

Certificate Program in Clinical Toxicology 2009

Objectives

1. To update the knowledge in clinical toxicology
2. To improve the management of poisoned patient in HA hospitals.

Organizing Party

1. Hong Kong College of Emergency Medicine
2. Hong Kong Poison Information Centre
3. Program Directors
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4. Tutors
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Format of the program

1. A 9-month program. (April to December 2009)
2. 3 hours session monthly on the 3rd Wednesday in each month from 0930 to 1230.
3. Each session consist of 2 lectures and case presentations by participants.
4. Participants are required to attend 18 hours of training activities (case audit every Monday morning; journal club & other activities every Thursday morning) [2 hours per session] taken place in the HKPIC
5. Venue: Lecture & Case presentation sessions at F1 Conference Room, Block F, United Christian Hospital/
HKPIC activities at Room 2A, Block K, United Christian Hospital.
6. Fee: \$1,000 to cover the course book and refreshment
7. Participants
 - a. Higher trainees or fellow of relevant specialty with the recommendation from COS
 - b. Total participants – 20 (about one doctor/clinical unit)
8. It is a 80 hours programme & certificate would be issued upon satisfactory completion of the following
 - a. At least 75% attendance of the monthly session (≥ 7 sessions)
 - b. Submit 2 presentations of interesting poisoning cases from his/ her own unit
 - c. Attend at least 12 hours of HKPIC training activity participation (6 attendance of any 2 hours training activities of HKPIC)
 - d. Complete the MCQ assessment at the end of the program

Program Schedule

Date	Lecture 1 (09:30-10:15)	Case Discussion (10:15-11:45)	Lecture 2 (11:45-12:30)
15 Apr	General Approach in Poisoning Management, Toxicokinetic and Toxicodynamic	Participants, with the help of tutors, selected interesting poisoning cases to present and discuss. Expected to cover about 3-4 cases each time	Treatments in Clinical Toxicology
20 May	CNS poisoning – Principle and Management		CVS Poisoning – Principle and Management
17 Jun	Analgesics Poisoning		Antidepressants Poisoning
15 Jul	Sleeping pills and Antipsychotics		Abusive Drugs Toxicology
19 Aug	Acute Chinese Medicine Poisoning		Common Inhalational Toxins
16 Sep	Metal Poisoning		Pesticide Poisoning
14 Oct	Food Borne Toxins		Household Product Toxicology
18 Nov	Envenomation		Paediatric Poisoning
16 Dec	Miscellaneous Important Poisoning in Hong Kong		Pitfalls in Emergency Management of Poisoning