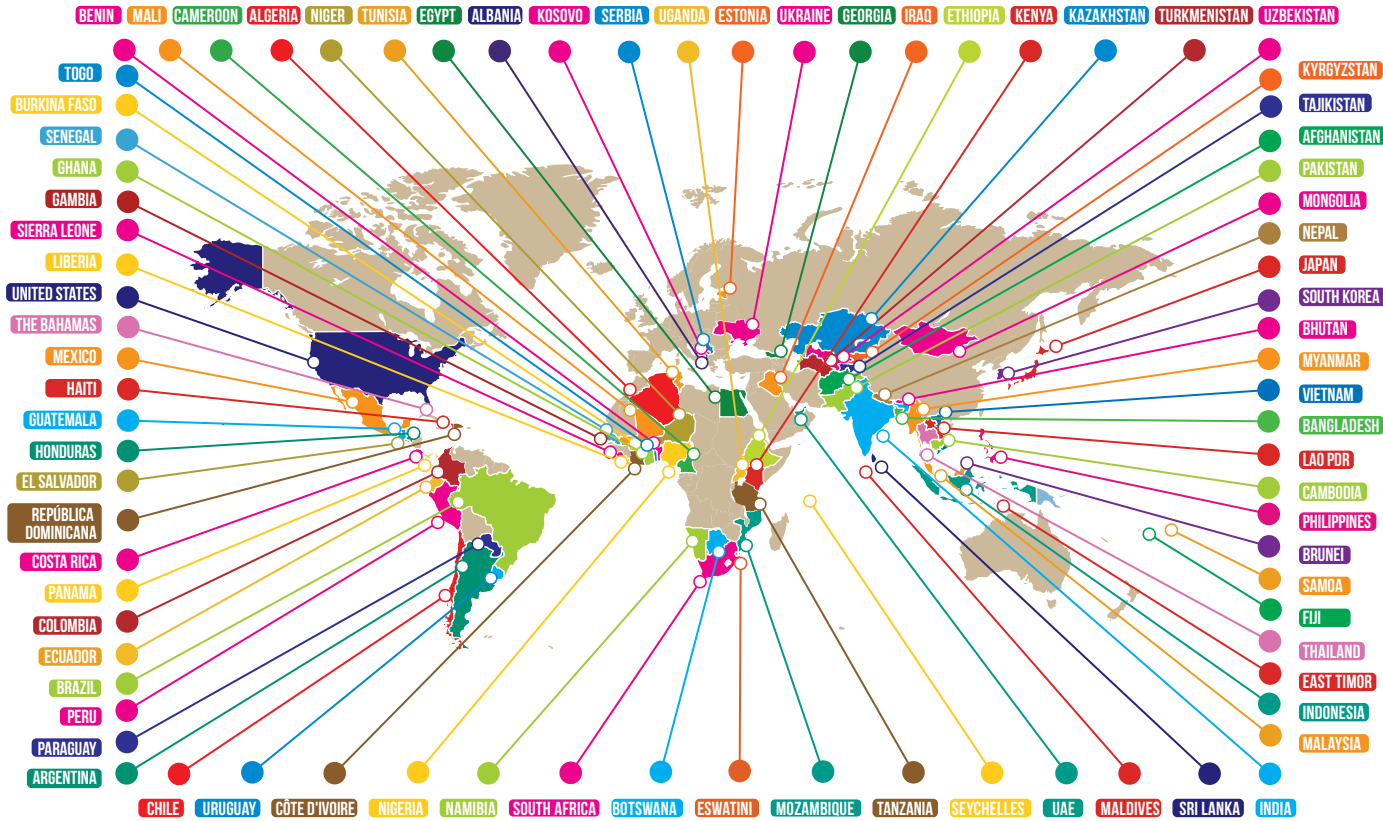


CPDAP'S PRESENCE AROUND THE GLOBE



DAP'S INITIATIVES ENSURE A HOLISTIC APPROACH TO CONQUERING DRUG-RELATED PROBLEMS BY:

- ◆ Developing effective prevention programmes.
- ◆ Engaging youth, and public participation in drug demand reduction.
- ◆ Improving access to treatment and rehabilitation.
- ◆ Providing treatment services for children.
- ◆ Rendering expert advisory service.
- ◆ Training for the drug demand and supply reduction workforce.
- ◆ Providing information in relation to detection of toxic adulterants, and prevent diversion and illicit drug use that are harmful to health.

