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**12:10** 12:10-12:15 Introduction  
**12:50** 12:15-12:40 Seminar (Presentation)  
12:40-12:50 Q&A

## Portable Health Clinic (PHC): Online healthcare in super aging societies in Post COVID-19 Asia

Chair: Prof. Shuji SHIMIZU (Executive Research Director of Q-AOS)

This seminar shares our experiences on telemedicine and remote healthcare research with our collaborative research partners in Asia during/post the COVID-19 pandemic. Due to the covid-19 pandemic and risk of being infected, many people are anxious about physically visiting healthcare facilities. Currently, we are facing double burden of diseases; COVID-19 as infectious disease and non-infectious diseases such as diabetes, hypertension, and depression in super-aging societies of Asia. To solve these issues, an online healthcare system called "Portable Health Clinic (PHC)" was re-developed by Kyushu University (KU) and Grameen Communications (GC), Bangladesh. PHC is an online e-health service system that allows mobile health check-ups and tele-medicine services remotely. In this covid-19 situation, we are currently conducting collaborative research with Gadjah Mada University, Indonesia, University of Malaysia, Sabah, Biyani Group of Colleges, India. We will share some of the lessons learned from these PHC collaborative research activities during the covid-19.



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- "Telemedicine"
- "Post COVID-19"
- "Superaging society"
- "Asia"



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