

Challenges in Clinical Research: The Global Landscape

Venue: Prof. Rustom Choksi Auditorium, Tata Memorial Centre, Mumbai

Date: 7 – 8th November 2014

Organisers: Tata Memorial Centre & AAHRPP (*Association for the Accreditation of Human Research Protection Programs, Inc.*)

Day 1 (November 7, Friday)

Prof. Rustom Choksi Auditorium (Hall A)			
Time (mins)	Topic	Speaker	Chairperson/ Moderator
08.00 – 08.45 (45)	Registration		
08.45 – 09.00 (15)	Welcome	Anil K D'Cruz , Director, Tata Memorial Hospital; Sudeep Gupta , Deputy director, ACTREC	
	Overview of Scientific Program	Siddhartha Laskar , Prof. of Radiation Oncology Member Secretary, TMH IEC	
09.00 – 09.25 (20+5)	Talk 1 Clinical Research: The Need & Challenges	Anil K D'Cruz , Director, Tata Memorial Hospital; Sudeep Gupta , Deputy director, ACTREC	Tapán Saikia , IEC Chairperson, TMH
09.25 – 09.50 (20+5)	Talk 2 Overview of Accreditation	Elyse I. Summers , President & CEO, AAHRPP, US	Vinay Deshmane , IEC Co-Chair, TMH
09.50 – 10.40 (60)	Panel Discussion 1 Perspectives on Regulatory Issues in Clinical Research	Vasantha Mutthuswamy - Senior Deputy Director General (ret.) ICMR; CS Pramesh , Prof. of Thoracic Surgery, TMH; A Visala , CDSCO; Arun Bhatt , President Clininvent; Yali Cong , Associate Professor, Department of Medical Ethics, Peking University Health Science Center, China	JV Divatia , Prof. & Head of Anesthesiology & Critical Care, TMH
10.40 – 11.00 (20)	Tea and Coffee - Networking Break		
11.00 – 11.30 (30)	Keynote 1 The Helsinki Declaration: Its Evolution	Jeffrey Wendel , President/CEO Chesapeake IRB, US	
11.30 – 11.55 (20+5)	Talk 3 Capacity Building for Ethical Review & Conduct of Biomedical Research	Xiuqin Wang , Secretary & Permanent member IRB, The First Affiliated Hospital of Nanjing Medical University (Jiangsu Province Hospital), China	
11.55 – 12.20 (20+5)	Talk 4 Evolution of Regulatory Guidelines & Implications on Ethical Research in India	Urmila Thatte , Prof. & Head of Clinical Pharmacology, KEM Hospital Chairperson, TMH IEC	
12.20 – 13.00 (40)	Panel Discussion 2 Compensation for Research Related Injuries	Vani Parmar , Prof. of Surgical Oncology, TMH; A Visala , CDSCO; Rachna Bhardwaj , Advocate; Vikram Singh , National Insurance Company; Ian Chen , National Taiwan University Hospital, Taiwan	CS Pramesh , Prof. of Thoracic Surgery, TMH
13.00 – 14.00 (60)	Lunch		
14.00 – 14.30 (15x2)	Talk 5 Accreditation: The Only Way Ahead for Ethical & Efficient Clinical Research	Ian Chen , National Taiwan University Hospital, Taiwan	Sudeep Gupta , Deputy director, ACTREC
14.30 – 14.55 (20+5)	Talk 6 Informed Consent Document: What is Ideal?	Anil Sharma , CEO and Medical Director, IRB Company Inc. and Professor at UCLA, US	

14.55 – 15.20 (20+5)	Talk 7 Protecting Vulnerable Population	Nithya Gogtay , <i>Asso. Prof. of Clinical Pharmacology, KEM Hospital</i>	
15.20 – 15.55 (20+5)	Talk 8 Human Research: Opportunities & Challenges for a Global Multinational	John Oidtman , <i>Vice-President, Clinical Trial Support and Compliance, Pfizer Inc., US</i>	
15.55 – 16.15 (20)	Tea and Coffee - Networking Break		
16.15 – 16.40 (20+5)	Talk 9 Preserving Research Integrity & Protecting Human Participants: The Need to Address Institutional and Individual Financial Conflict of Interest	Marjorie Speers , <i>Ex CEO AAHRPP, Independent Consultant of HRPP, US</i>	
16.40 – 17.20 (40)	Panel Discussion 3 Managing Conflict of Interest In Clinical Trials	Sudeep Gupta , <i>Deputy director, ACTREC;</i> Nithya Gogtay , <i>Asso. Prof. of Clinical Pharmacology, KEM Hospital;</i> Marjorie Speers , <i>Ex CEO AAHRPP, Independent Consultant of HRPP, US;</i> Xiuqin Wang , <i>Secretary & Permanent member IRB, The First Affiliated Hospital of Nanjing Medical University (Jiangsu Province Hospital), China;</i> Ramanathan , <i>Legal Adviser, TMH</i>	Siddhartha Laskar , <i>Prof. of Radiation Oncology Member Secretary, TMH IEC</i>

