

PHARMACOVIGILANCE AND VIGILANCE TRAINING FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS 24-28 March, 2025 MUHAS, Dar es Salaam







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



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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 (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, VigiMobile, and VigiBase)
- x. Communication in the context of Pharmacovigilance

Learning outcomes

Expected outcomes of the course will be to equip trainees with knowledge and skills to detect, identify, report, and prevent ADRs, Adverse Events Following Immunization, Medication Errors, poor quality products, medical devices, and other related problems. Trainees will equally, gain the ability to coordinate pharmacovigilance activities in their working areas and prepare PV master files. Participants will also be able to conduct postmarket surveillance of their registered pharmaceutical products and prepare PSUR or PBRER. Again, the participants will be able to use VigFlow and VigiMobile.

Mode of instruction

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

Course faculty

This course will be delivered by highly qualified and experienced experts from **MUHAS** and **TMDA**. Pharmacovigilance experts from TMDA will share their experience 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.

PV course application form

(Click this link to access the application form) The application deadline is 17th March 2025

Start of the course

The course is expected to start from the 24th to the 28th of March 2025 **Course fee**

The course fee is Tsh. 400,000/= for local participants and USD 200/= 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

Certificates will be awarded upon fulfilling the course's minimum requirements, including full participation and completion of the pre and post-test assessment. Participants who fulfill these criteria will receive a certificate of completion along with four continuing education credits. The awarded certificate will be recognized 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 from March 20th, 2024, and/or through participant e-mail.

For inquiries

Contact: The course Coordinator: Department of Pharmaceutics and Pharmacy Practice, MUHAS School of Pharmacy P.O. Box 65013 Dar es Salaam, Tanzania. Telephone:0655246490

We look forward to welcoming you all!