

The Role and Contribution of JPMA in Asia



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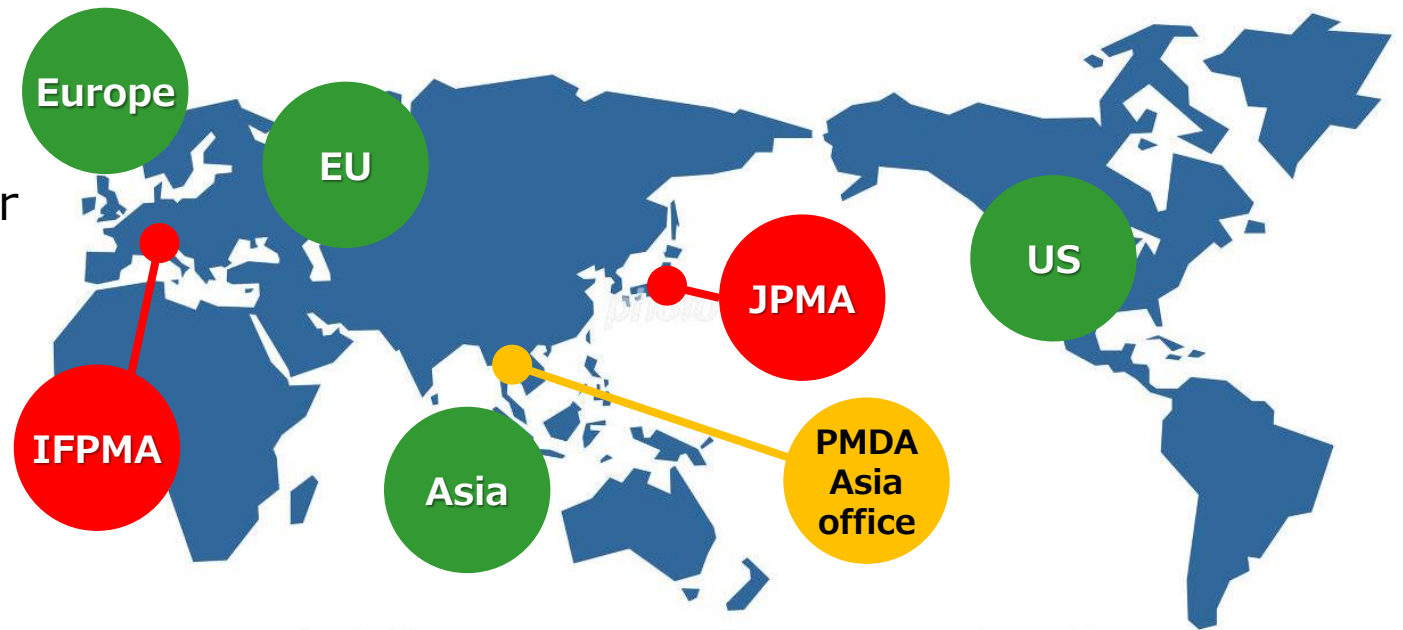


- Established in **1968** as a voluntary association comprising of 70 research-oriented pharmaceutical companies in Japan
- JPMA has continued to **contribute to global healthcare** through the development of innovative ethical drugs.



Global Cooperation with other associations

- JPMA, as a member of the IFPMA, actively engages in addressing various global issues in the pharmaceutical and healthcare sector
- JPMA also actively collaborates with other associations such as PhRMA in US, EFPIA in EU and Asia, and takes on active roles at the International Conference on Harmonization (ICH).



JPMA continues to act globally for the advancement of medical treatments for patients worldwide through mutual information sharing and close collaboration with each member organization.

Asia Partnership Conference of Pharmaceutical Associations (APAC)



Mission of APAC

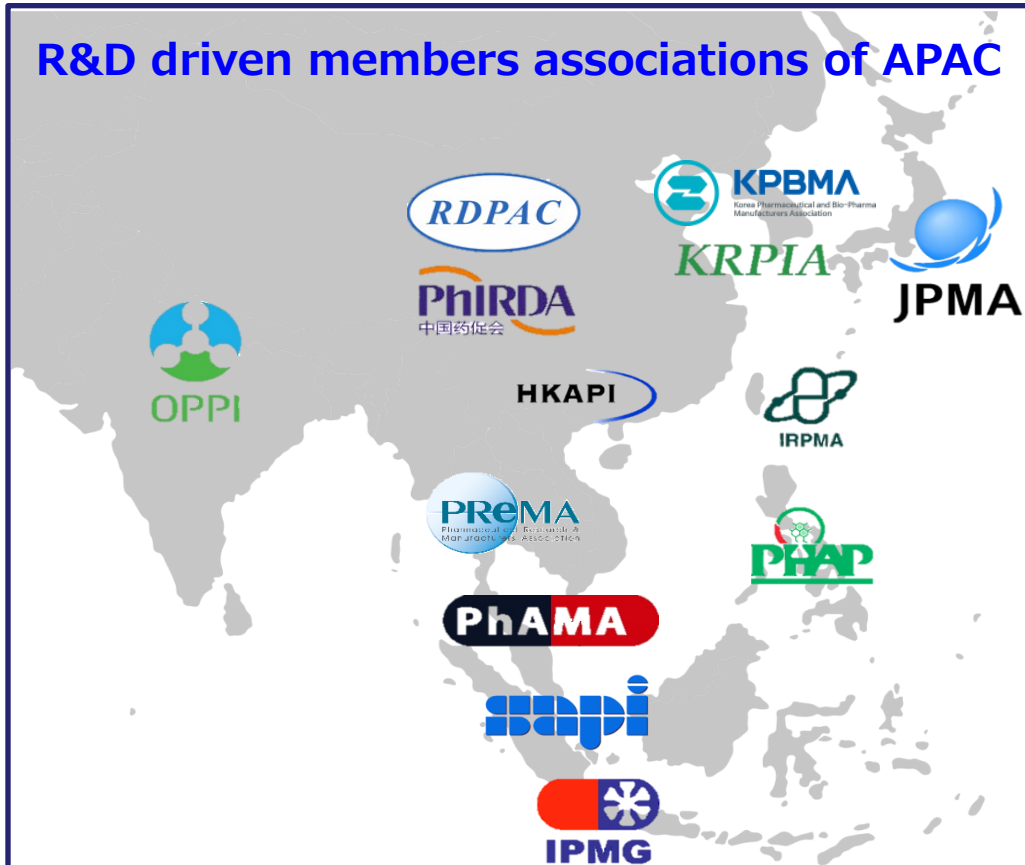
To expedite the launch of innovative medicines for the peoples in Asia



