



PCMA



HEALTH ECONOMIC & Evidence Based Medicine

Workshops 2009

- 3rd June - workshop 2
- 23rd June - workshop 3
- 23rd & 24th September - workshop 4 (ISPOR short courses)
- 6th November - workshop 5

Facilitated by the
PCMA

PHARMACEUTICAL CARE MANAGEMENT
ASSOCIATION

In collaboration with the
**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
HE UNIT UCT &
ISPOR**



Venue: Gauteng

North West 23 & 24 September

Time:

Registration: 08:00

Workshop: 08:30 to 15:30

(except for 4th Workshops)

Attendance cost: (Inclu VAT)

PCMA Member:

R1,400 per delegate / workshop

(includes 2 sessions ISPOR short course)*

R5,200 x 4 workshops (2 sessions workshop 4)*

R6,500 x 5 workshops (2 sessions workshop 4)*

R700 / session workshop 4

PCMA Non-member:

R1,550 per delegate / workshop*

R5,600 x 4 workshops*

R7,000 x 5 workshops*

OBJECTIVE OF WORKSHOPS

- To gain an appreciation of the utility of an evidence-based approach to economic evaluation.
- To develop practical skills in the critical appraisal of clinical trials and economic evaluations of pharmaceuticals & health technologies
- To provide a conceptual and analytical framework (both economic and clinical) in which drug & HT selection problems can be analysed
- To perform a basic health economic evaluation.
- To perform a basic assessment of the quality of clinical trial data.

Enquiries

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WORKSHOP PROGRAMME

- Workshop 2

Wednesday 3rd June

Bio stats

Venue: SA College of Medicine
Parktown

Programme:

Basic biostats [Prof Jacques Snyman](#)
Relative risk; absolute risk; numbers needed to treat; Odd ratios; hazard ratios; confidence intervals & p values

Biostats workshop [Working groups & Facilitators](#)

Quality of life measures, QALYs & Utilities

[Dr Andy Parrish](#)

Discounting & Sensitivity Analysis

[Francois Wessels](#)

- Workshop 3

Tuesday 23 June 2009

Evidence Based Medicine

Venue: Pretoria University

Programme: [Prof Paul Rheeder](#)

- Review of Validity issues in appraisal of Clinical Trials
- Review of Interpretation of Clinical Trial Results
- Critical Appraisal: Read and Review Clinical Trial Paper 1.
- Feedback on paper 1 with discussion on alternatives to randomization in Clinical Trials
- Critical Appraisal: Read and Review Clinical Trial Paper 2
- Feedback on paper 2 with discussion on validity rules and data
- interpretation of non-inferiority trials using observational data for evaluation of efficacy.
- Final remarks

Workshop Programme Continued

- Workshop 4

23, 24 September 2009 ISPOR Conference Short Courses
(see separate programme)

Venue: North West University, Potchefstroom

- Workshop 5

Friday 6 November

Cost-effectiveness/utility analysis [HE Unit UCT](#)

Venue: Wits Health Consortium, 8 Blackwood Ave, Parktown

Programme:

Defining economic evaluation

- Review of basic concepts (costs and outcomes)
- Review of multidimensional outcome measures
- Types of efficiency
- Research questions addressed through CEA/CUA
- Decision-making rules or guidelines

CERTIFICATES OF COMPETENCE WILL BE REWARDED
(WHERE APPLICABLE)

Registration Procedure:

➤ Please **complete** the registration form & fax to (011) 794 5677
or e-mail to adie.bryson@pcma.org.za

➤ The registration fee should be deposited into the following acc

Account name: PCMA

Bank: Standard Bank Cheque account

Branch name: Braamfontein

Branch code: 4805

Account number: 201472392

➤ Please use your **invoice number** & initials plus surname
(e.g. 103 A.B. Smith) as reference & fax deposit slip to (011)794 5677

➤ Written cancellations received 7 days
prior to Seminar will be refunded less 15% administration fee

No refunds within 4 days of Seminar

➤ A letter of confirmation & directions will be forwarded to you

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Registration Form

Date of Workshop: (tick box) 3 rd June <input type="checkbox"/> ; 23 rd June <input type="checkbox"/> ; 23 rd & 24 th September <input type="checkbox"/> ; 6 th November <input type="checkbox"/>
Title:
Surname & Initials:
First name:
Designation & Organisation:
Postal address:
Car Reg:
Tel (work):
Fax:
Cell:
E-mail:
Are you a PCMA Member? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Special requests: (e.g. food – vegetarian)