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15. Contact Person & Address of Sponsor:
16. Telephone Number of Sponsor: (.....)
17. Fax Number of Sponsor: (.....)
18. Amount of full-time public/community health or related experience you have?
 Years:
19. Educational qualifications:
 School:.....
 Other:
20. Please indicate the name + number of each course you wish to enrol for:
21. How did you find out about the Winter School (Newspaper, SOPH Brochure, Flyer, word-of-mouth, other?)
22. Are you presently enrolled in any of UWC's or UCT's Post-graduate programmes in Public Health University studies?:
 Yes (& name of institution):
- No:

MEDICINES SUPPLY MANAGEMENT

DURATION: 1 WEEK (7 JULY – 11 JULY 2014)

CONVENORS:

- Dr Hazel Bradley (SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH, UWC)
- Mr Mupela Ntengu (MANAGEMENT SCIENCES FOR HEALTH)
- Dr Kim Ward (SCHOOL OF PHARMACY, UWC)

AIM:

This course will engage participants from various professional backgrounds in the key principles of good medicines supply management.

OBJECTIVES:

- By the end of the course participants should be able to:
- Identify and analyse key policy, legislative and regulatory frameworks applicable to medicines;
 - Understand the importance of product selection, planning and procurement in managing medicines;
 - Evaluate key principles applicable to the storage and distribution of medicines;
 - Identify and analyse Inventory Management Systems for medicines;
 - Evaluate the use of Logistics Management Information Systems in managing medicines supply;
 - Advocate for stakeholders to adopt Rational Medicines Use principles in medicines supply management;
 - Critically evaluate financial management mechanisms applicable to managing medicines.

COURSE CONTENT:

- The course content will draw on the following elements:
- Policy, Laws and Regulations applicable to medicines;
 - Analysis of product selection, forecasting/quantification and supply planning for medicines;
 - Key principles of procurement and quality assurance;
 - Storage and distribution of medicines;
 - Use of Inventory Management Systems for managing medicines;
 - Logistics Management Information Systems for managing medicines;
 - Rational Medicines Use and key financing mechanisms for managing medicines.

TARGET GROUP:

Healthcare professionals, including pharmacists, doctors, nurses, healthcare managers from the public (government) sector and NGOs working primarily at district, sub-district and facility/clinic level and involved with or managing/supervising medicines management activities.

CPD POINTS: 40 ARE BEING APPLIED FOR THIS COURSE



TWO NEW MEDICINES COURSES

- Rational Medicines Use 23 – 27 June 2014
- Medicines Supply Management 7 – 11 July 2014

Given the importance of medicines as one of the building blocks for health systems, we are delighted to offer two new medicines courses at the UWC Winter School in 2014. Each one-week course will be facilitated by staff from the Schools of Public Health and Pharmacy at UWC, in collaboration with several high profile international and local partners including Dr Richard Laing (formerly of WHO: Essential Medicines and now at University of Boston, USA), Management Sciences for Health and with input from local and national colleagues from the Department of Health and NGOs.

The courses are targeted at health care professionals, including pharmacists, doctors and nurses involved in medicines use and management and will employ a combination of theoretical input and participatory, interprofessional learning methods including presentations, small group work, case study analysis and prescribed and optional readings

FOR FURTHER DETAILS CONTACT:

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 See overleaf for Application details



TWO NEW MEDICINES COURSES AT WINTER SCHOOL

NEW MEDICINES COURSES @ WS2014

- Rational Medicines Use (23-27 June 2014)
- Medicines Supply Management (7-11 July 2014)

FURTHER DETAILS OF TWO COURSES

VENUE: Both courses will be held at the
School of Public Health Building
University of the Western Cape campus,
Cape Town, South Africa

COURSE FEES:

Course fees (for each one week course): South African participants – R3800 and international participants - US\$600

Fees cover tuition, core materials, lunches and morning and afternoon teas. All accommodation, food, travel expenses, visa and health insurance are the responsibility of participants. (Please note that UWC cannot arrange accommodation but we can provide a list of Bed and Breakfast establishments in the area and local transport vendors)

COURSE TIMES: 08h30 to 17h00 unless otherwise specified.

