

IEMAG

Minutes of meeting – Wednesday 8th April 12pm

Attendees: Philip Nolan (Chair), Ajay Oza , Alan Barrett, Alan Cahill, Ann Barbar, Breda Smyth, Brendan Murphy, Cathal Walsh, Chris Brunsdon, Conor Keegan, Conor Teljeur, David McEvoyFrancis Butler, Guy McGrath, James P Gleeson, Jim Duggan, Justin Gleeson, Maire Connolly, Máirín Ryan, Malachy Corcoran, Megan O’Driscoll, Patrick Wall, Sean Lyons, Simon More

Apologies: Alan Smith, Darina O’Flanagan, Derval Igoe

Secretariat: Rhona Gaynor, Martha Purcell, Sarah Glavey

COVID19 Data Hub/ GeoHive Progress

- CSO portal is up and running. CIDR and NOCA data are there. HIPE and SwiftQueue expected later today
- Requests for data cuts should go through OSI and Dept. Health contact points

Sub-Group Updates and Updated Actions

Working Group 1: Epidemiology Modelling

Actions:

1	Continue to refine SEIR models
2	Consider how to introduce phased reduction of restrictions into model
3	Share documents on international restrictions
4	Generate 2 epi curves: one based on data of sampling, and one based on date of sampling adjusted (testing regime)
5	Consider how to segment cohorts

Working Group 2: Demand/Supply Modelling

Actions:

1	Refine model
2	Follow up with CMO re: HSE operations client to share/ test WG2 outputs with
3	Follow up re: bed and activity data

Working Group 3: Geospatial Mapping/Modelling

Actions:

1	Continue to secure relevant data
2	Continue discussion between HIU in HSE and IEMAG
3	Specify public health requirements and decision making requirements of geospatial group – including what info an internal facing portal generated by CSO/ Geohive would include

Misc. Actions

- Draft an informal paragraph with feedback on the predictions for Ireland generated by the Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation, University of Washington
- Discuss age brackets –forward HPSC new proposal

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Data and Modelling – Intersectoral Group

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- Follow up re: population data used in GeoHive
- Share final draft of parameter work with secretariat
- All to review Terms of Engagement. These are to be considered adopted, but will be finalised at meeting on 15 April
- All to review first report to NPHE and any share suggested edits with PN
- All to review international tracker and share feedback with secretariat
- Further discuss re: nursing homes and other institutional settings
- Modellers interested in linking with the modellers in the D/Finance, to contact secretariat

Next Meeting: Wednesday, 15th April