

## Forthcoming evidence-based courses and conferences

### 2009

#### 11–14 October

Cochrane Colloquium

Singapore

Further information is available at

[www.cochrane.org.au/colloquium2009/singapore.htm](http://www.cochrane.org.au/colloquium2009/singapore.htm)

#### 19–23 October

American Dental Association/Forsyth Course on

Evidence-based Dentistry

Boston, Massachusetts

Further information is available at [www.ada.org/goto/EBDCourse](http://www.ada.org/goto/EBDCourse)

#### 28 October–1 November

5th International Conference of Evidence Based Health Care

Teachers and Developers

Taormina, Sicily, Italy

Further information is available at [www.ebhc.org/](http://www.ebhc.org/)

#### 27 November

Workshop on Evidence-based Practice

Oxford, UK

Further information at [www.cebm.net/index.aspx?o=1070](http://www.cebm.net/index.aspx?o=1070)

### 2010

#### 29–31 March

How to Practice Evidence-based Health Care

Oxford, UK

Further information at [www.cebm.net/index.aspx?o=4676](http://www.cebm.net/index.aspx?o=4676)

#### 17–21 May

11th Oxford Course in Evidence-based Dentistry

Oxford, UK

Further information is available at

[cpd.conted.ox.ac.uk/ebhc/courses/ebd/](http://cpd.conted.ox.ac.uk/ebhc/courses/ebd/)

### Cochrane Workshops

Details of workshops organised by the Cochrane Collaboration in a range of locations across the world are listed on the web at [www.cochrane.org/news/workshops.shtml](http://www.cochrane.org/news/workshops.shtml)

### Oxford International Programme in Evidence-based Health Care, MSc in Evidence-based Health Care

This is a joint programme from Oxford University's Continuing Professional Development Centre and Department of Primary Health Care. It is offered as a part-time course consisting of six taught

modules and a dissertation. The flexible structure of the course has been devised to fit with the structure of specialist training and to accommodate student choice.

The modules from the International Programme in Evidence-based Health Care can be taken as stand-alone short courses.

Available modules are:-

- The Practice of Evidence-based Health Care (compulsory for MSc)
- Introduction to Study Design and Research Methods (compulsory for MSc)
- Clinical Epidemiology and Decision Making (Evidence in Practice)
- Ethics in Health Care
- Evidence-based Change
- Evidence-based Dentistry
- Evidence-based Diagnosis and Screening
- Further Practical Statistics
- Patient-based Evidence
- Qualitative Research Methods
- Randomised Controlled Trials
- Statistics for Health Researchers (online)
- Systematic Reviews

For further information visit the website at

[cpd.conted.ox.ac.uk/ebhc/msc.asp](http://cpd.conted.ox.ac.uk/ebhc/msc.asp)

### MSc in Evidence for Public Policy and Practice

*Evidence for Policy and Practice Information and Co-ordinating (EPPI) Centre, Social Science Research Unit, Institute of Education, London*

This MSc has been designed for graduates and policy-makers, practitioners, managers and researchers who want to become more skilled in systematic reviewing and develop a critical understanding of the relationships between research evidence and public policy and practice. Students will be encouraged to build their studies around their own areas of interest. These could relate to social welfare, education, crime and justice, transport, health and health promotion, housing, or any other area of social policy or practice. This degree can be completed in 1 year full-time or over 2 years part-time. Core course modules are delivered in four full-day sessions, 1 week apart. These modules can be taken as short courses without accreditation.

Further information: please visit our website ([eppi.ioe.ac.uk/cms](http://eppi.ioe.ac.uk/cms)) and contact Cesar Bazan (tel.: +44(0)20 7612 6131; e-mail [EPPIAdmin@ioe.ac.uk](mailto:EPPIAdmin@ioe.ac.uk))

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