

Second National Pharmacy Conference – Programme Outline

DAY 1 - Friday 21 October 2016				
Time	Promo audio visual of the Role of the Pharmacist and Sponsors of Welcome Cocktail 1 - Sunday, 23 October 2016			
14h00 -14h30	Welcome and Introduction of Trade			
14h30 -14h45	Introduction of the Minister of Health by MEC			
14h45 -16h00	Opening address – Minister of Health			
16h00 -16h45	Leadership and mentoring in pharmacy			
16h45 - 18h00	Sponsored Welcome Cocktail Party & Official Opening of the Exhibition			
DAY 2 - Saturday 22 October 2016				
05h30 - 07h00	Sponsored Fun Run/Walk			
08h30 - 08h35	Promo audio visual of sponsors			
08h35 - 08h45	Welcome by Programme Director			
08h45 - 09h30	Director-General of Health			
09h30 - 10h15	Improved access to quality medicines and services			
10h15 - 10h45	Sponsored Tea Break			
10h45 - 10h50	Promo audio visual of sponsors			
	Evolving roles of the pharmacy profession	Developing and Enhancing models of care	Innovation in pharmacy	NHI, primary care and the burden of disease
	Evolution of pharmacy education	Improve patient outcomes	Use of technology in pharmacy	Effective and efficient distribution of medicines
10h50 - 11h10	The changing profile of pharmacy students	Potential contributions and challenges of clinical pharmacy in the private and public sector	Identifying the technology gaps in the practice of pharmacy	Innovative ways of delivery of medicines
11h10 -11h30	Inter-professional education: benefits and challenges	Ensuring integration of pharmacy to patient care	E-prescribing	Stock outs: understanding the problem and finding solutions
11h30 - 11h50	Producing well-rounded health care professionals through integrating science and practice	The occurrence and impact of adverse effects of medicines is under-estimated and reported	Empowering patients through technology	Drug supply management: what are the knowledge and training needs for the responsible pharmacist?
11h50 - 12h20	Understanding learning styles and adapting teaching to meet the needs of the profession	Medicines optimisation through medicine use reviews	The potential role of social media as a patient education tool	Will a state owned pharmaceutical manufacturing company solve the shortage of medicines?
12h20 - 13h05	Panel discussion			
13h05 - 13h40	Sponsored Lunch			
Time	Roles of different cadres in the profession	Impact of legislation and policy on the profession	Use of technology in pharmacy	National Health Insurance
13h40 -14h00	Changing role of tutors/ preceptors	Impact of pricing regulations on the viability of community, hospital and manufacturing pharmacy	The hospital pharmacist and the e-health revolution	National Health Insurance – the road travelled and future direction for pharmacy
14h00 -14H20	Who is accountable for what? The role of the pharmacy owner and the responsible pharmacist in	Does the current pricing structure encourage the rational use of medicines	Automation in pharmacy together with RADU	Integrated referral system – maximum utilisation of resources

	RSA			
14h20 -14h40	Unpacking the role of the pharmacy owner and superintendent pharmacist – the UK experience	Designated service providers! What is the advantage	Electronic Health Records (EHR): role, responsibility and accountability	Reducing health inequity – distribution of pharmacies in SA
14h40 -15h10	Panel discussion			
15h10 - 15h40	Sponsored Tea Break			
15h40 -16h05	Advocacy for the profession – finding the pharmacy voice within a healthcare structure			
16h05 -17h00	Rapporteur session			
19:00 – Late	Sponsored National Pioneer (Professional and Facility) Gala Awards Dinner			

DAY 3 - Sunday 23 October 2016				
08h30 - 08h35	Audio visual promotion of sponsors			
08h35 - 08h45	Welcome by Programme Director			
08h45 - 09h30	Minister of Higher Education and Training			
	Improving patient care through research	Clinical practice and science	Workforce Development	Leadership, Corporate Governance, Policy and Legislation
	Competency based framework	Group practice and patient-centred care	Specialisations in Pharmacy	Increasing access and availability of medicines
09h30 - 09h50	Competence standards for mid-level workers	Nurses in pharmacy: best practices in inter-professional collaboration	Expanding the delivery of public health through pharmacy	Role of the DHET in increasing access and availability of medicines
09h50 -10h10	Competence standards for pharmacists	Pharmacy collaborating with complementary and alternative health professions including traditional healers: challenges and opportunities	What is the value of the industrial pharmacist?	Role of the DTI in increasing access and availability of medicines
10h10 -10h30	Advanced competencies for pharmacists	Collaborative practice models with medical practitioners or dentists in a pharmacy: a new approach to primary healthcare	Residency programmes: Role in pre-registration training in the USA	Role of the DTI in funding novel ways of producing medicines
10h30 -1100	Panel discussion			
11h00 -11h30	Sponsored Tea Break			
11h30 -11h35	Audio visual promotion of sponsors			
	Innovation and legislation in pharmacy education and training	Enhancing practice through Continuing Professional Development (CPD)	Mid-level workers in Pharmacy	Ethics and ethical issues
11h35 -11h55	Council for Higher Education	Why CPD is important - It is not your grandmother's library	Pharmacy Technician – Zimbabwe experience	Cost of malpractice to healthcare profession
11h55 -12h15	Quality Council for Training and Occupations	CPD implementation in UK	Pharmacy Technician – Kenya experience	Has the current medicine pricing structure improved access to medicines and encouraged pharmaceutical care
12h15 -12h35	Health and Welfare Sector Education Training Authority	The value of measuring outcomes of CPD	Pharmacy Technician – USA experience	Professionalism and autonomy in practice
12h35 - 12h55	South African Qualifications Authority	Building confidence and credibility in your	Mid-level workers in pharmacy – progress	Ethics and ethical behaviour – does it matter in

		practice: the Canadian experience	made so far - SA experience	pharmacy?
12h55 - 13h15	Panel discussion			
13h15 - 14h00	Sponsored Lunch			
14h00 - 14h05	Promo audio visual of sponsors			
	Future of Pharmacy Education and Training	Add value to the community	Supplementary/ Advanced scope of practice for pharmacists	Dispensing to ensure patient safety
14h05 - 14h25	Pharmacy Education in Australia	Adding value to health without monetary reward	Independent pharmacist prescriber: UK experience	Medication errors – a growing problem in community and hospital pharmacy
14h25 - 14h45	Pharmacy Education in Canada	Searching for the caring face of pharmacy	Authorised pharmacist prescriber in RSA	Best-practice strategies to improve medication safety
14h45 - 15h05	Pharmacy Education in RSA	Adopt a child – nurture a future pharmacist	Authorised Nurse Prescriber in RSA	Community Safety- Green Pharmacy Environment
15h05 - 15h25	Panel discussion			
15h25 - 15h45	Sponsored Tea Break			
15h45 - 16h15	Pharmaceutical industry in South Africa			
16h15 - 17h00	Rapporteur session			
19:00	Sponsored Casual Dinner (theme and venue TBC)			

DAY 4 - Monday, 24 October 2016	
08h35 - 08h45	Welcome by Programme Director
08h45 - 09h15	Life coaching cannot be business as usual
09h15 - 09h45	Antimicrobial stewardship: How far have we come and where are we going? – a South African perspective
09h45 - 10h15	Evaluating responses by pharmacy to national health outbreaks such as Ebola, Hepatitis, Malaria etc
10h15 - 10h30	Sponsored Tea Break
10h30 - 11h00	The 8 rights in patient safety
11h00 - 11h30	The race between law and technology: challenges and opportunities for pharmacy
11h30 - 12h00	Closure

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