



Republic of the Philippines

DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY



EXTENSION OF THE STAKEHOLDER CONSULTATION FOR THE PROVISIONAL HTA TOPIC PRIORITIZATION LIST 2024 - CYCLE 2 TOPICS

Upon request of our stakeholders to extend the consultation period for the **provisional** HTA Topic Prioritization List 2024 - Cycle 2 Topics which was released on 12 April 2024 (Friday), **the new duration of the stakeholder consultation is now from 12 April to 10 May 2024**. Kindly view the following advisory to see the provisional list of HTA priority topics: bit.ly/2024ProviHTAPrioList

We reiterate that appeals based on differences in the following are preferred:

- Disease severity
- Disease cost estimates
- Interpretation of the action of the HT on the disease

Appeals concerning other domains of the prioritization criteria or inclusion in the priority topics for accelerated Philippine National Formulary (PNF) and Philippine Essential Medical Device List (PEMDL) track may be considered on a case-to-case basis.

Stakeholders may request the scores of their non-prioritized topics, and appeal by accomplishing and submitting the HTA *Topic Prioritization Appeals Requirements* (access link: bit.ly/2023PrioAppealForm) to the HTA Philippines via email at htanominations@dost.gov.ph within the prescribed deadline. The requirements as specified in the access link are as follows:

Requirements		Description
1	Cover Letter	A letter addressed to the Chairperson of the HTA Council signifying an appeal to the shortlisted HTA priority topics
2	Topic Prioritization Appeals Form	The Topic Prioritization Appeals Form is composed of the following: Section 1: Appellant details and contact information Section 2: General information regarding the health technology Section 3: Summary of the justification for the appeal Section 4: References
3	Attachments	Copies of all references listed in the Topic Prioritization Appeals Form

Only appeals that are based on the acceptable grounds, have complete sets of requirements, and submitted on or before the extended deadline of the stakeholder consultation period to the correct email address will be processed.

Following the end of *extended* stakeholder consultation on 10 May 2024 (Friday) as noted above, the HTA Council still aims to release the list of final prioritized topics by the **fourth week of May 2024** and the assessments are aimed to commence within the third quarter of 2024. Thank you very much and best regards.

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