

Report of Kusatsu Seminar 2016: IPE Training Course
Activity 5 of Gunma University Centre for Research and Training on Interprofessional
Education (WHO Collaborating Centre)

Purpose: To promote and support the development of IPE that can be adapted to fit various educational and social environments

Date: August 21- August 27, 2016

Venue: Kusatsu Seminar House, Kusatsu, Gunma, Japan

Joint activities:

- Domestic IPE Training Course for academic staff and practitioners

Participants (46 in total):

- Seven faculty members from abroad:
 - Three from Indonesia, two from Mongolia, One from Lao PDR, and three from Korea
- 8 faculty members from six Japanese universities
- 3 members from JIPWEN universities
- 26 participants from Gunma University
 - 18 staff members of WHO CC
 - One faculty member
 - One graduate student
 - Six undergraduate students

Outlines of the Training Course:

The training course started by several lectures on overview, current state and future agenda of IPE and Japanese health system, followed by presentations demonstrating IPE programs of Gunma University, Sapporo Medical University and Showa University (JIPWEN universities). Then joint conference for general discussion was held among all participants. On 24th August, participants presented their lessons learned. Mr. Il Bong Moon from Gwangju Health University won the election selecting an excellent presentator and was invited to the 37th KUSATSU INTERNATIONAL SUMMER MUSIC ACADEMY & FESTIVAL concert “Wind Instrument Ensemble/ Dvorak” at Kusatsu Concert Hall. Participants had a chance to be exposed to collaborative practice implemented in Gunma Rehabilitation Hospital and Gunma

University Hospital.

In summary, participants enjoyed to be familiar with each other. Most of them expressed their willingness to initiate or develop their unique IPE program in line with the Toolkit, and upload their progress on their website.

Organizer:

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Participants with lecturers in front