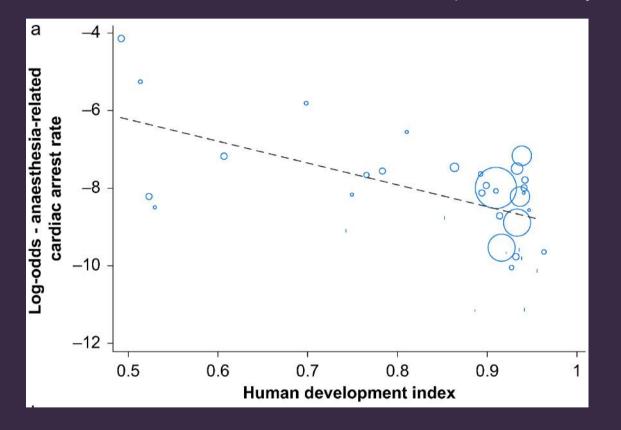
- Need of well-trained anesthetists for younger patients...



Incidence of severe critical events in paediatric anaesthesia (APRICOT): a prospective multicentre observational study in 261 hospitals in Europe. Lancet Respir Med. 2017 May;5(5):412-425.

#### Higher Pediatric anesthesia risk in LMICs

- disparities in safety between HIC and LMICs



BJA, 131:901-3, 2023

### Inequities

#### Access



Safety

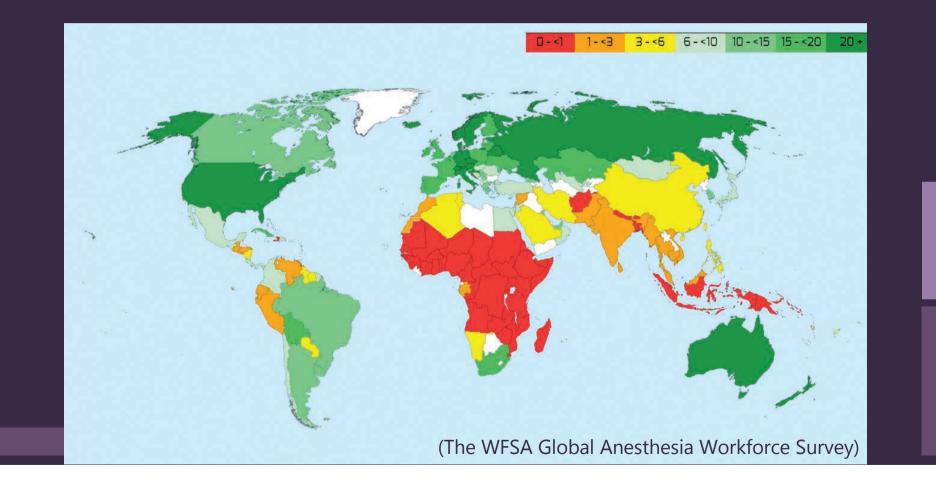


### Workforce



#### Global distribution of physician anesthesia providers

- disparities in densities between HIC and LMICs



### Inequities

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Safety



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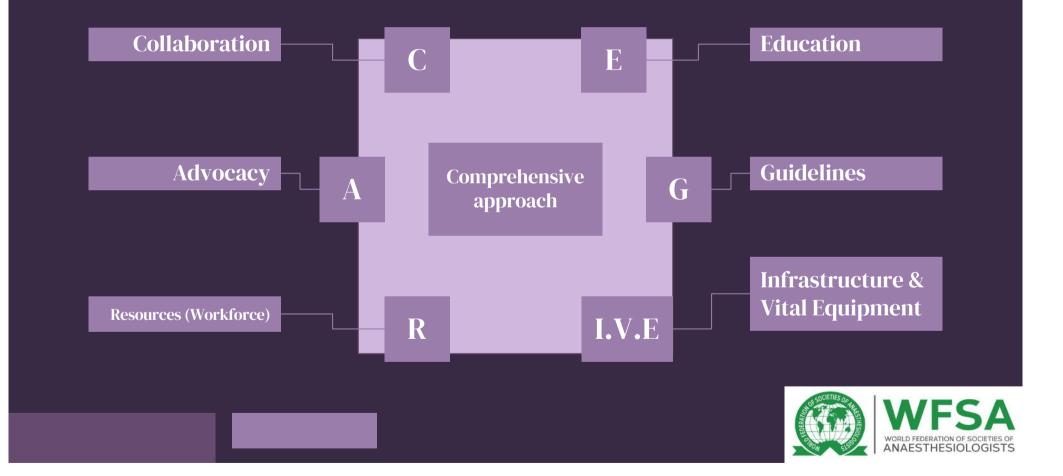


# Strategies

- to address inequities...
- to change the world...



