

## Dynamic Frequently Asked Questions: ADN Country Chapters

### What is a Country Chapter?

A Country Chapter is the local chapter of the global Avoidable Deaths Network (ADN); its purpose is to carry out local ADN-related activities. Click the link for more information: <https://www.avoidable-deaths.net/join/launching-an-adn-country-chapter/>

### Who can launch a Country Chapter?

The ADN Regional Coordinator (RC) can launch a country chapter with a consortium of at least two sectors. Click the link for more information: <https://www.avoidable-deaths.net/join/launching-an-adn-country-chapter/>

### Can I launch a Country Chapter if I am not a Regional Coordinator?

No. Being a Regional Coordinator and having a good knowledge of ADN's activities is mandatory. Click the link for more information: <https://www.avoidable-deaths.net/regional-coordinators/>

### Who can host a Country Chapter?

International Non-Governmental Organisations (INGOs), Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs), Civil Societies Organisation (CSO) leaders, academics, higher education institutions, politicians, government agencies and individuals. Click the link for more information: <https://www.avoidable-deaths.net/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/A-Common-Framework-to-launch-ADN-Country-Chapter.pdf>

### How to launch a Country Chapter?

Launching a Country Chapter follows an 'A Common Framework to Launch an Avoidable Deaths Country Chapter – 10 Steps'. Click the link for more information: <https://www.avoidable-deaths.net/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/A-Common-Framework-to-launch-ADN-Country-Chapter.pdf>

### How many chapters can you have in a country?

Only one Country Chapter.

Is the celebration of 'International Awareness Day for Avoidable Deaths' (IAD4AD) on 12 March yearly mandatory?

Yes. The IAD4AD is compulsory for every ADN Country Chapter. Click the link for more information: <https://www.avoidable-deaths.net/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/A-Common-Framework-to-launch-ADN-Country-Chapter.pdf>

## Regional Coordinators

### What is the role of a Regional Coordinator?

A Regional Coordinator (RC) role is a voluntary obligation for two years with a flexible commitment taking into consideration the individual's expertise, capacity, and region. Click the link for more information: <https://www.avoidable-deaths.net/regional-coordinators/>



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## Research Hub

### What is a Research Hub?

Research Hubs (or Hubs) are academic institutions or other organisations that conduct research on reducing avoidable disaster deaths. Click the link for more information: <https://www.avoidable-deaths.net/research-hubs/>

### Who should lead the Research Hub?

The Country Chapter lead can head the Research Hub.

### Can I launch a Research Hub before a Country Chapter?

No. But the ADN Country Chapter launch could lead to establishing a Research Hub for ADN.

### How many years are required before a Country Chapter launch a Research Hub?

It takes about 2 to 5 years.



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