Course Description

Today, an outcome-based education (OBE) model is strongly advocated for the design and delivery of 21st century health professional curriculum: the professional competencies required for future practice are defined in terms of the intended learning outcomes (i.e. the knowledge, skills, attitudes) formulated from and aligned to the end-product capability (i.e. the desired attributes of the end-product) identified. Learners need to provide evidence of having acquired the desired professional competencies by passing examinations which use assessment tools (e.g. MEQs, OSCEs) designed for such a purpose.

However, in the clinical setting (i.e. in the work environment), it is recommended that learners need to show evidence that they have acquired desired professional competencies by independently performing a given set of professional tasks, after a period of learning under supervision. Such ‘professional tasks’ performed by the learner independently are referred to as the ‘Entrustable Professional Activities (EPAs).’ Workplace-based assessments tools (e.g. Mini-CEX, DOPS) should be used for assessing EPAs.

Workshop Objectives

At the end of the workshop, participants should be able to:

- Discuss the key features of EPAs
- Provide participants with hands-on experience on how to formulate EPAs in their respective disciplines
- Describe how to develop a blueprint for EPAs closely aligned to the professional competencies identified
- Create opportunities for participants to practice blueprinting for the EPAs formulated in the different disciplines.

Feedback from past participants...

“Better understanding of EPA and the difference between milestones and EPA”

Registration Fees

NUHS STAFF - ($204 + 7% GST ) = $218.28
( Including staff on clinical faculty/adjunct scheme)

Others - ($230 + 7% GST) = $246.10

Registration is on a first-come-first-served basis

To register, please go to: https://inetapps.nus.edu.sg/fds/
Phone: (65) 6516 1522 / 6516 2332

*Closing date of registration: 20 March 2020

Online Learning

In view of the COVID-19 situation, this workshop will be switched to the following new format

3 to 5 hours Online Learning via CenMED Scholar
https://www.censcholar.nus.edu.sg/

3 hours + Virtual Face-to-Face Session via an Online PLATFORM
(Zoom: MS Teams, etc)

Any cancellation or replacement must be conveyed in writing to the organiser. Registration can be only confirmed upon full payment. CenMED reserves the rights to change the date / timing / location etc.

Note for NUS Staff: This program is accredited with 1 elective hour by Centre for Development of Teaching and Learning (CDTL), NUS. For more details on CDTL accreditation, please contact Ms Doreen Thia at cdttyy@nus.edu.sg