

MDM33 Communicable Diseases and Health Protection

Overview

This intensive module, which runs over one week, aims to enable you to develop an understanding of the principles of the control of infectious diseases and environmental hazards and to contribute to their prevention and control in your workplace or professional capacity.

The module can contribute towards continuing professional development (CPD) and also a 20 masters' level credit as part of a Postgraduate Certificate, Postgraduate Diploma or Masters award.

Module Leader:

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Time and Place

12 - 16 April 2010
Falmer site, University of Brighton

Topics

- Introduction to Communicable Diseases and Health Protection including historical and political perspectives
- 'Getting Ahead of the Curve'
- UK/European/Worldwide Organisational Systems
- Surveillance: Principles, Methodologies and Information Sources
- Sexual Health and STIs
- Laboratory Diagnosis of Infectious Diseases and Hospital Acquired Infections, including MRSA
- Blood-borne Viruses and Respiratory Diseases
- Environmental Health: Food Poisoning and Hygiene, Air and Land
- Immunisation and Travel Health
- Nursing and Residential Homes
- Chemical, Biological, Radiation and Nuclear
- Occupational Health
- Contaminated Land
- Respiratory Infections, including SARS



Application form

For further information and/or an application form, please contact the programme administrator, Joanna Bocking, on:

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