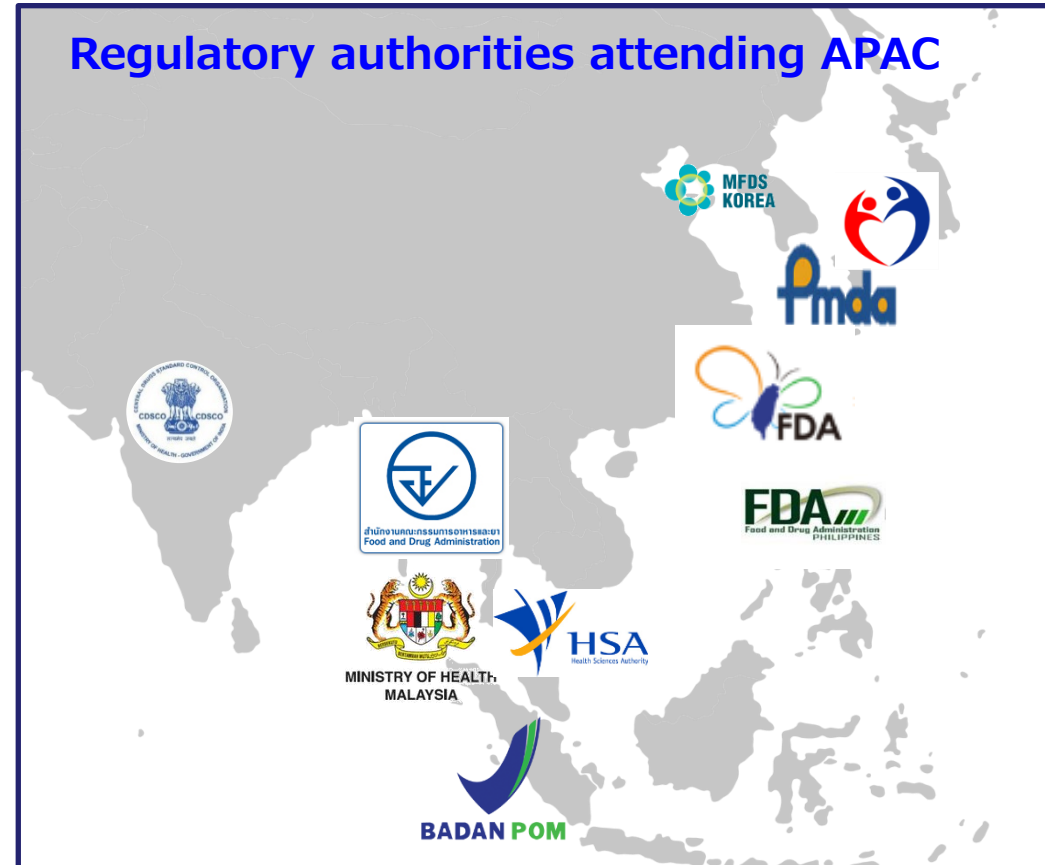
APAC members

APAC is an industry-driven international conference that brings together **13 R&D-based IFPMA pharmaceutical associations, regulatory authorities, and academia.**

R&D driven members associations of APAC



Regulatory authorities attending APAC



The 13th APAC Conference



The 13th APAC conference was held on 23 April 2024 at Tokyo.
More than 600 participants participated in the meeting, both online and in person.

Discussions at the five WG in the 13th APAC Conference

1. Regulations & Approvals Expert Working Group

2. Drug discovery Alliance Expert Working Group

3. e-labeling Expert Working Group

4. Manufacturing, Quality Control and Supply Working Group

5. a-UHC Expert Working Group



Keizo Takemi
Minister of MHLW

Keizo Takemi, Minister of MHLW, kindly made a presentation at the meeting, and he emphasized the importance of **UHC**, and explained that “**UHC Knowledge Hub**” will be established in 2025 in Japan to support healthcare policies in Asia.



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**Wishing you all the success
and prosperity in this
exciting journey ahead**