

## Governing Board Paper

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<b>Agenda item:</b>	<b>2017 Cochrane Group Financial and Resource Monitoring: Non-responding Groups</b>
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<b>Decision or information:</b>	Information
<b>Resolution for the minutes:</b>	-
<b>Executive summary:</b>	This paper lists the non-responding Groups from the 2017 Cochrane Group Financial and Resource Monitoring. It is for the Board's information only at this time.
<b>Consultation with Cochrane Council:</b>	N/A
<b>Financial request:</b>	N/A

## Background:

Financial and Resource Monitoring of Cochrane Groups takes place annually. The information provided by Groups supports an organisation-wide data-gathering exercise that gives a picture of Cochrane's overall 'financial health'.

- It enables the Governing Board and Central Executive Team to provide information to the public about who funds Cochrane, the collective monetary cost of the organisation's work, and the number of people involved in Group activities.
- It supports the preparation of statistics about Groups in order to benchmark operations and identify best practice.
- It identifies whether Groups are operating sustainably, highlighting any actual or potential resource issues.

Given its important purpose, monitoring is mandatory for all Groups, including Affiliates and Satellites. At its meeting in Geneva, in April 2017, the Board decided that non-responding Groups may be de-registered at the discretion of the Board within six months of the stated deadline each year.

**Non-responding Groups:** The six-month cut-off date for non-responding Groups will be 6 May 2018. The Senior Management Team will return to the Board after that date with a recommendation on appropriate action against any remaining non-responding Groups.

**Full report:** A full report on the Financial & Resource Monitoring will be provided by the end of Quarter 2 2018 and the summary data included in the Annual Review.

## Non-responding Groups:

*(Information correct as of 1 March 2018)*

### Geo-Groups:

- Cochrane Caribbean
- Cochrane Hong Kong
- Cochrane US (de-registered February 2018)
- Cochrane US West

### CRGs:

- Common Mental Disorders Group
- Australian Satellite of the Cochrane Neonatal Group
- Suicide and Self Harm Satellite of the Cochrane Common Mental Disorders Group
- Chinese Satellite of the Schizophrenia Group
- Indian Satellite of the Cochrane Schizophrenia Group
- South African Satellite of the Cochrane HIV/AIDS Group

### Methods Groups:

- NRS for Interventions Methods Group
- Patient Reported Outcomes Methods Group