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PCMG Workshop: An Inspector Calls

Ensuring Pharma/Biotech outsourcing managers are fully prepared to plan and execute measures to successfully complete GXP regulatory inspections.

16th April 2024

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AGENDA

- 09:00** **Registration opens**
Refreshments will be served, and we encourage you to network with your industry peers during this time.
- 09:30** **Introduction to the workshop**
Before the day begins, we want to hear your experiences.
Lan Bandara - Franchise Sourcing Lead, argenx
Emmet Browne - VP, Commercial, EU, Worldwide Clinical Trials
- 09:40** **Setting the Scene: Current and future inspection requirements related to Outsourcing tasks and responsibilities**
'Start with the end in mind' – Study lifecycle and landscape, and vendor oversight for successful inspection outcomes!
This session will cover:
- Recent changes in clinical trial delivery and inspection conduct
 - The current regulations that drive inspections
 - Inspections overview including:
 - o Types of inspections
 - o Different approaches to preparation
 - o Key observations and hot topics
 - The inspection process
 - The Inspector's expectations regarding vendor oversight, including Qualification and Oversight
- Speaker:**
Rosemarie Corrigan – EVP Global Quality, Worldwide Clinical Trials
- 10:40** **Refreshments and Networking Break**
An opportunity to discuss learnings from the workshop and network with colleagues from across the industry.
- 11:00** **The inspection framework and key tools for successful outcomes**
We'll hear the reality of inspection readiness from the outsourcing community.
This session will cover:
- **Inspection Readiness – Who? What? Where? When? How?**
 - o Inspection process, boundaries and integration between Outsourcing and Operations inspection responsibilities
 - o Interview preparation: Mock inspections, SOPs and Vendors
 - o Documentation – Which outsourcing-related files are needed and where should they be TMF or not TMF? That is the question...
 - o Interview preparation: Communicating with the inspector.
 - o Storyboarding: What and When
 - **Inspection Readiness – Short case studies and lessons learned**
 - o How storyboarding can demonstrate compliance in a complex outsourcing situation

- *Small is beautiful but challenging, the inspection perspective for a smaller company.*

Speakers:

Rebecca Elton – Senior Clinical Vendor Manager, Leo Pharma

Clare Riddle – Director, Audit & Inspection, Worldwide Clinical Trials

Jenny Martin – Director, Regulatory Intelligence Compliance, Worldwide Clinical Trials

Richard Scaife – Director, PCMG & Former Biotech Outsourcing VP

12:30 Lunch and Networking Break

An opportunity to discuss learnings from the workshop and network with colleagues from across the industry.

13:30 Practical Workshop

Attendees will be given case study challenges and split into groups to work through scenarios based on real-life inspection situations to develop readiness actions and predicted outcomes.

Led by the PCMG and Worldwide Clinical Trials workshop experts

14:30 Refreshments and Networking Break

An opportunity to discuss learnings from the workshop and network with colleagues from across the industry.

15:00 The inspection experience

This session will cover:

- *Hints and tips to address inspection observations*
- *The Inspector's perspective (from a former MHRA-inspector)*
- *The do's and don'ts of inspections*
- **The inspection checklist for outsourcing management:** *Collectively constructing a pre-inspection assessment tool.*

15:45 Workshop summary, conclusion and follow-up actions

16:00 Workshop closes

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