

GLOBAL CONFERENCE ON THE FUTURE OF HOSPITAL PHARMACY



**30-31 August 2008, Basel, Switzerland
during the 68th International Congress of FIP**

Hosted by the FIP Hospital Pharmacy Section



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You are invited to participate in a historic event that will guide the future development of hospital pharmacy practice around the world. The FIP Hospital Pharmacy Section (HPS) is hosting a Global Conference on the Future of Hospital Pharmacy immediately before the start of the 68th International Congress of the International Pharmaceutical Federation (FIP).

The conference is open to any hospital pharmacy leader, hospital pharmacist or other individual interested in hospital pharmacy practice. This event will give the participants the opportunity to share professional experiences in hospital pharmacy with colleagues from all over the world.

The complete findings of a Global Survey on Hospital Pharmacy Practice, a FIP Board of Pharmaceutical Practice Special Project carried out in 2007-2008, will be presented. The participants will identify opportunities for global advancement of hospital pharmacy practice relevant to the needs of each participating country. Working group sessions will focus on various dimensions of the medication use process in hospital. Consensus statements will be developed to offer guidance on the development of tools to advance hospital pharmacy practice.

The conference will truly be a unique opportunity to influence, in a very direct way, the development of hospital pharmacy in all countries of the world, consistent with the critical needs that patients and healthcare professionals have for pharmacists' expertise.

Please make plans now to attend both the HPS Global Conference on the Future of Hospital Pharmacy and the 68th International Congress of FIP. We hope to see you in Basel!

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FRIDAY, 29 AUGUST 2008

Welcome reception

SATURDAY, 30 AUGUST 2008

Registration

Welcoming address

OPENING PLENARY SESSION

Keynote address

A Global Survey of Hospital Pharmacy Practice: Complete Findings

Introduction to Working Group topics

WORKING GROUP SESSIONS

Theme 1: Medicines procurement

Theme 2: Prescribing of medicines

Theme 3: Preparation and distribution of medicines

Theme 4: Administration of medicines

Theme 5: Monitoring of medication therapy

Theme 6: Human resources and training in hospital pharmacy

SUNDAY, 31 AUGUST 2008

Reports from each working group and consensus voting

FINAL PLENARY SESSION

Opportunities for global collaboration

Global Conference Conclusions

Closing remarks and adjournment

**OPENING OF THE 2008 WORLD CONGRESS OF PHARMACY AND
PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES, 68th INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF FIP**



FIP is a world-wide federation of national pharmaceutical associations, with a mission to represent and serve pharmacy and pharmaceutical sciences around the globe. Through its member associations and individual members, FIP connects, represents and serves more than a million pharmacists and pharmaceutical scientists around the world.

Hospital pharmacists from around the world belong to the Hospital Pharmacy Section of FIP. The Hospital Pharmacy Section, founded in 1957, focuses on education, communication and improving the pharmacy practice in hospitals around the world.

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