Dinner Symposium: “Preparing for Accreditation (AAHRPP)” (Discussion followed by dinner)

Time: 19.00 – 21.00

Day 2 (November 8, Saturday)

Prof. Rustom Choksi Auditorium (Hall A)			
Time (mins)	Topic	Speaker	Chairperson/ Moderator
08.00 – 09.00 (60)	Registration		
09.00 – 09.25 (20+5)	Talk 10 Ethical/ Regulatory Issues with Research involving Medical Devices	Sanjay Mittal , <i>Director- Clinical Cardiology and Research, Medanta</i>	
09.25 – 09.50 (20+5)	Talk 11 Ethical/ Regulatory Issues with Bio-repositories	Sangeeta Desai , <i>Prof. & OIC Molecular Pathology Tata Memorial Hospital</i>	
09.50 – 10.15 (20+5)	Talk 12 Central Independent IRB: Is It Viable?/ The Ethics Bill (ICMR)	Roli Mathur , <i>Scientist, ICMR</i>	
10.15 – 10.45 (20)	Talk 13 Comparative Effectiveness Research & Investigational New Drug Trials: Do we need different regulations?	Yali Cong , <i>Associate Professor, Department of Medical Ethics, Peking University Health Science Center, Peking, China</i>	
10.40 – 11.00 (20)	Tea and Coffee - Networking Break		
11.00 – 11.30 (30)	Keynote 2 Research in India: Where do we stand	Ranjit Roy Chaudhury , <i>Prof. of Clinical Pharmacology Member Expert Committee</i>	
11.30 – 11.55 (20+5)	Talk 14 Protecting Patients in Clinical trials: Regulators Perspective	Sudhakar Bangera , <i>Clinical Development Services Agency (CDSA) *</i>	
11.55 – 12.20 (20+5)	Talk 15 IRB Review of Community Based Clinical Research	Cristina Torres , <i>FERCAP Adviser</i>	
12.20 – 13.00 (40)	Panel Discussion 4 Investigational New Drug: Definitions & Interpretations	Kumar Prabhaskar , <i>Medical Oncologist, TMH;</i> Nandini Kumar , <i>Deputy</i>	Vikram Gota , <i>Clinical Pharmacologist</i>

		<p>Director General of IMCR (Retd.); A Visala, CDSCO; Rachna Bharadwaj, Advocate; Felix Gyi, Head Chesapeake IRB, U.S Secretary of Health and Human Services Human Research Protection Advisory Committee, Columbia, US</p>	ACTREC
13.00 – 14.00 (60)	Lunch		
14.00 – 14.25 (20+5)	<p>Talk 16 Clinical Research, Human Rights, & Medical Ethics: Striking the Right Balance</p>	<p>Amar Jesani, Independent consultant & researcher in Bioethics</p>	
14.25 – 14.50 (20+5)	<p>Talk 17 Practical and Robust Evaluation Program of EC/IRB Members</p>	<p>Felix Gyi, Head Chesapeake IRB, U.S Secretary of Health and Human Services Human Research Protection Advisory Committee, Columbia, US</p>	
14.50 – 15.15 (20+5)	<p>Talk 18 Handling Non-compliance & Unanticipated Problems</p>	<p>Pratibha Pereira, HRP consultant</p>	
15.15 – 16.00 (10x4)	Selected Proffered Papers		<p>George K, Assoc. Prof. & Asstt. Surgeon Member Secretary, TMC; Prachi Patil, Assoc. Prof & Asstt. Physician Gastroenterology, TMH</p>
16.00 – 16.15 (15)	Tea and Coffee - Networking Break		
16.15 – 17.15 (60)	Open Forum (Audience questions to experts from Academia/ Regulators/ Industry/ Patient Representative/ NGO)	<p>Anil K D’Cruz, Director, Tata Memorial Hospital; Ranjit Roy Chaudhury, Prof. of Clinical Pharmacology, Member Expert Committee; John Oidtman, Vice-President, Clinical Trial Support and Compliance, Pfizer Inc. US; Urmila Thatte, Prof. & Head of Clinical Pharmacology, KEM Hospital Chairperson, TMH IEC ; Harmala Gupta, President CanSupport; Amir Khan, Actor & Social Activist* ; Elyse I. Summers, President & CEO AAHRPP, US</p>	<p>Sudeep Gupta, Deputy director, ACTREC</p>
17.15 – 17.30 (15)	Valedictory Function & Closing Remarks		

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