

AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH OF THE REPUBLIC OF LATVIA
AND
THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH OF THE REPUBLIC OF KYRGYZSTAN
ON
COOPERATION IN THE FIELD OF HEALTH AND MEDICAL SCIENCES

The Ministry of Health of the Republic of Latvia and the Ministry of Health of Republic of Kyrgyzstan, hereinafter named “the Parties”,

wishing to develop bilateral cooperation in the field of health and medical sciences,

recognizing the role of cooperation for improving the health of population,

following the principles of international law,

have agreed as follows:

Article 1

The Parties shall cooperate in the field of health and medical sciences, following the principles of equality and mutual benefit, in accordance with national legislation of states of the Parties.

Article 2

The Parties shall develop mutually beneficial cooperation in the following areas:

- 1) health services organisation (creation of market of medical services, development of primary health care and specialized medical services, implementation of new medical technologies, assistance and mutual cooperation in the case of danger of spreading diseases);
- 2) development and implementation of joint projects on priority topics and issues for both states in the field of health and medical sciences;
- 3) training and retraining of research and educational personnel on the basis of mutually agreed qualification requirements;
- 4) registration and certification of medical products and medical devices;
- 5) registration and quality control of medicines;

- 6) procurement of medicines, medical products and medical devices;
- 7) development of fundamental scientific and applied research in experimental, clinical and preventive medicine according the needs of the population health protection;
- 8) economics of health care and medical science;
- 9) management of information technologies within health system, including implementation of e-health solutions;
- 10) coordination in the area of control of spreading communicable diseases.

Provisions of this Agreement shall not affect the obligations of the Parties arising from international agreements to which States are parties.

Article 3

The Parties shall implement Article 2 of this Agreement by means of mutual consultations, exchange of specialists and information, organisation of symposiums and conferences, publication of monographs and articles, as well as other ways of cooperation as mutually agreed.

Article 4

The Parties shall encourage direct relations between health educational institutions, health scientific institutions, health care facilities and other health system related public organisations of states of the Parties.

Article 5

The Parties shall promote exchange of information on congresses, conferences, exhibitions and other events in the field of health and medical sciences organized on the territories of their respective countries.

Article 6

The expenditures related to the fulfilment of this Agreement provisions shall be covered by each Party in the limits of the available financial resources provided for in the respective field. The expenditures shall be agreed by the Parties on case by case basis.

Article 7

The alterations and amendments to this Agreement shall be made by the mutual consent of the Parties through the protocols, which are an integral part of this Agreement.

Article 8

Any disputes regarding the interpretation or application of this Agreement shall be resolved by consultations and negotiations between the Parties.

Article 9

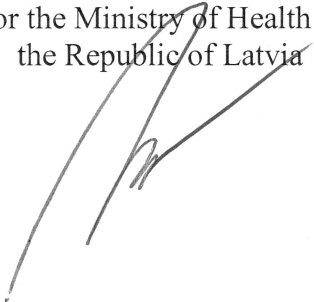
This Agreement shall enter into force on the date of its signing and is concluded for the period of five years.

This Agreement is automatically extended for successive periods of five years, unless one of the Parties gives the other Party a written notice to terminate this Agreement six months prior to its expiration.

Done in Geneva, Swiss Confederation, on « ____ » May 2017, in two originals, in Latvian, Kyrgyz, Russian and English languages, all texts being equally authentic.

In case of divergence of interpretation, the English text shall prevail.

For the Ministry of Health of
the Republic of Latvia



For the Ministry of Health of the
Republic of Kyrgyzstan

