

Human resources for health development and the renewal of primary health care

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Human resources for health – recent developments

- WHA resolution, 2004
- Joint Learning Initiative (JLI) report, 2005
- World Health Day & World Health Report, 2006
- WHA resolution, 2006
- Launch of Global Health Workforce Alliance (GHWA), 2006
- Global Forum & Declaration, Kampala, March 2008
- Call from G8 Summit, Toyako, July 2008
- Draft code on international recruitment: public hearings, September 2008
- WHO-OECD Dialogue, Geneva, 20-21 October 2008

Renewing PHC through four areas of reform



Human Resources for Health and PHC renewal: three main ways of working

1. Providing advice to countries through the development of evidence based norms, guidelines and tools.
2. Supporting countries and regions in implementing programmes and policies aimed at health workforce development.
3. Working with other parts of the global health community.

WHO-OECD Dialogue - three core objectives

1. Strengthen international collaboration on international health worker migration, including the establishment of mechanisms for monitoring flows and stocks of health professional migrants.
2. Identify policy options that Member States could adopt.
3. Identify priority areas for future research at the international level.

Thank you

