

2009 GLOBAL HARMONIZATION CONFERENCE



MAY 12-14, 2009 - TORONTO, ONTARIO, CANADA



12th GLOBAL HARMONIZATION TASK FORCE CONFERENCE

The Global Harmonization Task Force is a partnership between regulatory authorities and regulated industry. The GHTF is focused on achieving greater uniformity between national medical device regulatory systems. This is being done with two aims in mind: enhancing patient safety and increasing access to safe, effective and clinically beneficial medical technologies around the world. The GHTF conference is the venue for sharing the latest regulatory issues, developments and solutions - A must attend for regulatory professionals and stakeholders affected by medtech regulations.

Who should Attend?

- All Founding GHTF Members
- Members of Regional Harmonization Working Groups
- Medical Device Regulators
- Senior Management
- Regulatory Affairs Professionals
- Students and Professors of Medical Technology and Regulatory Affairs
- Stakeholders affected by Medtech Regulations

Topics

- **The GHTF Model**
Where are We & Where are We Going
- **The Value of Medical Technology**
The Patient Perspective
- **Special Sessions for the Asian Harmonization Working Party & the Latin America Harmonization Working Party**
- **Global Market Access**
The Industry's View, The Regulators' View
- **Updates from the GHTF Study Groups**
- **Hot Topic Presentations and Discussions**
 - o Combination Products
 - o Global Nomenclature
 - o Unique Identifiers
 - o Patient Safety
 - o Post Market Surveillance
 - o Clinical Evidence
 - o Health Technology Assessment

➔ **SAVE THE DATE**
Tuesday, May 12 to Thursday, May 14, 2009

➔ **LOCATION**
Westin Harbour Castle (downtown Toronto)
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Toronto, Ontario M5J 1A6 Canada
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