



ASHM HIV s100 Prescriber Course

Supporting the HIV, Viral Hepatitis and Sexual Health Workforce



Day 1 Tuesday, 15 November 2016, 2:30pm - 9:30pm

Day 2 Saturday, 19 November 2016, 9:00am - 4:30pm

Venue Rydges South Park Adelaide, 1 South Terrace, Adelaide SA 5000



ASHM is an authorised provider of Accredited Activities under the RACGP QI&CPD Program. This activity has been approved by the RACGP QI&CPD Program for 40 Category 1 points.



This activity has been accredited with 2 HIV CPD points per module.

HIV is now considered a manageable chronic condition requiring lifelong treatment. Prescribing HIV medications is increasingly simplified with a range of single tablet regimes with low side-effect profiles.

General Practitioners can play an important role in the management and treatment of HIV and other co-morbidities associated with HIV, particularly for clients with substance misuse.

The HIV s100 Prescriber Course is designed to support GPs in managing and treating HIV in the general practice setting, providing them with the opportunity to establish relationships with local specialist services for ongoing mentoring and referral.

Upon successful completion of this training and the associated case assessment, medical practitioners may apply for authority to prescribe section 100 drugs for the management of HIV in Australia.

Course Outline

- **Module 4** – Initiation of Antiretroviral Therapy: including principles of ARV therapy, drug classes and initiation of therapy.
- **Module 5** – Monitoring the Patient on Therapy: including screening for other infections, frequency of monitoring, adherence and test variability.
- **Module 6** – Toxicities and Adverse Events: including toxicities associated with first-line regimens, co morbidities and long term adverse events.
- **Module 7** – Special Scenario: including salvage therapy, opportunistic infections, mother to child transmission, and PEP.
- **Module 8** – Clinical Skills Development: this module offers a choice of self-directed activities

Please note that the on-line *Introduction to HIV Care for General Practitioners* module is a pre-requisite for this course. Information and access details will be provided to participants upon registration.

Course Fee:

The fee to attend this course is \$600 (ASHM Members) or \$650 (non ASHM Members)

There may be limited course-fee support for practitioners working in some Australian jurisdictions. ASHM will notify you post-registration if you are eligible to apply for a course fee reduction/bursary. Alternatively, please contact ASHM to see if you are eligible

HIV & AIDS Conference discount:

The Australasian HIV & AIDS Conference is being held in Adelaide from the 16-18 November. If you are registered to attend the HIV & AIDS conference you will receive a discount of \$150 on your course registration.

Register at:

www.ashm.org.au/courses

Registrations Close:

Friday 11, November 2016

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This course is targeted at General Practitioners. A limited number of places are available for nurses, allied health workers and registrars/trainees.

A limited number of travel scholarships are available for regional/ rural GPs; please contact ASHM for further information.

ASHM is a signatory to the ACFID Code of Conduct and is committed to the principles of the Ottawa Charter for health promotion and the Jakarta Declaration on health promotion.

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