

Agenda for the Health Products Regulatory Authority (HPRA) Information Day

The Pharmacovigilance legislation: two years on

Date: 21st November 2014
Location: The Crowne Plaza Hotel, Northwood Park, Santry
Time: Registration will take place from 8am to 9am.

Session 1: Chairperson – Dr. Joan Gilvarry, HPRA

- 09.00** Welcome and introduction
Dr. Joan Gilvarry, HPRA
- 09.00 – 09.30** Pharmacovigilance Risk Assessment Committee Perspective – two years of enhanced public health protection.
Dr. Almath Spooner, HPRA
- 09.30 – 10.00** European Medicines Agency Update on Implementation – focus on EudraVigilance, article 57 database and operation of the new tools.
Dr. Sabine Brosch, EMA
- 10.00 – 10.30** HPRA perspective on practical implementation of the legislation – focus on signals, RMPs, PSURs, timetables, and product labelling updates.
Dr. Yvonne Looney, HPRA
- 10.30 – 11.00** Panel discussion
- 11.00 – 11.30** Tea/Coffee
- 11.30 – 11.50** Pharmacovigilance for biologics – focus on traceability
Dr. Emma Lawless, HPRA
- 11.50 – 12.15** RMPs for generics and established medicinal products
Dr. Ria Mahon, HPRA

12.15–12.40 PSUR submission requirements for nationally authorized products

Dr. Eleanor Carey, HPRA

12.40–13.00 Pharmacovigilance referrals – national implementation processes

Ms. Anna Marie Coleman, HPRA

13.00 – 14.15 Lunch break

Session 2: Chairperson – Dr. Caitríona Fisher, HPRA

14.15 – 14.45 The Impact of Legislative Changes on National Adverse Reaction Reporting

Ms. Niamh Arthur, HPRA

14.45 – 15.00 Achieving compliance – lessons learned from Inspection

Ms. Sinead Curran, HPRA

15.00 – 15.15 Notification of withdrawn products

Dr. Jayne Crowe, HPRA

15.15 – 16.00 How have the benefits of strengthened pharmacovigilance impacted on the patient?

Mr. François Houjéz, EURORDIS

16.00 Meeting close