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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

This workshop will:

- 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

Developing Entrustable Professional Activities (EPAs) And Blueprinting

15th November 2012 (Thursday), 8.30am — 5.30pm

Learning Room 01-01B, Level 1, Centre for Translational Medicine (CeTM), Block MD6,
14 Medical Drive, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore

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Registration Fees

NUHS staff - S\$160*
(including staff on adjunct scheme)

Others - S\$180*

*Fees are inclusive of GST

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

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Closing date of registration : 14th September 2012

Any cancellation or replacement must be conveyed to the Organiser in writing. A cancellation charge of 50% fee will be levied if the cancellation is received up to two months prior to the workshop. There will be no fee refund if the cancellation is received less than 2 months prior to the workshop. Registration can be only confirmed upon full payment. MEU reserves the rights to change the date / timing / location etc.

SMC CME / CNE / CPE accreditation are being finalised

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 Fax: (65) 6777 0342