



Equip summer school Research in Quality in Primary Care

Ghent
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First Announcement

Quality improvement (QI) has a high priority in health care. Many countries have also started programs to develop patient safety. Process and indicator development, benchmarking and implementation of changes are the essence in quality development work, where many are involved. EQuiP wants to support training of researchers in this specific field by organizing international courses.

Aims

Bring together twenty young PC professionals and teach them about research in Quality in PC. Support and sustain networking between the participants.

Methods

Working methods during the summer school include

- small group work
- lectures
- case studies
- own work
- preparation before

There is a social program to support networking and meet each other and the teachers; some of the program consists of visits to local Quality projects

Target group

The target group comprises of researchers and others (physicians, nurses, allied health professionals) who want to learn about research of quality improvement in health care.

The focus is not on a specific healthcare sector, but there will be an emphasis on primary care. Young researchers are specially invited.

Teaching staff / faculty:

Prof. Frede Olesen, Århus University, Denmark

Prof. Jochen Gensichen, the responsible teacher, Jena University, Germany

Prof. Jan De Maeseneer, Ghent University, Belgium

Piet Vanden Bussche, Domus Medica Belgium and Ghent University

Organisation by

- Equip, the European association for quality Improvement in primary care supported by the European Wonca networks of Euract and EGPRN
- The department of Family Medicine and Primary Health Care of Ghent University, WHO Collaborating Centre on PHC
- Domus Medica, the Flemish Organisation of General Practitioners

The organizing committee succeeded in lowering the threshold for participation

	congress fee	hotel cost (youth hostel)	total
early registration	550	150	700
registration after 01/06	650	150	800
registration after 01/08	650	250	900

For all information and early registration

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