

Diseases and Medicines Management

Part 2

AGENDA

AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

This course is aimed at all dispensary staff and 'receptionists in the dispensary' who wish to gain a basic understanding of some of the more commonly prescribed medicines and provide dispensers with confidence when carrying out DRUMs.

Staff will become efficient at referring to the BNF and its appendices. The course is run interactively as two sessions. Part 1 covers drugs for the Gastrointestinal system, The Respiratory System, The Cardiovascular System and briefly on The Central nervous System. Part 2 covers The Endocrine System ;steroids, diabetes and HRT and infection.

Please bring a copy of the BNF with you

1.00pm

Registration & Introduction to the day

The BNF

- Categories to be studied

The Endocrine System

- Hormones
- Organs

Diabetes

- What is it?
- Drugs used in diabetes
- Insulin

3.00pm

Afternoon Tea

Variations of drug cost in each BNF group

- Using The Drug Tariff

Thyroid

- Levothyroxine and Carbimazole

Sex Hormones

- HRT

Interactive discussion about 'What we have learnt today'

4.30pm

Finish