



University of the Philippines Manila - National Institutes of Health (UPM - NIH)
Forum for Ethical Review Committees in Asia and the Western Pacific (FERCAP)



TRAINING WORKSHOPS FOR 2017

OVERVIEW

With the increasing number of health researches and clinical trials being conducted in the Philippines and Asia, there is a need to address issues related to health research ethics and good clinical practice. The stakeholders – investigators, sponsors, and members of ethics review committees/institutional review boards – need to develop the capacity to cope with the demand for trained human resources and continuing systems improvement. With support from multi-sectoral partnerships and international networking, capacity strengthening in health research ethics must be anchored on a clear national governance framework leading towards a good ethical review system.

The National Institutes of Health University of the Philippines Manila, in collaboration with the Forum for Ethical Review Committees in Asia and the Western Pacific (FERCAP), offers a series of training workshops on health research ethics in order to contribute to regional, national, and institutional capacity building. The training workshops serve as a platform that brings together stakeholders to discuss practical solutions for emerging challenges in health research through lectures and case studies. Through transdisciplinary expertise, the training workshops help promote an environment of cooperation to sustain improvements in the quality of health research.

REGISTRATION FEE

EARLY REGISTRATION: **PhP 6,500.00** | REGULAR REGISTRATION: **PhP 7,000.00** | FOREIGN PARTICIPANTS: **USD 250.00**

Interested participants are advised to register early to avail of the discounted rate. Only pre-registered participants will be accepted.

INCLUDES:

- Training-workshop materials
- Compilation of international and national guidelines in booklet form and CD
- Certificate of training
- Lunch and snacks for 3 days

PAYMENT OPTIONS;

- Check payable to UP Manila Development Foundation Inc.
- Cash, check, or US dollar deposit to UP Manila Development Foundation Inc. PNB-PGH branch
 - Peso current account number : 384564400017
 - US Dollar account number : 398658500013

REGISTRATION & INQUIRIES

Please fill out the registration form and return by **EMAIL** to nihgcp@post.upm.edu.ph. or **FAX** to +63 (2) 5264349. The Training Workshop Secretariat may also be reached at the UPM NIH Research Management and Development Office at **TEL** +63 (2) 526 4349 or +63 (2) 567 2054.

SCHEDULE FOR 2017

7-9 MAR 2017

Principles of Health Research Ethics and Good Clinical Practice (Basic Course)
Early registration until 17 Feb
Regular registration until 3 Mar

3-5 MAY 2017

Ethics Review of Academic Research with Human Subjects
Early registration until 12 Apr
Regular registration until 26 Apr

6-8 JUN 2017

Standard Operating Procedures for Ethics Review Committees (Advanced Course)
Pre-requisite: Completion of Basic Course within the last 2 years
Early registration until 19 May
Regular registration until 2 Jun

22-24 AUG 2017

Principles of Health Research Ethics and Good Clinical Practice (Basic Course)
Early registration until 04 Aug
Regular registration until 18 Aug

24-26 OCT 2017

Continuing Ethics Education: (topics to be announced)
Pre-requisite: Completion of Basic Course within the last 2 years
Early registration until 06 Oct
Regular registration until 20 Oct

Registration deadline will be strictly observed. Registration will be considered final upon payment.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

The training-workshops are intended for those who conduct, coordinate, manage, approve, and fund researches, including:

- Researchers requiring basic and continuing education on health research ethics and good clinical practice
- Members of research ethics committees or institutional review boards
- Sponsors
- Policymakers
- Regulatory agency staff
- Research staff
- Research management staff