



WHPRC 2020 Programme – CANCELLED*

16 May 2020

CICG, Geneva, Switzerland

8.30 Registration

Participants are invited to collect their badge and lunch voucher at the registration desk.

9.00 Welcome

Emma Stokes, President, WCPT

9.10 Keynote: (Title TBC)

Dr. Chaand Nagpaul, Chair, BMA, United Kingdom

9.40 Session 1: Strengthened regulatory bodies to ensure a strengthened workforce

No one should be left behind, and the net of regulation needs to be widened to protect the public and ensure quality of care.

Moderator: Dr. Sylvain Grenier, the Chair of the FIP Regulators' Forum, Canada

1) ***The need to strengthen and finance regulatory bodies to make them sustainable.***

Annabel Seebohm, Secretary General of the Standing Committee of European Doctors (CPME), Belgium

2) ***Regulation of non-regulated cadres***

a. The impact of non-regulated cadres on health professionals

Jean Damascene Gasherebuka, Physiotherapist and Head of the Allied Health Council of Rwanda, Rwanda

b. The patients' perspective

Kawaldip Sehmi, Chief Executive Officer, IAPO

11.00 Break

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11.30

Debate: Different regulatory systems – challenges and solutions

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Kawaldip Sehmi, Chief Executive Officer, IAPO

Otmar Kloiber, Executive Secretary, WMA, France

David Benton, NCSBN, United States

Florian Lemor, Managing Director, Bundeszahnärztekammer, Germany

David Paul Mnzava, Registrar, Medical Council Of Tanganyika, Tanzania

12.25

2020: Year of the Nurse and Midwife Address

Annette Kennedy, President, ICN

12.30

Lunch

Participants are invited to a self-service buffet for lunch on the first floor of the CICG venue.

13.30

Session 2: CPD is key for re-registration. How can regulators evaluate competencies to ensure quality in care? What innovative programs already exist?

An exploration of different CPD models and the challenges of meeting and measuring the minimum required competencies of registration.

Moderator: Howard Catton, CEO, ICN

1) Accreditation of training models and organisations who are offering the training.

Bruno Sepodes, FIP, Portugal

2) How to evaluate competencies

Lisa Little, Lecturer, School of Nursing, Queen's University, Canada

3) Modern and innovative training options

Dale Scalise Smith, Vice President, Physical Therapy Academic Services at Orbis Education, USA

4) How to train and evaluate competencies in collaborative practice

Prof. Nermin Yamalik, FDI, Turkey

15.00

Break

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- 15.30** **Moderated discussion**
Moderator: Howard Catton, CEO, ICN
Above speakers, joined by Frank Ulrich Montgomery, Chair of Council, WMA
- 16.30** **Report back: 2019 Global Workforce Symposium on Accreditation and Regulation**
TBC Giorgio Cometto, WHO
- 17.00** **Closing Remarks**
Where to from here? A summary of the main take home messages.
Miguel Jorge, President, WMA
- 17.30** **End**
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Posters

A Review of the Continuous Professional Development (CPD) System for Pharmacists in Portugal in the Period 2009-2018. Jorge Batista, Ordem dos Farmacêuticos, Portugal

Between politicians and technicians: the role of professional councils on health professions regulation models. Fernando Aith, University of São Paulo, Brazil (TBC)

Multi-institutional Virtual IPE (VIPE). Mary Showstark, Yale School of Medicine, USA (TBC)

Complaints Down Under – What’s happening? Who pays? Jeanette Woltman-Black, Physiotherapy Board, New Zealand (TBC)

Aiding Refugees in Establishing a New Life: Verifying Medical Credentials Through Alternative Means. Kara Corrado, Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates, USA

This Road Under Construction: Is Gridlock Unavoidable? Jo Anne Bennett, Ministry of Health, Guinea

Protecting the Public Through Identification of Spurious Medical School Practices and Miscreant Physicians and Implementation of the 2023 Accreditation Requirement. Lisa L. Cover, Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates, USA

* The 2020 edition of the World Health Professions Regulation Conference unfortunately had to be cancelled due to the Covid-19 pandemic. This version of the almost finalized programme is made available for reference purposes.