

Certificate Program in Clinical Toxicology (2018)

Objectives

1. To update the knowledge in clinical toxicology
2. To improve the management of poisoned patient

Organizers

Hong Kong College of Emergency Medicine and Hong Kong Poison Information Centre

Target Participants

Doctors who are interested in advancing their knowledge in Clinical Toxicology

Course Directors

Dr. S H Tsui and Dr. F L Lau

Speakers

Clinical Toxicology Fellows of HKCEM or senior doctors with relevant expertise

Number of Participants

Around 30

Proposed venue(s)

Meeting Room in HKAM Building

Fees

HKD 4,000

Format

1. A 9-month program. (April to December)
2. Two 1.5-hours sessions on one Saturday morning in each month from 0900 to 1200. (Total **27** training hours)
3. Each session is conducted by one speaker that consists of:
 - A 45-min to 1 hour lecture
 - A 30-45 min interactive case discussion
4. Participants who have attended all the teaching sessions (equivalent to 27 training hours), and passed the MCQ assessment at the end of the program in order to obtain the certificates.
5. Participants who have attended more than 75% but less than 100% of the training sessions (i.e. 14 to 17 sessions) are required to make up the training hour deficit by attending the Hong Kong Poison Information Centre (HKPIC) monthly meetings before the MCQ examination. The HKPIC Monthly Meeting is held on 2nd Wednesday (17:00 – 19:00) each month. Attending each session will count 2 training hours.
6. Failed MCQ arrangement: a supplementary test will be arranged
7. Participants who cannot attend 75% of the training sessions will not be granted the Certificate.
8. There will be a revision session which includes a 1-hour summary lecture to equip participants for the MCQ examination that immediately follows. This lecture will be scheduled in March 2019 to allow time for knowledge consolidation and revision.

Tentative Schedule

Date / Time (2018)	0900 – 1030	1030 – 1200
Apr 21	General Approach in Poisoning Management	Treatments in Clinical Toxicology
May 19	Analgesics Poisoning	Psychiatric Drugs Poisoning
Jun 23	Sleeping Pills Poisoning	CVS Poisons
Jul 21	Acute Chinese Medicine Poisoning	Common Inhalational Poisons
Aug 18	Household Product Poisoning	Pesticide Poisoning
Sep 22	Food Borne Toxins	Pediatric Poisoning
Oct 20	Envenomation	Metal Poisoning
Nov 17	Abusive Substances Poisoning	Ethanol & Toxic Alcohol
Dec 15	Miscellaneous Important Poisoning in Hong Kong	Mass Poisoning / Poisoning Outbreak