**Scope of Work for APAC CVD Alliance White Paper**

**Project objective:** To develop a detailed understanding on the overall policy landscape for cardiovascular diseases (CVDs) care and prevention, identifying gaps in policy and program implementation in Japan and other Asia Pacific countries. Understanding these policy and implementation gaps will serve to elevate public awareness of the growing CVD burden, support evidence-based policymaking, and encourage unified, multi-sectoral action for heart health in the Asia Pacific.

**Timelines:**

Interviews on country CVD program & policy gaps: June 29, 2023– July 20, 2023

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| **Scope: Interview on CVD policy landscape in Japan for APAC CVD Alliance** | |
| **Tasks** | **Estimated hours** |
| **Analysis on policy gaps**  **Total of two interviews:** Conduct interviews with one patient group and one cardiologist to understand gaps in   * Health promotion and prevention strategies targeting prevailing risk factors (i.e., physical activity, diet, smoking) and promoting CVD awareness * Screening and diagnostic capacity, which encompasses population-screening programs and types of diagnostic tests available * Management and treatment of current CVD patients in acute care facilities, rehabilitation programs, and availability of essential medicines * System readiness for CVDs, including national registries, clinical guidelines across healthcare setting, integrated care delivery, work force planning, health financing, and supply chain resilience   Note: Guiding questions will be provided, for interviewer to use to probe into the above areas further.  **Deliverable: Interview transcript in English and interview insights summary.** | 8 |

**Compensation and payment milestones**

The total fee of USD 1,500 will be paid to the service provider upon completion of the deliverables and by providing an invoice to [rajvi.mehta@accessh.org](mailto:rajvi.mehta@accessh.org).

The payment shall be made from the parent Entity ACCESS Health International, INC from the dedicated account kept for ACCESS Health International Southeast Asia Ltd JP Morgan Bank USA

**Term**

This engagement shall commence upon execution of this Agreement. The Agreement shall continue in full force and is effect from **June 29, 2023** to **July 28, 2023**.