

HEALTH SYSTEM FINANCING

No	RESEARCH QUESTION.
1	To what extent do health services currently reach the poorest?
2	How does pressure from the pharmaceutical sector impact the allocation of financial resources available in the health system?
3	What are the most appropriate institutional, organizational, and financing options of health systems to achieve universal coverage?
4	How can public sector capacity be built for good financial management at different levels of government (district, provincial, regional, national)?
5	How can public sector capacity be built for good public policy and financial management at the (macro) health care systems and the financial management at the (micro) health care services facility levels?
6	What is the appropriate percentage of government spending relative to gross domestic product (GDP) in countries with universal health care coverage?
7	How important is that the national health policy of your country explicitly contemplated financing strategies and financial protection of the health system?
8	Which interventions can improve the management and efficient use of resources in the public health system?
9	How can additional resources for the health (systems) be mobilized, and what are the strengths and weaknesses of different mechanisms for mobilizing resources?
10	What health care services benefits should be included or excluded from coverage under social health insurance?
11	How do we develop and implement national social health insurance of universal coverage?
12	How big is the problem of corruption in health systems financing and how can this problem be addressed?
13	What are the most appropriate mechanisms to expand the coverage of public health system of your country from the point of view of fiscal and macroeconomic implications?
14	What do we know about the different options to organize and finance the national health care systems characterized as providing universal health coverage?
15	What is the distribution of the % of health spending by socioeconomic status, and what strategies can health systems use to ensure an equitable allocation of financial resources available?
16	What are the most appropriate mechanisms to ensure that public sector funding boost access to health services of the population?