

# **REGIONAL CENTRE OF REGULATORY EXCELLENCE (RCORE) IN MEDICINES EVALUATION AND REGISTRATION**

## **ADVERTISEMENT A Short Course Training on Medicine Evaluation and Registration**



**A consortium of School of Pharmacy- Muhimbili University of Health  
and Allied Sciences (SoP-MUHAS) and Tanzania Food and Drugs  
Authority (TFDA)**

A consortium of SoP-MUHAS and TFDA was recently awarded a designation as a Regional Centre of Regulatory Excellence (RCORE) in medicines evaluation and registration by the African Medicines Regulatory Harmonization (AMRH) Programme Advisory Committee following successful review of the application by the AMRH Technical Working Group (TWG) on Regulatory Capacity Development.

## **Who the collaborating Partners?**

The SoP-MUHAS is one of the five schools of MUHAS after its establishment as a full-fledged University by the MUHAS Charter 2007 in the manner prescribed in The University Act, 2005. The SoP-MUHAS, being an institution of higher learning, produces skilled professional to run the pharmaceutical sector in the country.

The Tanzania Food and Drugs Authority (TFDA) is a semi-autonomous Government agency that was established under the Tanzania Food, Drugs and Cosmetics Act, 2003 with the mission of protecting and promoting public health by ensuring quality, safety and effectiveness of food, drugs, cosmetics and medical devices.

## **Objectives of the Centre**

The primary goal of the Regional Centre of Regulatory Excellence in Medicines Evaluation and Registration is to assist National Medicines Regulatory Authorities (NMRAs) in the region to build up national and regional capacity in pre-approval scientific evaluation of medicines so that the public can access these medicines and be assured that they meet acceptable standards of quality, safety and efficacy.

Specifically, among others, the centre will provide:-

- (a) Training of the regulatory staff on Medicine Evaluation and Registration (MER) and provide hands on training on dossier evaluation through joint reviews.
- (b) Support the region to move towards effective implementation of medicine regulation harmonization.

## **Course Title**

Competence based **Medicines Evaluation and Registration** including **Evaluation of Clinical Trial files**

## **Eligibility**

Applicants to this course should be;

- a) New/beginning and mid carrier staff working with National Medicines Regulatory Authorities (NMRAs) in Africa as Medicines Assessors
- b) Should have a minimum of a Bachelor of Pharmacy Degree or related field

## **Application**

**Dates:** 1<sup>st</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> August 2015

**Submit:** Curriculum vitae, academic credentials and support letter from the NMRA

Scanned documents or hard copies can be sent through any of the contact addresses given at the end of this advertisement

## **Announcement of selected participants**

10<sup>th</sup> September 2015

### **Duration of the training**

Three weeks

From 19<sup>th</sup> October to 4<sup>th</sup> November 2015

### **Training cost**

Training cost per individual; excluding travel and living expenses is **USD 1,500** for the entire course

### **Training mode**

The theoretical lessons will be offered at the University campus (SoP – MUHAS). This will be followed by competence based experiential hands on training within the regulatory authority (TFDA)

### **Contact addresses**

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