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Two day State level Seminar

# "New Pharma Policy and DPCO 2013: Challenges to the Community Pharmacies"

State Level Registration Fee Rs. 100/-

The National Pharmaceuticals Pricing Policy 2012 replaced the Drugs (Price Control) Order, 1994 with the Drug Price Control Order 2013, which came into effect on July 29. However, with the new price regulation in place, more drugs have come under the scheduled category, where margins are lower. Also, the margins are squeezed from 16% to 13.79% for retailers and from 8% to 7% for wholesalers. Since the implementation of a new pharma policy in July, a tussle has been on between pharma companies and trade over margins, leading to scarcity of widely-prescribed medications. India is yet to move towards a generic regime of drugs as in the US. This has led to brand loyalty imposed by doctors on patients, worsening situations such as this one. India needs a unified drug authority that makes it mandatory for pharmacists to stock enough, and rules that penalise those who don't.

#### Outcome:

This will create awareness amongst all the delegates as well as the invitees as all aspects of New Pharma Policy and DPCO 2013 will be discussed on a common platform, right from its impact on the pharma retailers, distributors, manufacturers as well as the consumers, present scenario, importance, opportunities & challenges for community pharmacies.

In addition, curriculum in Pharmacy at both UG and PG level doesn't include the concerns and in detail understanding of National Pharma Policy, National List of Essential Medicines and Drug Price Control Order 2013. Therefore, we feel that this exhaustive session on NPP and DPCO 2013 would definitely benefit all students and staff.

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## **Organizing Committee**

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## Who can attend:

Community Pharmacists, Pharmacy students and Teachers.

**REGISTRATION FORM** Please Tick the appropriate box or boxes for the seminar you wish to participate FEB, 10-12, 2014 "Redefining the Role of Bioequivalence Studies Regi. Charges Rs. 150/for Quality Standards of Generic Drugs" GENERIC FEB, 13-14, 2014 "Neurological Disorders and Complimentary Regi. Charges Rs. 100/-Alternative Medicines: Problems and Prospects" FEB, 15-16, 2014 "New Pharma Policy and DPCO 2013: Regi. Charges Rs. 100/-Challenges to the Community Pharmacies" Name: For contact: Please confirm your participation by Email Designation: scop@sinhgad.edu Name of the Institute/Organisation: hemantkjain2001@yahoo.co.in (09011564929) sunetra p@yahoo.co.in (09422910940) Correspondence Address: vaishaligambhire@gmail.com (09423084869) Please send your registration form, duly filled to Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell No. : Sinhgad College of Pharmacy, S. No. 44/1, Vadgaon (Bk.), Fax: Email: Off. Sinhgad Road, Pune - 411 041. D.D. details : No.: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Bank : \_\_\_\_\_ Date: Phone / Fax - (020) 24354720/ 24355038 URL: http://cms.sinhgad.edu/pharmacy/scop/about-Accommodation Required : Yes / No us.aspx

### **Registration Details:**

Registration by either cash or D.D. in favour of "Principal, Sinhgad College of Pharmacy, Pune"

#### Enclose D.D. with this form

The number of seats is limited to 50, therefore, registration of the delegates will be on first come first served basis. Candidates should send this filled registration form as E-Mail attachment on or before Feb 08, 2014.

(Photocopies of the form can be used if required)

Signature of Participant

Seal & Signature of Head of Institute/Organization