

Joint Symposium

Writing Protocols: collaboration and compromise or conflict and confusion?

Tuesday 24 February 2009

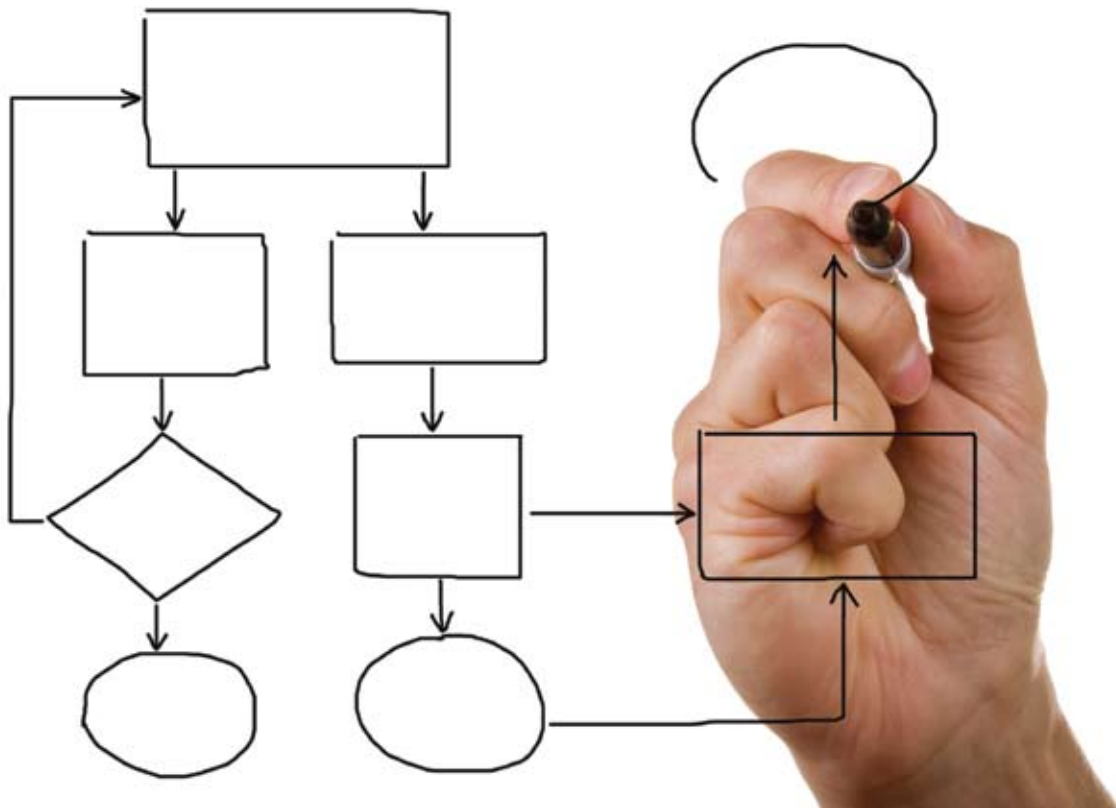
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EMWA and ICR are delighted to invite you to their second joint symposium.

The process of designing, writing, and reviewing protocols is always challenging and is too often fraught with conflict and confusion. The aim of this second joint EMWA-ICR symposium is to bring together the different players involved in protocol writing and to provide a forum for them to discuss and debate their different points of view. Presenters and panelists will include experts representing the different facets of clinical research, including medical writing, monitoring, project management, ethics committees and the investigative site. We hope the outcome will be an agreement to collaborate and compromise—rather than open warfare—but you'd better come and find out for yourself!

The Programme

- 9.00 **Registration and arrival refreshments**
Session Chair - Wendy Kingdom, Freelance Medical Writer
- 9.45 - 10.10 **Medical writing for protocols: details and diplomacy**
Debbie Reynolds, Dianthus Medical Limited
- 10.10 - 10.40 **A pharmaceutical company view of protocols**
Sandra Waechter, Janssen-Cilag
- 10.40 - 11.10 **It's never too early to ask a statistician**
Adam Jacobs, Dianthus Medical Limited
- 11.10 - 11.30 Refreshment break & exhibition
- 11.30 - 12:00 **Putting the square peg into the round hole**
Sue Mackay, CDSS Limited
- 12.00 - 12.30 **Panel discussion with Q&A**
- 12.30 - 14.00 Lunch & exhibition
Session Chair - Adam Jacobs, Dianthus Medical Limited
- 14.00 - 14.30 **Protocols: a monitor's wish list**
Laura Parkes, Merck Serono
- 14.30 - 15.00 **Recruiting patients: trials and tribulations**
Abhijit Chaudhuri, Queen's Hospital & Essex Centre for Neurological Sciences
- 15.00 - 15.20 Refreshment break & exhibition
- 15.20 - 15.50 **Top team tactics**
Martin Robinson, Institute of Clinical Research
- 15.50 - 16.20 **Panel discussion with Q&A**
- 16.20 - 16.30 **Conference wrap up**



Registration Form

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We reserve the right to change the speakers, timings and content of the programme at any time if necessary.

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