



Annual Conference Barcelona, 5-7 June 2008 (Spain)

WORKSHOP ON: Practical items for the implementation of standards at the postgraduate level of Medical Education

The workshop will involve an interactive presentation about WFME standards for postgraduate study and the definition, values , how to plan and conduct a self-study. Accreditation process in medical education should be built around standards for accreditation. WFME standards for postgraduate study provide excellent framework for postgraduate training and study yet not widely used and applied. Then a group work will be conducted during which WFME standards for postgraduates will be distributed and the participants will be asked to choose the tools needed to collect evidences for certain standards using a prepared checklist for that. Then they will be asked to design a questionnaire, plan for focus group discussion, determine the type of document and data base needed....etc if those tools should be chosen to collect evidences for that standard. The participants will be provided with a sample of some results and will be asked to drive conclusions and write a report.

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OUTCOMES: By the end of the workshop the participants will be able to:

- Recognize WFME standards for postgraduate study
- Recognize values, planning and conduction of a self-study as a base for practical implementation of standards...
- Identify and select the different tools and sources available to collect evidences for the self-study.
- Design questionnaire and plan for focus group discussion as tools for self-study.
- Analyze results and drive conclusion.

TARGET AUDIENCE: All those who are interested and/or responsible for quality assurance in their institutions.

LEVEL: Beginners



- Registration: free for registered participants to AMSE 2008
- Location: University of Barcelona, Faculty of Medicine
- Duration of the workshop: three hours
- 13:00-16:00 on June 5, 2008
- Language for presentations and discussions: English
- Keywords: Quality improvement, Postgraduate Medical Education

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