# Strategies | C.A.R.E.G.I.V.E.



#### The World Federation of Societies of Anaesthesiologists



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### **Education and Training**

- Short-subspeciality courses: SAFE, VAST, EPM..
- Fellowship and scholars
- Education materials: UIA, ATOW, videos..



WFSA fellowship program



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#### Update in Anaesthesia Education for anaesthesia providers worldwide Volume 37 October 2023 Editors: Christina Lundgren and Victoria Howell ISSN 1353-4882 PAEDIATRICS CLINICAL REVIEW Paediatric critical care in resource-limited settings: An overview Paediatric burn injury: Key points for the anaesthesiologist Paediatric cardiogenic shock The child with severe tetanus Children with sickle cell disease: acute complications, acute pain and perioperative manageme Anaesthesia for neonatal and infant male circumcision Anaesthesia for omphalocele and gastroschisis repai Hypertrophic pyloric stenosis in infants Anaesthesia for neurosurgical procedures - Ventriculo-Peritoneal (VP) shunt and meningomyelocele repair Anaesthesia in chidiren with congential heart disease for non-cardiac surgery Anaesthesia for large Wilms' tumour (Nephroblastoma) Anaesthesia for cerebral palsy Paediatric neuraxial anaesthesia and analoesia Paediatric anaesthesia outside the operating room in children CASE REPORT Barium bronchogram following hydrostatic reduction of intussusception presentation of a rare complication and brief review of literature The Journal of the World Federation of Societies of Anaesthesiologists

Available at: https://resources.wfsahq.org/update-in-anaesthesi



Special edition on Pediatrics, 2023

# Workforce

# 2,200,000

#### Additional surgeons, anesthetists for UC

- Recruitment and retention
- Workforce survey
- Non-physician providers







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# Advocacy

- raise awareness and get more resources



Former WFSA President Dr Jannicke Mellin-Olsen presenting a statement at the 71st World Health Assembly.

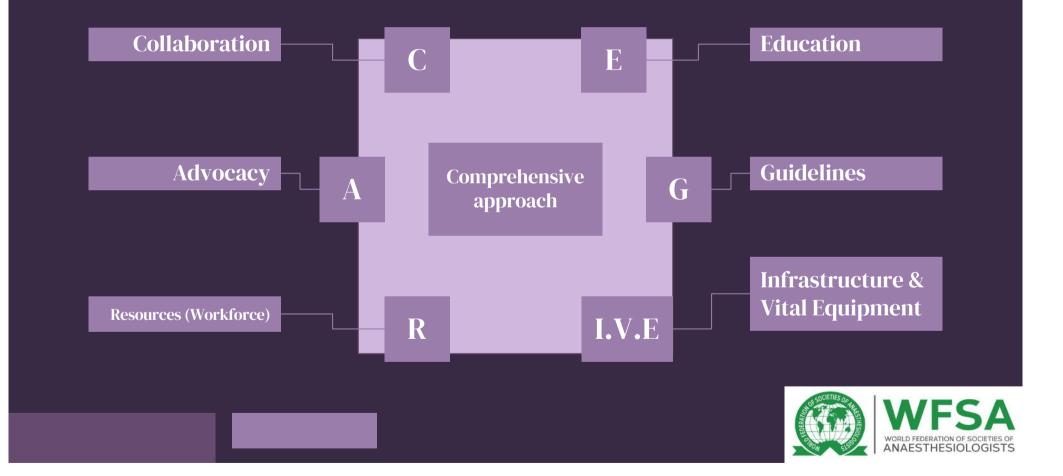


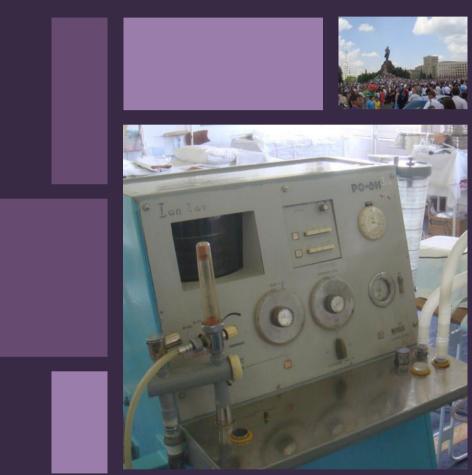
#### **Fostering Collaboration**

- share knowledge and best practices beyond border...