APPLICATIONS: Apply by completing the attached form by **4 JUNE 2014**. Payments are due **BEFORE** the course begins and places will only be secured by submitting proof of payment of your course fees.

REGISTRATION: Registration for each course will take place at 8h00 on the Monday of the week the course will be held at the School of Public Health, UWC.

ELECTRONIC PAYMENT

All bank transfers/deposits should be made to this bank account:

Bank: ABSA

Branch: Public Sector Western Cape

Account Name: University of the Western Cape

Account No.: 40-5527-6854

Branch Code: 631-609

Address: 1st Floor, Tijger Park 4, Tygervalley, 7536

Swift Code: ABSAZAJJ

Invoice no: e.g. 2014WS...(indicated at top right corner of invoice)

PLEASE NOTE: Proof of Electronic payments and deposit slips should be faxed immediately to the School of Public Health, at fax no. 021-959 2872. Without this proof your attendance will not be confirmed and your account will remain unpaid. Please note that an Order Number is not proof of payment.

Payments are due BEFORE the course begins.

Booking will be confirmed upon receipt of payment only.

CONTACT DETAILS

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RATIONAL MEDICINES USE

DURATION: 1 week (23 – 27 June 2014)

CONVENORS:

- Dr Hazel Bradley (SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH, UWC)
- Dr Renier Coetzee (SCHOOL OF PHARMACY, UWC)
- Dr Richard Laing (SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH, BOSTON UNIVERSITY, USA)
- Dr Stephanie Berrada (MANAGEMENT SCIENCES FOR HEALTH)
- Mr Percy Daames (MANAGEMENT SCIENCES FOR HEALTH)

AIM:

This course will engage participants from various backgrounds in the importance of the rational medicines use concept and introduce a range of tools to investigate and promote rational medicines use.

OBJECTIVES:

By the end of the course, you should be able to:

- Advocate for rational medicine use and its importance within health systems;
- Identify and analyse the application of quantitative methods to identify medicine use problems;
- Evaluate qualitative methods and their application to investigate medicine use and prescribing behavior;
- Identify and analyse the importance of determining efficacy, safety, effectiveness and cost effectiveness of medicines in decision making;
- Evaluate the importance of clinical evidence in decision making and formulary management;
- Critically evaluate the principles of the anti-microbial resistance concept and the role of rational medicine use in its prevention;
- Critically review the role of Pharmaceutical and Therapeutics Committees (PTCs) in all of the above.

COURSE CONTENT:

The course content will draw on the following elements:

- Importance of rational medicines use and problems associated with irrational medicine use;
- Identification of medicines use problems using several quantitative methods such as prescribing indicator studies, application of defined daily dose (DDD) and ABC, VEN and therapeutic category analyses;
- Identification and design of qualitative methods to investigate prescribing behaviour and medicine use;
- Strategies to promote rational medicine use including educational, managerial and regulatory interventions;
- Concept and implementation of Medicines Use Evaluation (MUE) and its application to programmes such as tuberculosis programme;
- Application of the Essential Medicines Concept and the development of Standard Treatment Guidelines (STGs) and Essential Medicines Lists (EMLs) using evidence-based decision making principles;
- Infection Control and Antimicrobial Resistance (AMR) concepts with respect to global and local situations and multifaceted strategies required to contain AMR;
- Stewardship of rational medicine use by prescribers, dispensers and Pharmaceutical Therapeutic Committees (PTCs).

TARGET GROUP:

Healthcare professionals, including pharmacists, doctors and nurses from the public (government) sector and NGOs working at national, provincial, district and facility level and involved with medicines management activities including medicine selection, formulary listings, identification of medicines use problems and the promotion of interventions to address medicines use problems.

CPD Points: 40 are being applied for this course

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO WINTER SCHOOL 2014

- Surname:
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- Permanent Address:
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Home (.....) Work (.....)
- Fax: (.....)
- Mobile phone number:
- E-Mail Address:
- Date of Birth: / /
DAY MONTH YEAR
- Gender: male female
- Identity Number:
- Occupational Category:
(e.g. SOCIAL WORKER, NURSE, PSYCHOLOGIST, DEVELOPMENT WORKER)
- Present Position (if employed):
Briefly describe your work responsibilities in your present position:
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Employer:
- Address:
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Application Form continued overleaf