Announcement

APICON 2004

Workshop-3 Clinical Epidemiology and Research Methodology
21 Jan 2004, Time: 1000 - 1300 Hrs, Hall E

The objective of this workshop is to provide members with an introduction to plan, conduct, analyse, interpret and write up a Research Protocol. The essence of Research Methodology consists of 8 steps starting with (1) asking the correct research question, 2) Calculating the adequate sample size, 3) Selecting the sample size by proper methods, 4) Selecting the correct tools and techniques of making measurements of obtaining required information, 5) Thinking and recording information on all factors which can be indirectly associated with the study, 6) Analyzing the data appropriately using appropriate statistical tests, 7) recommendation and 8) Finally to develop new research question.

This workshop is designed to provide insight into some aspects of ‘Research methodology’.

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There are limited vacancies (50-75) available. Participants are chosen on first come first served basis. There will be no registration fee. All those who are interested to participate in the Workshop are requested to communicate with the Convenor.

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Technical Monogram - Diabetic Neuropathy

Book Review

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Dr. Shashank R Joshi

Diabetic Neuropathy is a very important and disabling complication of diabetes requiring much attention. The monogram ‘Diabetic Neuropathy’ written by Dr. Shashank Joshi ably deals with this condition. The book is precisely written and use of tables and algorithms have made it easily readable. The author takes the reader through various aspects of diabetic neuropathy like classification, natural history, pathology and pathogenesis to reach investigations and therapy which are dealt with great details. The common issues in diabetic foot are also discussed. This book forms a welcome addition to literature available on this subject and will be very helpful to clinicians working in various branches of medicine dealing with diabetic neuropathy.

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