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Formation of the National Health Committee (NHC)

1. The National Health Committee was formed by the following representatives of the Ministry of Health of the National Unity Government (NUG) of Myanmar and Ethnic Health Organizations (EHOs) on 5 August 2021, following the National Health Conference, which was convened by the NUG and EHOs on 2 – 5 August 2021.

1	Dr. Cynthia Maung	Consultant
2	Dr. Myint Cho	Consultant
3	Dr. Salai Par Cin	Consultant
4	Dr. Thein Win	Consultant
5	Dr. Naing Shwe Thein	Consultant
6	Dr. San Aung	Consultant
7	Dr. Nyunt Naing Thein	Consultant
8	Dr. Aung Kay Tu	Consultant
9	Dr Khin Saw Win	Consultant
10	Sai Hlian	Consultant
1	Padoh Mahn Mahn	Chair
2	Dr. Zaw Wai Soe	Vice-Chair (1)
3	Khu Plureh	Vice-Chair (2)
4	Dr. Oakar	Secretary
5	Saw Nay Htoo	Joint Secretary (1)
6	Nan Snow	Joint Secretary (2)

7	Dr. Khin Maung Lwin	Member
8	Khun Myint Tun	Member
9	Lway Katae Nyime	Member
10	Saw Thar Win	Member
11	Dr. Shwe Pone	Member
12	Naing Aye Lwin	Member
13	Naing Banyar	Member
14	Jessica	Member
15	Salai Biak Pum	Member
16	Khoon Phillip	Member
17	Moe Tae	Member
18	Rakhine Representative	Member
19	SHC Representative	Member
20	KPICT Representative	Member
21	Community Based Health Workers (3 Representatives)	Member

Notes: The Composition will be expanded as required.

- 2. The objectives of the National Health Committee (NHC) are:
 - (a) To formulate a national health policy of the future federal union;
 - (b) To collaborate implementation health programmes and projects of ethnic areas/states of the Union;
 - (c) To cooperate with the international organizations; and
 - (d) To prepare for possible dire situations caused by various crises, including infectious diseases and natural disasters, and respond promptly and effectively

3. Ways forward -

- (a) To carry out the Health System Development based on the Federal Health Policy
- (b) To Strengthen the Health Information System
- (c) To build a well-coordinated communication mechanism with the International Partners
- (d) To accelerate the medical trainings and develop the necessary curriculums

(e) To endorse effective strategies for control and mitigation of the COVID-19 Pandemic National Health Committee is committed to work collaboratively with all stakeholders to implement Federal Health Policy to achieve the ultimate goal of Universal Health Coverage.

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