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The Sri Lanka Association of Clinical Pharmacology and Therapeutics (SLACPT)
Medication Safety Curriculum Sub-Committee

WORLD SMART MEDICATION DAY

Webinar on Medication Safety Curriculum for Sri Lankan Universities

Coinciding with the inaugural ‘World Smart Medication Day’ initiated by International Union of Basic & Clinical Pharmacology (IUPHAR)

Thursday, 6th MAY 2021, 9.30 am – 12.00 noon

PROGRAMME

9.30 – 9.35 am  Welcome address
Professor Asita De Silva
President SLACPT

9.35 – 9.45 am  World Smart Medication Day launched by IUPHAR
Dr Nilima Kshirsagar
MD, PhD, FACCP (USA), FRCP (UK)
Secretary General Clinical Division IUPHARA

9.45 – 10.15 am  Medication safety aspects to be addressed in a medical curriculum based on WHO medication safety curriculum and local issues
Professor Priyadarshini Galappatthy
Chairperson, Subcommittee of SLACPT on Medication Safety Curriculum

10.15 – 10.25 am  Summary of the curricula from all Medical Faculties in Sri Lanka
Professor Pradeepa Jayawardane
Secretary Subcommittee of SLACPT on Medication Safety Curriculum

10.25 – 11.30 am  Presentations by Faculties of Medicine regarding medication safety aspects covered in the respective curricula
University of Colombo, University of Peradeniya, University of Jaffna, University of Ruhuna, University of Kelaniya, University of Sri Jayewardeneperuma, University of Rajarata, Eastern University of Sri Lanka, General Sir John Kotelawala Defence University, Wayamba University of Sri Lanka, University of Sabaragamuwa

11.30 – 11.40 am  “Write Right” campaign by medical students
Mr Chamath Lavinda
President, Students Involved in Rational Health Activities (SIRHA)
Faculty of Medicine, Colombo

11.40 – 12.10 noon  Questions and Discussion
Panellists
Professor Priyadarshini Galappatthy, Professor Rohini Fernandopulle
Professor Chandani Wanigatunge & Professor Gominda Ponnamperuma

12.10 noon  Vote of thanks
Professor Chamila Mettananda
Secretary, SLACPT

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