



Basic Concepts in Pharmacovigilance

ISoP 2010 post conference Training course
Accra, Ghana

7th November 2010 (8.00 am-3.30 pm)
Venue: La Palm Beach Hotel

The post-meeting training course will be held in the vibrant city of Accra, Ghana.

This is a one day learning program and consists of a harmony of didactic seminar sessions and interactive workshops given by international pharmacovigilance experts. The basic ISoP program is dedicated to introduce important basic concepts of pharmacovigilance and various areas of application. This course is open to professionals who work in the field of health & pharmaceuticals with minimal background in drug safety. The 2 sessions are divided across the day, Each session will be managed with the panel undertaking team teaching.

Chairpersons: Eugene van Puijenbroek & Kenneth Hartigan-Go

7.30 to 8.00 am Registration

8.00 am
Introduction - Course objectives

8.00 – 10.00 am - Session 1: Basic Principles

8.10 – 8.45 am
Spontaneous reporting: biases, benefits and limits
Eugene van Puijenbroek, ISoP

8.45 – 9.20 am
Pharmacoepidemiology – working with individual and aggregate cases,
Ugo Moretti, ISoP

9.20 – 10.00 am
From safety signal to action, *Richard Hill, UMC*



10.00 – 10.30 am:

Coffee-break

10.30 - 12.30 - Session 2: Methodologies and Tools for Pharmacovigilance

10.30 – 11.10 am

Principles and Mechanisms of adverse drug reactions

Herve Le Louet, ISoP

11.10 – 11.50 am

Causality assessment: theories and exercises

Ronald Meyboom, UMC

11.50 – 12.30

Vaccino vigilance

Alexander Dodoo, ISoP

12.30 – 1.30 pm:

Lunch

1.30 – 2.10 pm

Counterfeit medicines, *Luis Alesso, ISoP*

2.10 – 2.50 pm

Medication errors and protecting the patient

Kenneth Hartigan-Go, Center for Development Management, Asian Institute of Management

2.50 – 3.30 pm

Understanding the Journal Publishing Process: Helpful Hints for Authors and Peer Reviewers, TBC (*speaker tbc*)

Closing remarks

3.30 pm:

Coffee-break