# Global Anaesthesia Mentoring Programme - Help to develop careers - Share professional knowledge - Build supportive networks

# Strategies | C.A.R.E.G.I.V.E.





Russian Ventilator, Kharkiv Ukraine, 2012



### Success

- My personal small stories...

#### **Toward SAFE pediatric anesthesia elsewhere**

#### Training



#### Teaching



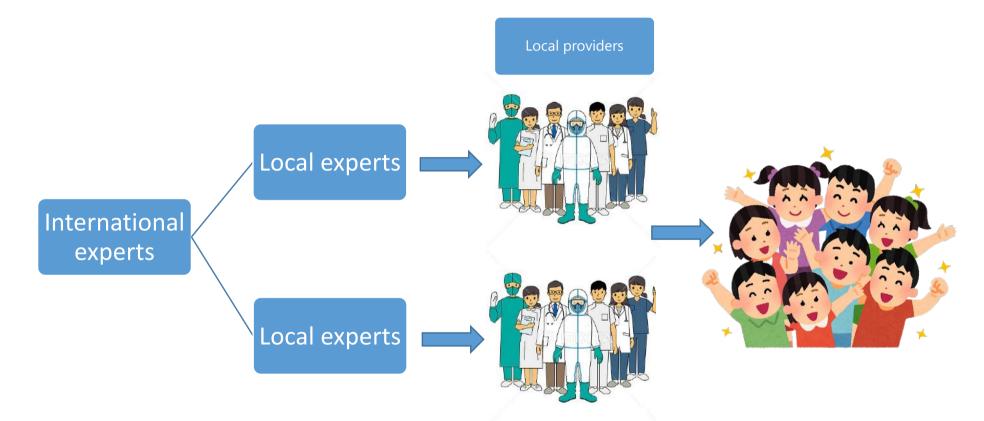
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# **On-site vs scholarship training**

	Pros	Cons
On-site	<ul> <li>✓ Tailored to local needs</li> <li>✓ Lower cost</li> <li>✓ Reach more providers</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>✓ Tutors?</li> <li>✓ Sustainable?</li> <li>✓ Educational resources?</li> </ul>
Scholarship	<ul> <li>✓ Educational resources</li> <li>✓ Cutting-edge education</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>✓ Licensure?</li> <li>✓ Different practice pattern</li> <li>✓ Costly, limited trainees</li> <li>✓ Locum ?</li> <li>✓ May not return to original place</li> </ul>

# "Teach one, Reach many"

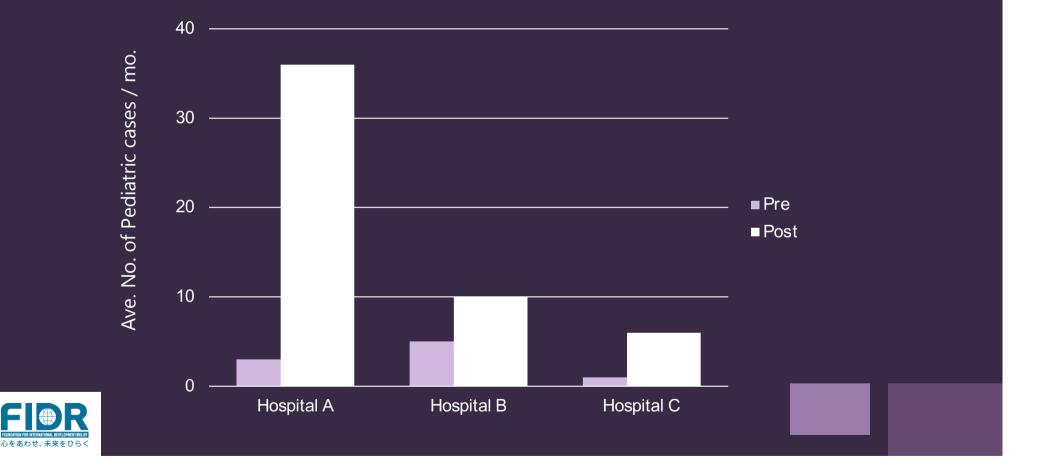


Local pediatric experts as a leadership role



Pediatric anesthesia training for anesthesia nurses from province hospitals National Pediatric Hospital, Phnom Penh, Cambodia, 2011

