



**PHARMACOVIGILANCE AND VIGILANCE  
TRAINING FOR HEALTHCARE  
PROFESSIONALS  
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MUHAS, Dar es Salaam**





**MUHIMBILI UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH AND ALLIED SCIENCES**  
**DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICS AND PHARMACY PRACTICE**  
**SCHOOL OF PHARMACY**



## PHARMACOVIGILANCE AND VIGILANCE TRAINING FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS

### Introduction

A 5 working days course to equip trainees with the necessary skills, knowledge, and attitudes that will enable them to effectively identify, assess, and report ADRs, Adverse Events Following Immunization, Medication Errors, poor quality products and medical devices, and other related problems and take appropriate action to improve patient's well-being and public health.

### Course outlines

The course focuses on topics essential to effective pharmacovigilance, including:

- i. Concept of pharmacovigilance.
- ii. Overview of adverse events and adverse drug reactions.
- iii. Pharmacovigilance structure and responsibilities of stakeholders.
- iv. Regulatory and legal requirements in pharmacovigilance
- v. Good pharmacovigilance practice (development of PV system, PV system master file, risk management plan)
- vi. Vaccine safety surveillance
- vii. Medical devices and diagnostics
- viii. Methods and reporting systems.
- ix. Documentation and record keeping (PSUR, PBRER, VigiFlow and VigiMobile)
- x. Communication in the context of Pharmacovigilance

### Learning outcomes

The course aims to equip trainees with the necessary knowledge and skills to detect, identify, report, and prevent adverse drug reactions), adverse events following immunization, medication errors, poor-quality products and medical devices, and other related issues. Additionally, trainees will learn how to coordinate pharmacovigilance activities in their respective work areas.

Participants will also be able to conduct post-market surveillance of registered pharmaceutical products and prepare and submit the pharmacovigilance system master file, PSUR, PBRER, and RMPs for Market Authorization Holders to TMDA.

### Mode of instruction

A combination of approaches will be used including Lectures, assignments, discussions, scenarios, demonstration case discussions, and hands-on exercises.

### Course Faculty

This course will be taught by highly qualified and experienced pharmacovigilance experts from MUHAS and TMDA. These experts will share their experiences and knowledge.

### Interested?

This course is open to pharmaceutical personnel, medical doctors, nurses, academicians, researchers, graduates, and postgraduates from the medical field. Participants are expected to actively contribute to case study discussions and hands-on sessions.

### How to apply

To apply for this course, you must register and upload your credentials via an online application form by following the link below.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1GL-m3imJkowqQ-sU9Gr-ggwykiqIT3ybs4U8OgthZh4/edit> (Click this link to access the application form)

**The application deadline is 27<sup>th</sup> Nov 2023**

### Start of the course

The course is expected to start on 4<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> December 2023

### Course fee

The course fee is Tshs 350,000/= for local participants and USD 170/= for foreigners. The cost covers tuition fees, meals (lunch), course material, and certificates. Other expenses such as transportation, per diem, and all other associated costs are not included and are expected to be handled separately between the participant and the sponsoring agent.

### Payment Details

The course fee should be deposited using a **Control Number** which will be provided after receiving and approving your application. For more information and payment details call.

Mr. Erick Gilbert, phone number 0620 182 187

### Venue

The course venue is the School of Pharmacy at Muhimbili University of Health and Allied Sciences, Dar es Salaam-Tanzania

### Award

To receive a certificate, participants must fulfill the course's minimum requirements by actively participating and finishing the post-test assessment. Upon completion, participants will receive a certificate of completion and four continuing education credits, acknowledged by TMDA and various national and international stakeholders.

### Application outcome

The names of selected applicants for this course will be available on the MUHAS website and/or through participant e-mail

### For Inquiries

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***We are excited to welcome you all!***