



Swedish Research Council for
Health, Working Life and Welfare

MEMORANDUM OF INTENT (MOI) BETWEEN THE SWEDISH RESEARCH COUNCIL FOR HEALTH, WORKING LIFE AND WELFARE (FORTE) AND THE INDIAN COUNCIL OF MEDICAL RESEARCH (ICMR)

The Swedish Ministry of Health and Social Affairs represented by the **Swedish Research Council for Health, Working Life and Welfare (FORTE)** and the Indian Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, represented by the **Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR)**, Department of Health Research (DHR), Government of India hereinafter referred to as "the Participants".

RECOGNIZING that Sweden and India wish to broaden cooperation on **Ageing and Health** between the two countries in the area of health;

RECALLING the agreement on cooperation in the field of healthcare and public health between Sweden and India signed on 24th February, 2009 which encourages cooperation to promote other health issues, communicable diseases and antimicrobial resistance; and

STATING their intention and willingness to cooperate in the field of **Ageing and Health**

Hereby record their intention to increase bilateral cooperation in the field of ageing research between the two countries to enhance the understanding of demographic change and impact of migration on physical and mental health and well-being of the elderly, forms and systems of care of the elderly and the use of ICT assistive technology and addressing issues related to nutrition in elderly. The Participants will conclude separate arrangements, as required, to govern specific activities.

The above activities are to be in accordance with the laws and regulations that govern the FORTE and the ICMR/ DHR

Signed at Stockholm on the first day of the month of June in the year 2015

**For the Swedish Research Council for Health,
Working Life and Welfare**

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For the Indian Council of Medical Research

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