## Myanmar

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Total population</th>
<th>Estimated dementia prevalence in GBD region</th>
<th>5.8%</th>
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<td>% population over the age of 60</td>
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<td>WHO region</td>
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<td>World Bank income group</td>
<td>Lower-middle-income</td>
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<td>Ministry with responsibility for dementia</td>
<td>None</td>
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<td>Neurologists (per 100K population)</td>
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<td>Psycho-Geriatricians (per 100K population)</td>
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<td>Availability of dementia NGO</td>
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### Implementing dementia actions: current status

#### Action Area: Dementia as a public health priority
- Existence of a dementia representative within the ministry: Yes
- Existence of stand-alone or integrated dementia plan*: No
- Dedicated financial resources to implement the dementia plan: N/A
- Existence of legislation pertaining to the rights of people with dementia: No
- Existence of government approved guidelines and standards for dementia care/support: No

#### Action Area: Dementia awareness & friendliness
- Existence of a public awareness-raising campaign for dementia (stigma and risk reduction)*: Yes
- Existence of dementia-friendly social and physical environments*: No
- Existence of dementia education/training for non-health care population groups*: No

#### Action Area: Dementia risk reduction
- Dementia risk reduction specifically mentioned in policies (either dementia-specific or NCD): No
- Available guidance for health and social care staff to manage dementia risk: Yes
- Voluntary targets outlined in the NCD action plan * have been reached *: available in 2019

#### Action Area: Dementia diagnosis, treatment, care and support
- Diagnostic rate for dementia *: 0%
- Availability of community-based services for dementia: No
- Overall access to community-based services: N/A
- Available mechanisms for dementia care coordination across sectors: No
- Basic dementia competencies included in curricula for health/social workforce (§): Some

#### Action Area: Support for carers of people with dementia
- Existence of dementia carer support services*: No
- Available guidance for health/social care staff to identify and reduce carer stress: No
- Existence of financial benefits/social protection for dementia carers: N/A

#### Action Area: Health information systems for dementia
- Number of people with dementia is routinely monitored: No
- Availability and scope of dementia reporting: Not for policy, planning or management purposes in the last two years

#### Action Area: Dementia research and innovation
- Existence of stand-alone or integrated research agenda for dementia: No
- Government research investment per year (in local currency): 0.00
- Dementia research output (measured in publications in Medline) in 2016*: 0
- Involvement of people with dementia in the research process *: Not at all
- Availability of investigational pharmacological trials for dementia: No

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Global Action Plan for the Prevention and Control of Noncommunicable Diseases 2013-2020; §: included for none / some / most / all; *: not at all / rarely / sometimes / frequently

Information will be updated in 2019