

Working Group meeting to share information about the new birth cohort studies that are planned or starting in different countries.

An open working group meeting will take place on 17 September in Barcelona, Spain, to bring together birth cohort investigators from many parts of the world to discuss coordination of the new generation of birth cohort studies and establish a working group as a basis for further international collaboration. The meeting follows several successful I4C meetings and the Japan Environmental and Children's Study Workshop on International Linkage that took place in February 2011 in Tokyo.

The meeting will be held from 9 am to 5 pm on 17 September at the Center for Research in Environmental Epidemiology (CREAL) which is located at the Parc Recerca Biomèdica de Barcelona, Doctor Aiguader, 88 in Barcelona (www.prbb.org). Your input and active participation in the meeting would be very much appreciated.

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