# "Teach one, Reach many" model in Cambodia





- Learning Cutting-Edge Pediatric Anesthesia

South Sudan

Vietnam

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Malaysia

Thai

# **Toward SAFE pediatric anesthesia elsewhere**

## Training



## Teaching



### Collaboration



# SAFE pediatric anesthesia course

SAFE Paediatric Course: 3-day programme overview Each module = 4 breakout sessions (4 x 25 minutes) Fach lecture = 15-20 minutes

	Module		Breakout	sessions	
	would	Α	b	с	d
DAY 1			Pre-course testing	7	
		LECTURE: Introd	uction to the SAFE	Paediatric Course	
		LECTURE: Over	rview: The child is	not a small adult	
	1. Basic principles (Part 1)	Pre-operative assessment	Basic calculations and normal ranges	Pre-operative fasting	Maintenance fluids
	2. Basic principles (Part 2)	The paediatric airway – basic principles	The paediatric airway – advanced	Anaesthetic plan: induction and maintenance	Extubation
	3. Basic principles (Part 3)	Pain assessment ar children	nd management in	Local anaesthetic blocks	Handover and recovery
DAY 2		LECTURE: S	Safety in paediatric	anaesthesia	
	4. Special conditions (Part 1)	ENT surgery	Cleft lip and palate surgery	Eye surgery	Inhaled foreign body
	5. Special conditions (Part 2)	Sickle cell disease or the malnourished child	Airway emergencies	Seizures	Congenital cardiac disease
		LECTURE: Recogn	nition and assessm	ent of the sick child	I
	6. Resuscitation	Resuscitation		Intraosseous access	Recognition of the sick child
	7. The sick laparotomy	Pre-operative pl	Sick laparotomy: ty anning / induction / i	phoid perforation ntra-operative / post	operative care
DAY 3		LECTURE: Trauma	a in children + dem	onstration scenario	
	8. Trauma	Trauma assessment	Assessment of blood loss	Head injury in children	Transfer
	9. Burns	Burns assessment	Burns size estimation and fluid resuscitation	Dressing changes/sedation	Difficult airway
			LECTURE: Neonate	is	
	10. Neonates	Newborn resuscitati	ion and care	Imperforate anus	Pyloric stenosis
			Post-course testin	g	
			CLOSE		

SAFE Paediatric Anaesthesia Course Facilitator Manual Date of last review: September 2017 Date of publication: September 2017

## Interactive, practical

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#### >8000 providers, >50 countries

	Resuscitation	Resuscitation		access	the sick child
	7. The sick laparotomy	Sick laparotomy: typhoid perforation Pre-operative planning / induction / intra-operative / postoperative care			
DAY 3	LECTURE: Trauma in children + demonstration scenario				
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## **Train the Trainers**



Safer Anaesthesia From Education







#### Faculties

- Faculty leaders
  - Lowri Bowen (UK, SAFE steering committee)
  - > Nori Kuratani (Japan, WFSA pediatric chair)
  - > Tep Sokha (Cambodia, SCARMU)
- UK:4, Japan:4, Cambodia:5

#### SAFE pediatric course

- 2 days course
- 5 lectures, 19 modules
- 26 local providers trained

#### Train the Trainer

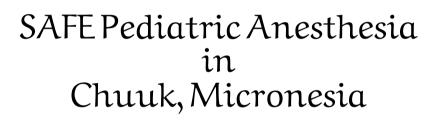
- 1 day course
- 10 new trainers







Nov. 12-17, 2023



Micronesia Anesthesia Refresher Course







# **Toward SAFE pediatric anesthesia elsewhere**

## Training



## Teaching



### Collaboration



## **Collaboration with international communities**

ASPA









# Action

- You can contribute to change...

## How You Can Improve Global Pediatric Anesthesia Safety?





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