

DAY 2

8:00 – 8:15

Format of a Cochrane Review

8:15 – 8:30

Identifying a Project

8:30 – 8.45

Registering a title

8.45 – 9:00

Developing a Protocol

9:00 – 10:00

Practical Exercises

10:00 – 10:30

Coffee Break

10:30 – 10:45

Search Strategy and Selecting Studies

10:45 – 11:00

Hand Searching

11:00 – 12:00

Practical Exercises

12:00 – 1:00

Prayer and Lunch Break

1:00 – 1:30

Methodological Quality

of the Studies

1:30 – 2:00

Practical Exercises

2:00 – 2:30

Wrap up and Feedback

Registration:

Registration will be open from July 09 to Aug 31, 2006

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Cochrane Collaboration and Systematic Reviews

September 12 and 13th 2006
College of Health Sciences
Computer Lab.

Introduction

The Cochrane Collaboration is an international organization that aims to help people make well-informed decisions about healthcare by preparing, maintaining and promoting the accessibility of systematic reviews of the effects of healthcare interventions

Aim

At the completion of this workshop participants should:

- be acquainted with the Cochrane Collaboration and its activities.
- understand the significance of levels of evidence represented as the 'hierarchy of evidence'
- be able to recognize, identify and differentiate between randomized and quasi-randomized controlled trials and be confident at evaluating their methodological rigor.
- have an improved awareness of the distinction between narrative reviews and systematic reviews. be aware of all the steps involved in preparing a protocol for a systematic review

Day 1

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Welcome and Introductions

8:15–8:30

What is the Cochrane Collaboration

8:30 – 8:45

Hierarchy of evidence

8:45 – 9:45

Study Designs

9:45 – 10:00

Q &A

10:00 – 10:15

Coffee Break

10:15 – 11:15

Practical Exercises

11:15 – 12:15

Systematic Reviews versus Narrative Reviews

12:15 – 1:15

Prayer and Lunch Break.

1:15 – 1:30

The Cochrane Library

1:30 – 2:30

Practical Exercises

2:30 – 3:00

Wrap Up & Q &A

Class Size :

30-40 Participants

Place and Date :

Computer Lab,. Ground Floor,
College of Health Sciences—
September 12 and 13th 2006

Fees:

BD 20

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