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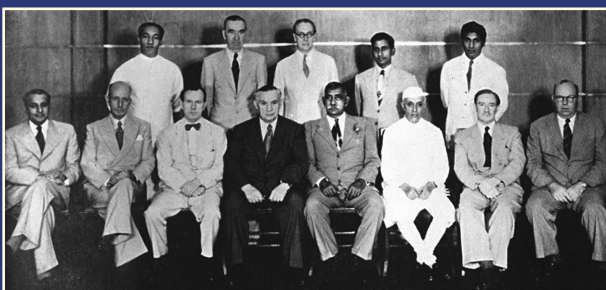


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The Colombo Plan for Cooperative Economic and Social Development in Asia and the Pacific was instituted in 1951 as a regional intergovernmental organisation consisting of 28 member countries. The Colombo Plan is operated on the partnership concept of self-help and mutual help, with overarching goal of enhancing human resource development and fostering south-south cooperation. Colombo Plan's areas of expertise include substance use disorder (SUD) prevention, treatment, and recovery, credentialing of professionalization of drug demand reduction workforce, gender empowerment and child protection. Currently, the Colombo Plan has five active programmes: Drug Advisory Programme, Maritime Advisory Programme - Capacity Building Ports Project, Gender Affairs Programme, Capacity Building Programme, and Programme for Environment and Climate Change.



The Colombo Plan Monument in Colombo, Sri Lanka



The Founding Fathers of The Colombo Plan



Drug Advisory Programme

Set up in 1973, the Drug Advisory Programme (CPDAP) is Colombo Plan's flagship programme, as well as one of the longest running initiatives in the global drug demand and supply reduction landscape.

CPDAP interventions encompass curriculum development and dissemination on the universal prevention, treatment and other specialised curricula, provision of technical assistance and professionalising the drug demand reduction workforce. CPDAP currently works in Asia, Africa and Latin America, covering 80 countries. Since 2020, a total of 3050 individuals from 74 countries have been beneficiaries through DAP training programmes.

CPDAP's most in-demand curricula are: the Universal Prevention Curriculum for Substance Use for Managers and Supervisors (UPC-M&S) and Practitioners (UPC-P) designed to educate substance use prevention professionals on the science, knowledge, skills, and competencies associated with the implementation of evidence-based prevention interventions in various settings such as family, school, workplace and community; and the Universal Treatment Curriculum for Substance Use Disorders (UTC) focuses on current evidence-based practices in the delivery of treatment services. DAP's specialised UTC curricula include:

1. Child Intervention for Living Drug Free Curriculum (CHILD): the CHILD curriculum supports the provision of age-appropriate treatment services for children with substance use disorders.
2. Intersection of Substance Use and Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity (SOGI): SOGI is designed to provide skills in delivering culturally responsive prevention and treatment services for LGBTQ populations.
3. Women Interventions for Substance Exposure Curriculum (WISE): the WISE addresses existing gaps in training for treatment providers working with women.

4. Drug Treatment Alternatives to Incarceration Curriculum (ATI): ATI is intended for individuals working in the criminal justice system.

CPDAP's Universal Recovery Curriculum (URC) equips participants with core competencies and skills to work as recovery support professionals. The URC curricula consists of two stand-alone courses: the Recovery Allies (Allies Link and Lend Inventive Engaging Support) Model and the PEER (Peer Experiences Empower Recovery) Model.



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CPDAP in cooperation with Colombo Plan member countries, national drug focal points and education/training providers, facilitates the widespread dissemination of its curricula. UPC, UTC including specialized curricula, and URC undergo a rigorous development process, ensuring that they stand as premier evidence-based curricula available to countries all over the world to fight against increasing numbers of substance users and substance related issues which threaten the health, safety, and stability of communities. The trainings programs encompassing in-person and online modes, reflect DAP's commitment to flexibility and inclusivity. DAP has also initiated conversion of trainer-led and self-paced dissemination training onto virtual platforms which allows access to curricula from every corner of the globe, reaching regions and countries.

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