National Comprehensive Cancer Control Program, Governmental Responsibility Manpower Activity

The National Comprehensive Cancer Control Program (NCCCP) is a governmental responsibility which is urged by UN agencies such as World Health Organization. The definition of this programme may be different for each country and policy makers. There are some criteria as the principles for NCCCP such as: equity, relativeness, integration, comprehension, effectiveness with appropriate technology. Equity not only means the diagnostic or therapeutic activities to cover all people across the country, but also means the priority setting in such activities which may even remove some activity for cancer patients related to effectiveness, relativeness, cost beneficence, burden of disease, economical status, health sharing from GDP, appropriate technology, community participation (for example out of pocket), and many other factors.

The NCCCP will be different issue in different part of the world and it would be completed by integrating the health promotion program, prevention, and appropriate treatment plan based on approved scientific method and also palliative care program which is one of the most important components of NCCCP. It should have a comprehensive point of view about the biological, psycho-social and spiritual aspects of cancer patients and also care givers in local community and country. Cancer affects not only the patients but also their caregivers, families, managers, and policy makers. So it is a necessary component of NCCCP as a comprehensive point of view.

The NCCCP needs some infrastructure information and data such as Cancer Registry System from A to Z which is responsible for gathering data including incidence, prevalence, burden, morbidity and mortality rate, demographic and geographic data, as well as the main feature of cancer in the country, ethnicity distribution, clinico-pathologic pattern, and identification of site and stage.

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