



Avoidable Deaths Network

Bulletin

Winter – Spring 2024

Erratum

The information of the ADN's Bulletin Winter - Spring 2024 included some errors. We deeply apologise for the errors and resend the corrected edition of the Bulletin as follows.

Error

Upcoming Events

Burn Deaths and Injury are Avoidable is organised by the Avoidable Deaths Network and **Leigh Day Legal Firm**.

Junior Champion Magazine Issue Two is planned to be issued on Saturday, 9 March 2024.

Correction

Upcoming Events

Burn Deaths and Injury are Avoidable is organised by the Avoidable Deaths Network and **Kristina Stiles**.

Junior Champion Magazine Issue Two would be issued in October 2024. **The event in March is cancelled.**

The Avoidable Deaths Network (ADN) is pleased to announce the upcoming events, which will be held in different countries, across the globe and through the Winter – Spring season.

There are two types of events: closed and open. The closed events are facilitated for closed audiences or participants. The participants are, generally speaking, policymakers, NGOs and first responders involved in risk, crisis, disasters and development activities in low-and middle-income countries. The open events are facilitated for the general public, ADN's Affiliates and Partners. These Sessions are suitable for disaster responders, students, academics, researchers, policymakers, opinion formers, and practitioners interested in avoidable deaths, the UN's Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction's Global Targets A and B, and the Sustainable Development Goals.

The details of the upcoming events for the Winter - Spring season are below.

[View our upcoming events on the ADN website](#)



Upcoming Events

Thursday 25 January 2024: **Burn Deaths and Injury are Avoidable** (open). This [knowledge-exchange Special Session webinar](#), organised by the Avoidable Deaths Network and Kristina Stiles, will bring together five world-leading experts from five countries across four continents (Asia, Africa, Europe and North America). The expert panel will focus on i. raising awareness of the risks of burns at home; ii. helping to safeguard those at greatest risk; and iii. reducing avoidable burn deaths through prevention and amenable/ timely interventions. More details to follow.

Friday, 1 March – Sunday, 31 March 2024: **Global Campaign, International Awareness Month for Avoidable Deaths (IAD4AD)** (open). [International Awareness Day for Avoidable Deaths](#) has been extended to the whole month of March. The theme is Do One Thing. More details to follow.



IAD4AD Japan 2023

Tuesday, 12 – Thursday, 14 March 2024: **Global Campaign, International Awareness Day for Avoidable Deaths (IAD4AD) – India 2024**. IAD4AD will be celebrated by the [ADN India Hub](#) (Orissa State Volunteers and Social Workers Association), with national and international delegates over a three-day event in Odisha, India. The first day will encompass a Symposium on the five [research areas](#) of ADN (open); the second day will include a field trip to

the [Case Station for Avoidable Snakebite Deaths \(CaSA\)](#) (closed), and the third day will host a campaign meeting (closed). More details to follow.



Case Station for Avoidable Snakebite Deaths (CaSA)

Monday, 1 – Tuesday 30 April 2024: **Consultation Workshops on Drowning Data Collection in LMICs** (closed). As part of the project entitled, [Identifying Gaps in Drowning Data Collection in Low-and Middle-Income Countries and the Actors Addressing Them](#), country-specific and global-level technical experts will take part a workshop with the aim to discuss challenges and opportunities of using verbal autopsy to collect context-specific risk factors for injury deaths in LMIC settings. More details to follow.



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Monday, 6 May 2024: **Quite Interesting (QI) Quizzes for Avoidable Disaster Deaths** (open). This hybrid, knowledge-exchange Special Session will take place in Geneva at the [Humanitarian Networks and Partnerships Weeks \(HNPW\)](#) conference, facilitated by the United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (UNOCHA). This face-to-face interactive special session falls under Anticipatory Action, a UNOCHA Area of Common Concern. The audience and a team of nine technical experts will tackle problems related to avoidable disaster deaths. More details to follow.

June 2024 (Date TBC): **Knowledge-Exchange Special Session webinar by Dr. Ranjan Datta** (open).

Dr. Datta is an [ADN Regional Coordinator](#) and Canada Research Chair in Community Disaster Research and Assistant Professor of Indigenous Studies in the Department of Humanities at Mount Royal University in Calgary, Alberta, Canada. More details to follow.

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