

An Introduction to Clinical Epidemiology WORKSHOP

Clinical Epidemiology addresses clinical issues such as predicting the course and determining the cause of disease, screening and diagnosis of disease, evaluating the burden of illness and quality of life and identifying strategies to improve the quality and outcomes of clinical care.

This **free two-day interdisciplinary workshop** will provide introductory skills in clinical epidemiology methods, including:

- concepts and principles of clinical epidemiology
- potential biases inherent in research designs
- critical evaluation of biomedical research articles
- clinical research study design principles
- application of research results to daily clinical practice

In addition, the workshop will provide an opportunity to connect with other health professionals interested in clinical research. This workshop is open to any health professional in Nova Scotia who is interested in conducting research and has considered how to include research in their clinical practice.

Dates:	November 1 and 15, 2013
Location:	Room 114, Centre for Clinical Research (Victoria General Hospital Site) 5790 University Avenue, Halifax, NS
Capacity:	18 participants Meals and refreshments provided
Application deadline:	4 p.m., September 27, 2013

- Educationally co-sponsored by Dalhousie University Continuing Medical Education (CME) and Continuing Pharmacy Education (CPE).
- As an accredited provider, Dalhousie University, CME designates this continuing medical education activity for up to 11 credit hours for MAINPRO M-1 of the College of Family Physicians of Canada and as an accredited group learning Section 1 activity as defined by the Maintenance of Certification Program of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada.
- In keeping with CMA Guidelines, program content and selection of speakers are the responsibility of the planning committee. Support is directed toward the costs of the course and not to individual speakers.
- Accredited by Dalhousie Continuing Pharmacy Education for 11.5 CEU's and file number is CED-2013-458.

To obtain an application form, please contact Janet Gallant at janet.gallant@cdha.nshealth.ca or 902.473.2118
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