



NCD Surveillance: A Full Public Health Perspective for a PAHO/WHO InfoBase

Goal: To contribute to analysis and dissemination of findings to support decision making for chronic disease prevention and control.

Objectives: Collect or assemble, process and analyze on a country and subregional level:

I: NCD Policy Capacity

- Profiles of NCD policies and programs dealing with diseases, risk factors, determinants
- Capacity for epidemiological surveillance
- Civil society and private sector engagement
- Health system capacity and response

II: Vital and Epidemiological Data on

- Cardiovascular diseases
- Cancers
- Diabetes
- COPD
- Eight risk factors

III: Socioeconomic Determinants Data on

- Income
- Education
- Employment
- Ethnicity
- Gender