

# Concept Development Workshop for Investigators

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> November 2010

## *Concept Development Workshop for Clinical Investigators*

This one day workshop will help clinical investigators develop new clinical trial concepts. It will provide information, advice and guidance on how to develop a concept outline from an initial idea or clinical question by specifying a suitable aim, objectives, population, interventions, study design, outcome measures, sample size, analysis plan and funding strategy, as well as further tips and hints on developing your proposal into a funding application and full study protocol.

### *Who should attend?*

This workshop is designed for investigators who have an idea for a clinical trial and are suitably qualified individuals pursuing clinical research. Investigators from any therapeutic area or discipline are able to attend.

***Workshop Registration – Please register your interest by COB Friday 29th of October 2010 as there are a limited number of spaces in the workshop.*** A fee of \$100 will be payable at registration to offset administrative costs. Travel expenses to the workshop will be the responsibility of the participant.

### *What should you do to prepare?*

Each participant will be required to bring a concept outline for a study or a protocol currently being written. This will be developed further during the workshop. ***A draft concept outline for your study must be submitted for review by the workshop faculty by COB Friday 29th of October 2010.***

### *Workshop Faculty*

The workshop faculty based at the NHMRC Clinical Trials Centre has extensive experience and expertise in the development of clinical trials, teaching clinical trials methods, statistical design and analyses.

### *Workshop Venue & Times*

This workshop is being convened by the NHMRC Clinical Trials Centre at the following address at The University of Sydney:

Medical Foundation Building  
92-94 Parramatta Rd,  
Camperdown NSW

This workshop will be run from 9am to 5pm

### *In collaboration with The Outreach Program*

*– An Australian initiative to provide support for clinical trials research*

*Supported by the National Health and Medical Research Council of Australia (NHMRC).*

## *Workshop Program*

The program will include a number of interactive sessions and topics including:

- *Structure and Purpose of a Concept Outline*
- *Developing a Health Intervention*
- *Trial Design and Sample Size Calculations*
- *Specifying Suitable Target Populations*
- *Outcomes*
- *Feasibility and Funding Strategies*

The program format will consist of a combination of presentations, exercises and interactive group discussions. Participants will work on their proposed concepts throughout the day and present them for discussion and feedback in small group sessions supported by faculty experts.

### *Further Information*

**NHMRC Clinical Trials Centre**

[www.ctc.usyd.edu.au](http://www.ctc.usyd.edu.au)

Tel: 02 9562 5000

### **Outreach Program**

[www.outreachclinicaltrials.org.au](http://www.outreachclinicaltrials.org.au)

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# REGISTRATION / TAX INVOICE

## CONCEPT DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP FOR INVESTIGATORS



**University of Sydney (NHMRC Clinical Trials Centre)**

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Please register me for :

Tick	Course	Date	Price (GST included)
	Concept Development Workshop	Friday 12 November 2010	\$100.00
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>\$100.00</b>

Payment Options:

Please find enclosed a cheque (in \$AUD) made payable to 'The University of Sydney'

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Attn: Outreach Program  
 NHMRC Clinical Trials Centre,  
 Locked Bag 77  
 Camperdown NSW 1450

Phone : +61 (0)2 9562 5000  
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**Scan and email to:**

[trials@ctc.usyd.edu.au](mailto:trials@ctc.usyd.edu.au)

NOTE : Due to the nature of this course, only a limited number of people will be able to participate. We encourage early registrations so that you do not miss out!